



# SONOMA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MEETING MINUTES - DRAFT

575 ADMINISTRATION  
DRIVE, ROOM 102A  
SANTA ROSA, CA 95403

Rebecca Hermosillo, First District  
David Rabbitt, Second District  
Chris Coursey, Third District  
James Gore, Fourth District  
Lynda Hopkins, Fifth District

M. Christina Rivera, County Executive  
Robert Pittman, County Counsel

**Friday, January 9, 2026**

**9:00 AM**

**Board of Supervisors Chambers  
575 Administration Drive 102A**

## **Special Closed Session**

### **9:00 A.M. CALL TO ORDER**

9:03 A.M. The Board Meeting was called to order.

### **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

#### **I. ROLL CALL / BOARD MEMBER TELECONFERENCE DISCLOSURE OR VOTE, IF APPLICABLE**

9:03 A.M.

**Present:** Rebecca Hermosillo, David Rabbitt, Chris Coursey, James Gore, and Lynda Hopkins

Staff Present: M. Christina Rivera, County Executive Officer and Robert Pittman, County Counsel

#### **II. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

(Items may be added or withdrawn from the agenda consistent with State law)

9:05 A.M.

Board Action: Moved by Supervisor Coursey, Seconded by Supervisor Rabbitt; Approved as recommended.

**Aye:** Hermosillo, Rabbitt, Coursey, Gore, and Hopkins

#### **III. REPORT OUT ON CLOSED SESSION FOR JANUARY 6, 2026**

9:05 A.M. County Counsel, Robert Pittman, reported out on the Tuesday, January 6, 2026, Closed Session.

#### **IV. PUBLIC COMMENT ON CLOSED SESSION ITEMS**

9:06 A.M. Public Comment on the Closed Session Calendar Opened

Speakers:

None

9:06 A.M. Public Comment on the Closed Session Calendar Closed

#### **V.**

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**CLOSED SESSION CALENDAR**

1. The Board of Supervisors will consider the following in closed session: Public [2026-0069](#)  
Employment Appointment: Title: County Executive Officer. Agency negotiator: Janell  
Crane (Government Code Section 54957(b)(1)).

No reportable action was taken - the Board gave direction to the Agency Negotiator, Janell Crane.

**VI. REPORT OUT ON CLOSED SESSION FOR JANUARY 9, 2026 ON THE NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING**

9:06 A.M. Report out on the Friday, January 9, 2026, Closed Session to be held a the next regular meeting on October 8, 2024.

**VII. ADJOURNMENT**

9:06 A.M. The Board adjourned the meeting.

The meeting was adjourned to January 13, 2026 9:00 A.M.

Respectfully submitted, Marcie Woychik, Chief Deputy Clerk of the Board