

REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

Our City, Our Home Oversight Committee

April 23, 2026

Hearing Room 416, City Hall

9:44 AM –10:39 AM

Committee Members

Shanell Williams, Chair

LaShonti Woods, Vice Chair

Julia D'Antonio

Lindsay Haddix

Jabari Jackson

Billy Lemon

Bonnie Preston

Ruby Bolaria Shifrin

Scott Walton

Members of the Our City, Our Home (OCOH) Oversight Committee attended this meeting in-person. The agenda, video recording, audio recording, and caption notes are posted at:

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1) **Call to Order**

Chair Williams called the meeting to order at 9:42 am and roll was taken.

Roll Call:

Vice Chair D'Antonio: Absent (unexcused)

Member Haddix: Present

Member Jackson: Absent (excused)

Member Lemon: Present

Member Preston: Present

Member Shifrin: Absent (excused)

Member Walton: Absent (excused)

Chair Williams: Present

Member Woods: Present

Chair Williams confirmed the presence of a quorum and read the Ramaytush Ohlone Land Acknowledgement aloud.

Member Haddix made a motion to excuse Members Jackson and Shifrin from the April 23, 2026 OCOH Oversight Committee meeting. Member Lemon seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

Vice Chair D'Antonio: Absent

Member Haddix: Yes

Member Jackson: Absent
Member Lemon: Yes
Member Preston: Yes
Member Shifrin: Absent
Member Walton: Absent
Chair Williams: Yes
Member Woods: Yes

The motion passed.

2) General Public Comment

Opportunity for the public to comment on any matters within the Committee's jurisdiction that are not on the agenda.

Chair Williams opened general public comment.

Ralph provided in-person public comment. The speaker shared the challenges they are facing with accessing transitional housing and other resources.

There were no over-the-phone public comments on this agenda item.

3) Action Item

Officer Elections

The Committee discussed nominations for Chair, Vice Chair, and Data Officer.

Chair Williams nominated Member Woods for the position of Vice Chair. Member Woods accepted the nomination. Member Lemon seconded the nomination.

Chair Williams opened public comment.

Jennifer Friedenbach provided in-person public comment. The speaker expressed support for the re-election of Chair Williams to the Chair position. The speaker also acknowledged the great work that Data Officer Walton has accomplished in his role as Data Officer.

There were no over-the-phone public comments on this agenda item.

Roll Call Vote for Vice Chair:

Vice Chair D'Antonio: Absent
Member Haddix: Yes
Member Jackson: Absent
Member Lemon: Yes
Member Preston: Yes
Member Shifrin: Absent
Member Walton: Absent
Chair Williams: Yes
Member Woods: Yes

The motion passed.

Member Haddix nominated Chair Williams for the position of Chair. Chair Williams accepted the nomination. Member Preston seconded the nomination.

Chair Williams opened public comment. There were no in-person or over-the-phone public comments on this agenda item.

Roll Call Vote for Chair:

Vice Chair D'Antonio: Absent
Member Haddix: Yes
Member Jackson: Absent
Member Lemon: Yes
Member Preston: Yes
Member Shifrin: Absent
Member Walton: Absent
Chair Williams: Yes
Member Woods: Yes

The motion passed.

Chair Williams nominated Member Walton for the position of Data Officer. Member Haddix seconded the nomination.

Roll Call Vote:

Vice Chair D'Antonio: Absent
Member Haddix: Yes
Member Jackson: Absent
Member Lemon: Yes
Member Preston: Yes
Member Shifrin: Absent
Member Walton: Absent
Chair Williams: Yes
Member Woods: Yes

The motion passed.

4) Action Item

Vote to Recuse Members from Budget Discussion & Recommendations Agenda Items

Due to a lack of voting quorum, this agenda item was taken after agenda item number five.

Chair Williams opened public comment. There were no in-person or over-the-phone public comments on this agenda item.

Member Haddix made a motion to recuse Member Jackson from agenda item number six. Member

Preston seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

Member D'Antonio: Absent
Member Haddix: Yes
Member Lemon: Yes
Member Preston: Yes
Member Shifrin: Absent
Member Walton: Absent
Chair Williams: Yes
Vice Chair Woods: Yes

The motion passed.

