



Sugar-Sweetened Beverage Product Panel of Experts Commission

Thursday, January 15th, 2026. 6:00 – 8:00 PM

Meeting Location:

West Berkeley Family Wellness Center
1900 Sixth Street, Berkeley, CA 94710
P: 510-981-5350

DRAFT MEETING MINUTES

The meeting convened at 6:10pm.

ROLL CALL

Present: Commissioner Morales, Kao, Lopez, Crawford, Esonwune, Hecht.
Absent: Commissioner Mashama.
Excused: Commissioner Rodriguez.
Staff present: Roberto Terrones, JoAnn Evangelista, Janice Chin, Dr. Noemi Doohan, Scott Gilman.

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC None.

ACTION ON MINUTES

Approval of Minutes - Moved to approve the draft minutes of the meeting on 11/20/2026.

M/S/C: Esonwune/ Morales

Ayes: Commissioner Morales, Kao, Lopez, Crawford, Esonwune, Hecht.
Noes: None.
Abstain: None.
Absent from vote: Commissioner Mashama.
Recused: None.
Excused: Commissioner Rodriguez.

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1. Motion to approve the 2026 Commission Meeting Schedule.

M/S/C: Morales/ Lopez.

Ayes: Commissioner Morales, Kao, Lopez, Crawford, Esonwune, Hecht.
Noes: None.
Abstain: None.
Absent from vote: Commissioner Mashama.
Recused: None.
Excused: Commissioner Rodriguez.

The meeting adjourned at 8:00pm.

NEXT MEETING:

The next meeting is scheduled for **Thursday, February 19th, 2026**. Please check the SSBPPE Commission page on the City of Berkeley Commission webpage for updated information.

Respectfully Submitted, Roberto Terrones, Commission Secretary
Minutes will be approved at the February 19th regular meeting.