



A G E N D A
REGULAR MEETING
OF THE
ORANGE COUNTY
COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN AND GIRLS

Thursday, October 2, 2025, 9:00 A.M.

County Administration North
First Floor, Multi-Purpose Room
400 West Civic Center Drive, Santa Ana, CA 92701

COMMISSION MEMBERSHIP

Katelyn Brazer Aceves, Chair
2nd District Representative

Christine Marick, Vice Chair
4th District Representative

Anne Hertz-Mallari
1st District Representative

Jolynn Mahoney
3rd District Representative

Joanna Weiss
5th District Representative

Laura Ramos
At Large Representative

Crystal Miles
At Large Representative

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Liz Guillen Merchant

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Brandy Miller

Social Services Agency Liaison
Dr. Sara Marchese

OC Community Resources Liaison
Kristina Traw

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and with Clerk of the Board of Supervisors located in the County Administration North Building,
400 West Civic Center Drive, 6th Floor, Santa Ana, California 92701
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday*

Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Introductions

PUBLIC COMMENT

At this time members of the public may address the Commission on any matter on the agenda or within the subject matter of the commission.

AGENDA ITEMS

1. Approve minutes of the September 4, 2025, regular meeting of the Commission
2. Ad Hoc Reports
 - a. 2025 Report Ad Hoc Updates
3. Approve revised 2025 Commission meeting schedule calendar amending the December meeting to occur on Monday, December 1, 2025, at 11:00 a.m.

COMMISSIONER COMMENTS & ROUNDTABLE

At this time Commissioners may discuss ideas and request topics for future agenda items, make requests or provide direction to staff, and make comments or announcements regarding matters within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Commission, provided that no action will be taken on any matter not appearing on the agenda, except as otherwise provided by law.

ADJOURNMENT

NEXT REGULAR MEETING: November 6, 2025, 9:00 A.M.

Agenda Item 1



SUMMARY ACTION MINUTES

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Mary Beth Anderson

ATTENDANCE: Commissioner(s): Brazer Aceves, Mahoney, Marick, Miles, and Weiss

ABSENT: Commissioner(s): Ramos

CALL TO ORDER

The chair called the meeting to order at 9:12 a.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Chair Brazer Aceves led the pledge of allegiance.

ROLL CALL

The clerk called the roll and confirmed quorum.

SUMMARY ACTION MINUTES

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

AGENDA ITEMS

1. Approve minutes of the August 7, 2025, regular meeting of the Commission.

On the motion of Commissioner Marick, seconded by Commissioner Miles, with Chair Brazer Aceves abstaining, the Commission approved the minutes as recommended.

2. Ad Hoc Committee Report
 - a. 2025 Annual Report Ad Hoc Update

Ad Hoc Committee reported that Cal State Fullerton Women's Studies is not able to assist the Commission with creating the first annual report and the ad hoc instead recommends the Commission work with the County to prepare the first report. County estimates \$26,000 to prepare a first draft for Commission review in November, a final draft in January and the finished report to the Commission for final approval in February and presented to the Board of Supervisors in March.

3. Discussion regarding upcoming meetings and 2026 election of officers

Due to scheduling conflicts, the Commission discussed the options of either cancelling the December meeting, which would impact the selection of officers for 2026, or to change the date of the December meeting. The commission discussed changing the December meeting date to Monday, December 1, 2025 at 11:00am and the clerk will prepare an amended meeting schedule calendar for approval and adoption at the October Commission meeting.

COMMISSIONER COMMENTS & ROUNDTABLE

None

ADJOURNMENT: 10:59 a.m.

NEXT REGULAR MEETING: October 2, 2025, 9:00 a.m.

Katelyn Brazer Aceves, Chair

Valerie Sanchez, Clerk of the Commission

Agenda Item 3

Orange County Commission on the Status of Women and Girls 2025

Meetings are held 9:00am - 11:00am

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Santa Ana, CA 92701

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
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December meeting at 11:00a.m.						

 County Holiday

 Regular Meeting