

YOLO LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION

MEETING MINUTES

April 23, 2026

The Yolo Local Agency Formation Commission met for a Public Hearing on April 23, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. in the Yolo County Board of Supervisors Chambers, 625 Court Street, Room 206, Woodland, California.

Voting members present were County Member Lucas Frerichs, City Member Tania Garcia-Cadena, Public Member Pamela Miller, Vice Chair and County Member Oscar Villegas, and Chair and City Member Gloria Partida. Public Member Alternate Erik Vink attended via Zoom.

Others present were Executive Officer Christine Crawford, Deputy Executive Officer JD Trebec, and Clerk Desirae Leverett.

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Partida called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m.

Item № 1 Pledge

Commissioner Villegas led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Item № 2 Roll Call

Present: Frerichs, Garcia-Cadena, Miller, Villegas, Partida

Absent: None

Item № 3 Public Comments

There were no public comments.

CONSENT

Item № 4 Approve the Minutes of the February 26, 2026 and March 26, 2026 Meetings

Item № 5 Fiscal Year 2025/26 Third Quarter Financial Update

Item № 6 Correspondence

Minute Order 2026-10: The recommended actions on Consent were approved.

Motion: Frerichs

Second: Miller

Ayes: Frerichs, Garcia-Cadena, Miller, Villegas, Partida

Noes: None

Abstained: None

Absent: None

PUBLIC HEARING**Item № 7** **Consider Resolution No. 2026-01 approving the Elkhorn Fire Protection District (FPD) and County Service Area 9 (CSA 9) Reorganization into the Springlake FPD and to find these actions categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (LAFCo#24-02)**

Executive Officer Christine Crawford presented the staff report summarizing the proposed dissolution of the Elkhorn Fire Protection District and County Service Area No. 9 and annexation of said territories into the Spring Lake Fire Protection District. Ms. Crawford also reviewed amendments made to the proposed resolution including additional details regarding district assets, closure of outside banking accounts, and correction to reflect that Elkhorn FPD has a special tax and not an assessment.

Commission discussion followed regarding the proposed resolution, protest proceedings process, and succession of district assets.

Chair Partida opened the public hearing. The Clerk reported five public comment cards. One additional speaker submitted a card during public comment.

Public comment was received from Don Beeman, Dan Ramos, and Fire Chief Richard Yeung. Becky Yeung, Jane Yeung, and Melissa Yeung also submitted speaker cards and requested that their time be transferred to Richard Yeung.

There being no further speakers, Chair Partida closed the public hearing.

Commission discussion resumed.

Minute Order 2026-11: Adopt Resolution 2026-01 approving the dissolution of the Elkhorn Fire Protection District and County Service Area No. 9, annexation of the former territories of Elkhorn Fire Protection District and County Service Area No. 9 into the Spring Lake Fire Protection District, amendment to the Spring Lake Fire Protection District Sphere of Influence to include the entirety of said territories, determination that the proposal is categorically exempt from CEQA, and direction to proceed with protest proceedings; passed unanimously.

Motion: Frerichs

Second: Miller

Ayes: Frerichs, Garcia-Cadena, Miller, Villegas, Partida

Noes: None

Abstained: None

Absent: None

REGULAR AGENDA

Item № 8 **Consider and adopt LAFCo’s Two-Year Strategic Work Plan for fiscal years 2026/27 – 2027-28**

Executive Officer Christine Crawford presented the draft Two-Year Strategic Work Plan for Fiscal Years 2026/27 through 2027/28 developed from Commission feedback received during the March Strategic Planning Session.

Commission discussion followed. Direction was provided to add an action item regarding County coordination in support of fire service planning efforts.

Minute Order 2026-12: Adopt LAFCo’s Two-Year Strategic Work Plan for Fiscal Years 2026/27 through 2027/28 passed unanimously.

Motion: Miller
Second: Frerichs

Ayes: Frerichs, Garcia-Cadena, Miller, Villegas, Partida
Noes: None
Abstained: None
Absent: None

Item № 9 **Consider and adopt the LAFCo Draft Budget for fiscal year (FY) 2026-27**

Executive Officer Christine Crawford presented the draft LAFCo Budget for Fiscal Year 2026-27 and reviewed proposed increases associated with operational costs and employee salary adjustments.

Commission discussion followed.

Minute Order 2026-13: Adopt the LAFCo Draft Budget for Fiscal Year 2026-27; passed unanimously.

Motion: Frerichs
Second: Villegas

Ayes: Frerichs, Garcia-Cadena, Miller, Villegas, Partida
Noes: None
Abstained: None
Absent: None

Item № 10 **Executive Officer’s Report**

There were no reports.

Item № 11 **Commissioner Reports**

There were no reports.

Item № 12 Adjournment

Minute Order 2026-14: By order of the Chair, the meeting was adjourned at 10:44 a.m.

ATTEST:



Desirae Leverett
Clerk to the Commission

