



Health, Housing & Community
Services Department
Commission on Aging

COMMISSION ON AGING REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, September 16, 2026
1:30 p.m.

1. Roll Call

Present: (8) Newbery, Orrick, Yamaguchi, Collins, Evans, Binder, Davila, Lavault

Absent:

Excused Absence:

Staff Present: (2) Darlene Bronson, Donnarcia Scurry

Public: (3)

2. Public Comment (1)

Presentation

None

Staff Report

Update for Senior Wellness Fair September 30, 2026. Hosted at North Berkeley Senior Center- Darlene Bronson

Commission Report

1. Liaisons to other Commissions-Newbery, Yamaguchi, Lavault and Collins report outs

Discussion

1. Cycling without Age – Newbery
2. Exploitation of Vulnerable Homeowners
3. Aging Terminology- Older Adults vs. Senior – Darlene Bronson; Commissioners consensus to maintain use of “senior”

Action Items

1. Exploitation of Vulnerable Homeowners- The commission agreed to form an ad hoc committee for the following meeting, made up of commission members who will identify relevant informational materials and locate appropriate venues to disseminate these materials to reach seniors who would benefit from such information.

Commissioners adjourned at 3:12p.m.

Minutes Approved on:

Darlene Bronson 10/21/2026
Darlene Bronson, Commission Secretary

