AGENDA
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS STANDING COMMITTEE – LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM
COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE CENTER – 5th FLOOR CAO LARGE CONFERENCE ROOM
1115 TRUXTUN AVE.
BAKERSFIELD, CA 93301

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September 22, 2026 from 2:00 to 3:30 p.m.

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1. **CALL TO ORDER**

2. **ROLL CALL:** PHILLIP PETERS AND JEFF FLORES PRESENT

3. **PUBLIC COMMENT**
   This portion of the meeting is reserved for persons desiring to address Committee Members on any matter not on this agenda, but under the jurisdiction of the Committee. Committee Members may respond briefly to statements made or questions posed. They may ask a question for clarification, make a referral to staff for factual information or request staff to report back to the Committee at a later meeting. Also, the Committee may take action to direct staff to place a matter of business on a future agenda. SPEAKERS ARE LIMITED TO TWO MINUTES. PLEASE STATE AND SPELL YOUR NAME BEFORE MAKING YOUR PRESENTATION: **CHARLES SCHINN AND DAVID VILLARINO HEARD**

4. **Approve minutes from the July 13, 2026 meeting –** APPROVED – SUPERVISOR FLORES FIRST; SUPERVISOR PETERS SECOND

5. **2027 State and Federal Legislative Platform –** DISCUSSED; MADE RECOMMENDATION TO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS TO APPROVE – SUPERVISOR FLORES FIRST; SUPERVISOR PETERS SECOND

6. **Update on Federal issues of interest to the County; direct staff to act as necessary** – RECEIVED AND FILED; BEN GOLDEEN REPRESENTING TOWNSEND PUBLIC AFFAIRS GAVE PRESENTATION ON CURRENT EVENTS; NO DIRECTION PROVIDED

7. **Update on State issues of interest to the County; direct staff to act as necessary –** RECEIVED AND FILED; DYLAN ELLIOTT REPRESENTING SYASL GAVE PRESENTATION ON CURRENT EVENTS; SUPERVISOR PETERS ASKED FOR UPDATE ON SOLAR TAX BILL; SUPERVISOR FLORES ASKED FOR REGULAR UPDATES TO LPC ON H.R.1 IMPACTS AND REIMBURSEMENTS FROM STATE – DENNIS McLAIN HEARD

8. **Direction for new committee business at future meetings –** DISCUSSED; SUPERVISOR FLORES PROVIDED DIRECTION TO STAFF TO BRING BACK A SUPPORT LETTER FOR THE CADIZ NORTHERN PIPELINE PROJECT TO THE FULL BOARD AT THE NEXT AVAILABLE BOS MEETING – SUPERVISOR FLORES FIRST; SUPERVISOR PETERS SECOND

9. **ADJOURNMENT –** ADJOURNED TO NEXT MEETING ON 11/9/2026 @ 2P.M.

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