

Santa Cruz County Commission on Justice and Gender

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Notice of Public Meeting and Agenda

Commission on Justice and Gender

 Date:
 August 21, 2025

 Time:
 12 pm - 1:30 pm

 Location:
 275 Main St, Floor 6

Watsonville CA

Introductory Items

- 1. Call to Order/ Roll Call (Commissioners)
- 2. Check in: What is the one activity or project that you would like this Commission to continue doing in the current 25-26 year? (Discussion Item)
- 3. Public Comment

Any person may address the Commission for a period not to exceed 3 minutes on matters within the jurisdiction of the Commission. Commission members will not take action on or discuss any topic not on today's agenda, but are permitted to ask staff to follow up and/or place the topic at a future meeting. Public comment will not exceed thirty (30) minutes. If there are additional persons still wishing to address the Commission after this allotted period, public comment may be continued to the last item on the agenda.

Regular Agenda

- 4. Approve the request to the Chair of the Santa Cruz County Board of Supervisors to issue a proclamation honoring Dr. Susan Greene for her service and direct the staff liaison to work with the Chair on the issuance and signature of the proclamation (Action)
- 5. Approval of Minutes from the May 8, 2025 (previous) meeting (Action Item)

- 6. Announcements by Commissioners (or Commissioner Announcements or Reports) (Informational only)
- 7. Consider the Biennial Report and make recommendations to add, correct, or remove any information as needed (Action Item)
- 8. Approve proposed agenda topics for November 2025 and February 2026, and pause subcommittee meetings until workplan is adopted in February 2026 (Action Item)
 - a. November 2025 Agenda items:
 - i. Approve the Biennial report and direct staff to submit to the Board of Supervisors
 - ii. Develop the 2025-26 workplan for adoption no later than February 2026
 - iii. Approve the 2026 Meeting Schedule per Commission bylaws
 - iv. Identify speaker topic and nominate and appoint someone to find and coordinate speaker
 - b. February 2026 Agenda items:
 - i. Adopt 2026-27 Workplan
 - ii. Consider subcommittees for 2026
 - iii. Speaker on topic identified in November 2025
- 9. Identify goals and strategies to develop 2025-26 Commission workplan to adopt no later than the February 2026 meetings (Action Item)
- 10. Adjournment

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