



**CALIFORNIA CHILD WELFARE COUNCIL
Youth Justice Committee**

**Meeting Agenda
September 9, 2026
1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.**

In-Person

925 L St
Conference Room 1275
Sacramento, CA 95814

Virtual

[Zoom](#)

Telephone: (669) 254 5252
Meeting ID: 160 906 6481, Passcode: 967735

1:30-1:35	Call to Order Welcome, Opening Comments, Roll Call, and Today's Agenda	Katherine Lucero YJC Co-Chair OYCR Director
1:35-1:40	Action Items: • Approve June 10, 2026 <u>Minutes</u>	Katherine Lucero YJC Co-Chair OYCR Director
1:40-1:50	Co-Chair Updates • Community Partner Updates • Probation Updates • OYCR Updates	Melissa Romero YJC Co-Chair Butte County Probation Chief Brooke Harris YJC Co-Chair Youth Defense Expert Katherine Lucero YJC Co-Chair OYCR Director
1:50-3:10	Diversion Presentations	Darya Larizadeh Director, California Policy and Capacity Building, Youth Justice, National Center for Youth Law Paula Smith Probation Officer Washoe Tribe of Nevada and California

		Chantille Tran RESTOR Program Manager RYSE Youth Center Andrew Garcia Restorative Justice Case Manager Kings Canyon Unified School District (KCUSD) Fanny Yu , Deputy District Attorney San Diego County District Attorney's Office
3:10-3:15	Member Discussion about Diversion Panel	Brooke Harris YJC Co-Chair Youth Defense Expert
3:15-3:20	Quick update on Data Deliverable Discussion in December	Katherine Lucero YJC Co-Chair OYCR Director
3:20 – 3:30	Public Comment	Katherine Lucero YJC Co-Chair OYCR Director
3:30	Announcements, Call for Agenda Items & Adjourn	Katherine Lucero YJC Co-Chair OYCR Director

2026 CWC YJC Quarterly Meeting Dates:

- December 9th, 2026

The order in which agenda items are considered may be subject to change. Depending on the number of individuals wishing to address the Committee, the Chair may establish specific time limits on comments.

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Attendance Policy

In order to make sure that the Youth Justice Committee (YJC) meets quorum for each meeting, it adopted the attendance policy of the Child Welfare Council. According to that policy, members shall not accrue more than three absences from YJC meetings within one year. If such member is absent from more than three meetings, he or she shall be deemed to have resigned from the YJC and the

chair shall appoint a new member, except in cases where the member's absence has been excused by the chairs.

ADDENDUM- Notice of Expected Remote Attendance

Member	Expected Attendance
Director Katherine Lucero	Remote
Honorable Tilisha Martin	
Honorable Sharonda Bradford	
Chief Jennifer Branning	
Brooke Harris	Remote
Elizabeth Calvin	
Frankie Guzman	
Carly B. Dierkhising	Remote
Danielle Lowe	
Virginia Corrigan	Remote
Diana Becton	
Tyee Griffith	
Rosalinda Vint	
Kasey Halcón	
Chief Melissa Romero	Remote
Chief Rachelle Gayton	
Mercedes Perez	