Health, Housing & Community Service Department
Behavioral Health Commission

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AGENDA

Regular Meeting
Thursday, November 19, 2026

Time: 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Location: North Berkeley Senior Center
1901 Hearst St., Morning Glory Room, 2nd
Berkeley, CA 94703

All Agenda Items are for Discussion and Possible Action

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1. **Roll Call (1 min)**

2. **Preliminary Matters**
   - **a.** Action Item: Approval of November 19, 2026, meeting agenda
   - **b.** Public Comment (non-agenda items)
   - **c.** Action Item: Approval of October 22, 2026, meeting minutes

3. **Review, interview and motion for new applicant -Hamiliton Bohannon**

4. **Approval of the 2027 Commission Schedule**

5. **Discussion and planning of BHC long- and short-term goals - what do we want the commission to work toward for the next year** – Lisa Teague

6. **Mental Health Division Manager's Reports – provided by Jeff Buell**
   a. MH Division Manager Report
   b. Caseload Statistic November 2026

7. **Ad-Hoc committee reports**
   a. Data Notebook

8. **Discuss and vote to create additional ad-hoc groups**

9. **Adjournment**

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