

April 11, 2023

- To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council
- From: Dee Williams-Ridley, City Manager

Re: Five years of Council and other legislative records now available online

We wanted to let you know that City Council Agendas with all of their supporting documentation are now live on berkeleyca.gov stretching back to 2019, giving a 5-year stretch of records that mirrors what was available on the previous website. Each Council meeting includes an annotated agenda, full agenda packet, HTML agenda with links to each item's supporting materials, and links to recordings. You can find these materials on the <u>Council Agendas page</u> or through the site search.

In addition, almost all records for board and commission meetings stretching back to 2019 are also now available online. Council committee meetings will soon be added as well.

In response to Council concerns last fall, the City Manager's Office identified funds through salary savings to pay for the manual input of these records.

In addition to the presence of these records on berkeleyca.gov, all city council records are available via <u>Records Online</u>, one of the most comprehensive legislative archives for local government that we are aware of in California.

cc: Senior Executive Team