



MINUTES
City of Placerville
Cannabis Community Benefit Committee

Tuesday, March 3, 2026 – 3:30 P.M.

Town Hall, 549 Main Street, Placerville

1. **CALL TO ORDER:** The meeting was called to order at 3:33 PM by Chair Aubrey.

2. **ROLL CALL:**

Members Present: Chair Aubrey, Vice Chair Chiusano, Members Hawthorne, Nishihara, Silvester, Warren, and Wren

Members Absent: None

3. **ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

Committee Member Warren moved to adopt the agenda as presented, and Committee Member Wren seconded the motion. The motion carried with a 7-0 vote.

4. **ADOPTION OF MINUTES OF THE AUGUST 5, 2025 MEETING (Attachment A)**

Committee Member Silverster moved to adopt the Cannabis Community Benefit Committee minutes for the meeting held on August 5, 2025 as presented, and Committee Member Hawthorne seconded the motion. The motion carried with a 7-0 vote.

5. **ITEMS OF INTEREST TO THE PUBLIC:** (The Committee shall not take action on this item.) **Comments may be limited to 3 minutes.**

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Public comment was received from David Zelinsky, from the Placerville Fire Safe Council.

6. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

7. DISCUSSION ITEMS:

A. Report on Available Funding

Committee Member Warren presented the Cannabis Business Community Benefit Tax Receipts Report as of December 31, 2025.

B. Discussion of projects for Fiscal Year 2026/2027

The Committee discussed potential projects that could be funded in Fiscal Year 2026/2027.

C. Other items for discussion

Committee Member Chiusano mentioned how narrow Main Street is near the Sacred Root store and suggested that red curb markings be added in that area.

8. STAFF AND COMMITTEE MEMBER COMMUNICATIONS:

None.

9. ITEMS FOR NEXT AGENDA:

The Committee requested a written project list for funding consideration.

10. NEXT MEETING: May 5, 2026 at 3:30 PM

11. ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned at 4:16 PM by Chair Aubrey.

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