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BOARD OF DIRECTORS
AGENDA

Regular Meeting
Thursday, August 20, 2026, 4:30 p.m.
Eureka City Hall, Council Chambers
531 K Street, Eureka, CA 95501

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Land Acknowledgement:

HCAOG conducts our work for the benefit of the entire Humboldt County region. The region now known as Humboldt County includes the unceded traditional territories and current homelands of several indigenous nations including the Karuk, Hupa, Wiyot, Yurok, Tsugugwe, Chilula, Chimariko, Lassik, Mattole, Nongatl, Sinkyone, Wailaki, and Whilkut people. Today we work and reside on these lands with respect for the tribes who have been here for millennia, their elders both past and present, as well as future generations.

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1. Call to Order/Roll Call

2. Adjournment of the HCAOG Board; Convening of the Policy Advisory Committee (PAC)

The PAC convenes to include representation from Caltrans and Humboldt Transit Authority (HTA) Board for items specific to transportation.

3. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items

This agenda item is reserved for public comments on matters over which the PAC has jurisdiction but are not on the agenda.

4. Consent Calendar

The PAC will consider approving the following item(s), considered to be routine, with a single motion. Item(s) may be removed from the Consent Calendar and, if removed, will be heard separately.

a. Approval of Meeting Records (encl)

- [July 16, 2026](#)

b. Update Coast Central Credit Union (CCCU) Signatories and Business Credit Card

The PAC will consider recommending that the HCAOG Board remove outgoing Interim Executive Director Debbie Egger on all Coast Central Credit Union accounts and authorize incoming Executive Director Rob Holmlund, effective August 17, 2026, as the primary signatory on all accounts and to authorize the opening of a Coast Central Credit Union business credit card for Rob Holmlund in the amount of \$10,000.

- [Staff Report](#)

5. Items Removed from PAC Consent Calendar

This agenda item is reserved for items that may be removed from the consent calendar.

6. Discussion Items

a. Draft Proposal Regarding Emergency Response Following Bayside Cutoff Closure

The PAC will review and discuss a draft proposal for submission to the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) regarding concerns about delayed emergency response times in the Bayside/Jacoby Creek area following the closure of the Bayside Cutoff.

- [Staff Report](#)
- [Bayside Cutoff Letter](#)

7. Action Items

a. Delegating Authority to the Executive Director to Execute Certain Documents on Behalf of the Board

The PAC will consider recommending that the HCAOG Board adopt Resolution 26-23, delegating limited authority to the Executive Director to execute and transmit specified routine correspondence, grant-related documents, administrative documents, and other documents necessary to carry out programs and projects previously authorized by the Board.

- [Staff Report](#)
- [Resolution 26-23](#)

b. Safe Routes to School (SRTS) Director Feasibility Study Report

The PAC will consider recommending that the HCAOG Board accept the SRTS Director Feasibility Study Report and to submit the report to Caltrans as part of the program deliverables for the Sustainable Transportation Planning Grant.

- [Staff Report](#)
- [SRTS Director Feasibility Study Report](#)

8. Informational Items

a. Humboldt Regional Climate Action Plan (RCAP): Draft Memorandum of Understanding for Jurisdictions and JPAs

Senior Regional Planner Oona Smith will provide updates on the RCAP implementation progress including the draft Memorandum of Understanding (MOU).

- [Staff Report](#)
- [Draft MOU](#)

9. Reconvening of the HCAOG Board

By motion, reconvene as the HCAOG Board and approve PAC recommendations.

10. HCAOG Staff and PAC Member Reports

This agenda item is reserved for matters that staff or PAC members may wish to present.

a. HCAOG Executive Director's Report

b. Caltrans Reports

c. PAC and Board Member Reports

Adjournment

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