



Berkeley Homeless
Services Panel of Experts

MEETING MINUTES

February 4, 2026

1. **Roll Call:** 7:07 PM
Present: Marasovic, Solberg (absent until 7:10), Levy, Segal, Bookstein, & Kealoha-Blake.
Absent: None.
Staff: Jacobs.
Council: None.
Public: 2.
2. Public Comment: 0.
3. Reading of the Land Acknowledgement.

Action Items:

4. Approval of the Agenda
Action: M/S/C Segal/Bookstein move to approve the agenda as written.
Vote: *Ayes:* Marasovic, Kealoha-Blake, Segal, Levy, & Bookstein.
Noes: None. *Abstain:* None. *Absent:* Solberg.
5. Approval of minutes from January 7, 2026 meeting. Discussion and possible action.
Action: M/S/C Levy/Bookstein move to approve the minutes as written.
Vote: *Ayes:* Marasovic, Kealoha-Blake, Segal, Levy, & Bookstein.
Noes: None. *Abstain:* None. *Absent:* Solberg.
6. Discussion on take-aways on presentation from E-3 Initiative in Evansville, Indiana. Discussion and possible action.

Discussion. No action taken.
7. Preliminary discussion on number of formerly homeless persons in Berkeley under housing subsidies now housed that require support services to remain housed; providers that provide those services; and what type of services are provided. Discussion and possible action.

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Action: M/S/C Solberg/Marasovic move to request that staff provide all the homeless services including the program budgets, project description, and number of clients served in Berkeley divided into projects funded by Berkeley and programs that are funded outside of Berkeley and to get a list of all possible data elements that we could request from staff in the future.

Vote: Ayes: Kealoha-Blake, Marasovic, Segal, Solberg, Levy, & Bookstein.
Noes: None. *Abstain:* None. *Absent:* None.

8. Point-in-time Count-Experience from the ground and report from staff what happens with the data; when it will be released; and how it is used to grant funding.
Discussion and possible action.

Discussion. No action taken.

9. Preliminary discussion on addressing LGBTQIA needs in homeless services.
Discussion and possible action.

Discussion. No action taken.

10. Upcoming site visits. Discussion and possible action.

Discussion. No action taken.

11. Chair report. Discussion only.

Discussion. No action taken.

12. Election of Chair and Vice-Chair. Discussion and possible action.

Action: M/S/C Marasovic/Levy move to elect Carole Marasovic as chair.

Vote: Ayes: Kealoha-Blake, Marasovic, Segal, Solberg, Levy, & Bookstein.
Noes: None. *Abstain:* None. *Absent:* None.

Action: M/S/C Levy/Marasovic move to elect Alan Levy as vice-chair.

Vote: Ayes: Kealoha-Blake, Marasovic, Segal, Solberg, Levy, & Bookstein.
Noes: None. *Abstain:* None. *Absent:* None.

13. Preliminary discussion on developing a work plan. Discussion and possible action.

Discussion. No action taken.

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14. Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 PM.

Minutes Approved on: _____

Josh Jacobs, Commission Secretary: _____

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