



Department of Health,
Housing &
Community
Services
Mental Health
Commission

Berkeley/Albany Mental Health Commission Draft February Minutes

7:00 pm
North Berkeley SC 1901 Hearst

Regular Meeting
February 26, 2026

Members of the Public Present: Steven Tupper, Shirley Posey, Amy Johnson, Denise Johnson, Katrina Killian

Staff Present: Jamie Works-Wright, Jeff Buell

1) Call to Order at 7:13 pm

Commissioners Present: Ashley Gu, Glenn Turner, Maria Sol, Lisa Teague, Patricia Fontana-Narell, Ian Hunt **Absent:** Ajay Krishnan, Igor Tregub

2) Preliminary Matters

a) Approval of February 26, agenda

M/S/C (Gu, Teague) Motion to approve the February 26, 2026, meeting agenda.

PASSED

Ayes: Gu, Fontana-Narell, Hunt, Sol, Teague, Turner **Noes:** None; **Abstentions:** None;

Absent: Krishnan, Tregub

b) Public Comment- 3 comments

c) Approval of January 22, 2026, minutes

M/S/C (Gu, Hunt) Motion to approve the minutes from January 22, 2026, meeting minutes

PASSED

Ayes: Gu, Fontana-Narell, Hunt, Sol, Teague, Turner **Noes:** None; **Abstentions:** None;

Absent: Krishnan, Tregub

3) Action to Vote for Commission Chair

M/S/C (Hunt, Turner) I, Ian Hunt would like to nominate Ajay Krishana for Chair.

PASSED

Ayes: Gu, Fontana-Narell, Hunt, Sol, Teague, Turner **Noes:** None; **Abstentions:** None; **Absent:** Krishnan, Tregub

4) Action to vote for commission Vice Chair

M/S/C (Hunt, Turner) I, Ian Hunt would like to nominate Ajay Krishana for Chair.

PASSED

Ayes: Gu, Fontana-Narell, Hunt, Sol, Teague, Turner **Noes:** None; **Abstentions:** None; **Absent:** Krishnan, Tregub

5) Presentation and discussion from Peer Wellness Collective – Katrina Killian

6) Mental Health Division Manager’s Reports – provided by Jeff Buell

a) MH Division Manager Report

b) Caseload Statistic February 2026

7) Review, Discuss and Actions regarding the By-Laws for Berkeley Behavioral Health Commission.

M/S/C (Teague, Hunt) Motion that we that we move the discussion of the annual report to next month

PASSED

Ayes: Gu, Fontana-Narell, Hunt, Sol, Teague, Turner **Noes:** None; **Abstentions:** None; **Absent:** Krishnan, Tregub

8) Adjournment –8:59PM

M/S/C (Hunt, Turner) Motion to adjourn

PASSED

Ayes: Gu, Fontana-Narell, Hunt, Sol, Teague, Turner **Noes:** None; **Abstentions:** None; **Absent:** Krishnan, Tregub

Minutes submitted by: _____
Jamie Works-Wright, Commission Secretary