Member Haddix made a motion to recuse Member D'Antonio from agenda item number seven and eight. Vice Chair Woods seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

Member Haddix: Yes
Member Jackson: Absent
Member Lemon: Yes
Member Preston: Yes
Member Shifrin: Absent
Member Walton: Absent
Chair Williams: Yes
Vice Chair Woods: Yes

The motion passed.

The Committee did not vote on the recusal for Vice Chair Woods.

5) Discussion/Potential Action Item
OCOH Fund Budget Updates

This agenda item was taken before agenda item number four.

Radhika Mehlotra, Homelessness Policy Specialist at the SF Controller's Office (CON), provided an update on the [OCOH Fund Revenue Forecast](#) and the impacts of Proposition M.

Dylan Schneider, Interim Deputy Director of Administration and Finance at the Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing (HSH), responded to the Committee's questions from March 26, 2026 meeting. The discussion included information about the cabin programs, bridge housing for transitional-aged youth, and the shallow subsidy program.

Chair Williams opened public comment.

There were no in-person or over-the-phone public comments on this agenda item.

6) Action Item

Budget Discussion and Recommendation for Mental Health and Shelter and Hygiene Service Areas

This agenda item was taken after agenda item number eight.

Chair Williams opened public comment.

Faye M. provided in-person public comment. The speaker offered recommendations on how to replace the beds that were lost due to the recent closing of two non-congregate shelters (The Adante and The Monarch).

There were no over-the-phone public comments on this agenda item.

Chair Williams made a motion to invest \$8.9 million out of the Mental Health service area, in 154 Rapid Engagement Shelter and Treatment for Opioid Recovery (RESTORE) beds, expanding the current program, to ensure RESTORE beds for couples, single adults, and pregnant people. Member Haddix seconded the motion.

There was discussion among the Committee about the importance of restoring the beds that were lost due to the closures of the Adante and Monarch hotels.

Roll Call Vote:

Member D'Antonio: Absent
Member Haddix: Yes
Member Jackson: Absent/Recused
Member Lemon: Yes
Member Preston: Yes
Member Shifrin: Absent
Member Walton: Absent
Chair Williams: Yes
Vice Chair Woods: Yes

The motion passed.

7) Action Item

Budget Discussion and Recommendations for Homelessness Prevention Service Area

This agenda item was taken after agenda item number four.

Chair Williams opened public comment. There were no in-person or over-the-phone public comments on this agenda item.

Member Haddix made a motion to invest \$2.3 million in the prevention service area, to fund 100 slots of ongoing rental assistance to prevent seniors and people with disabilities from becoming homeless, effectively expanding this program within the Mayor's Office of Housing and Community Development (MOHCD). Member Lemon seconded the motion.

Roll Call Vote:

Member D'Antonio: Absent/Recused
Member Haddix: Yes
Member Jackson: Absent
Member Lemon: Yes
Member Preston: Yes
Member Shifrin: Absent
Member Walton: Absent
Chair Williams: Yes
Vice Chair Woods: Yes

The motion passed.

Member Preston made a motion to encourage the Mayor's Office to develop more outcome data within the Homelessness Prevention service area. Vice Chair Woods seconded the motion.

Chair Williams opened public comment. There were no in-person or over-the-phone public comments on this agenda item.

Roll Call Vote:

Member D'Antonio: Absent/Recused
Member Haddix: Yes
Member Jackson: Absent
Member Lemon: Yes
Member Preston: Yes
Member Shifrin: Absent
Member Walton: Absent
Chair Williams: Yes
Vice Chair Woods: Yes

The motion passed.

8) Action Item

Budget Discussion and Recommendations for Permanent Housing – TAY Service Area

Member Lemon expressed gratitude for the organizations and associations that work to inform the Committee members about the needs of the community, prior to the meetings.

Member Lemon made a motion to invest \$2.97 million of OCOH TAY housing funds, in flex pool subsidies, to serve approximately 100 youth. Member Haddix seconded the motion.

Chair Williams opened public comment. There were no in-person or over-the-phone public comments on this agenda item.

Roll Call Vote:

Member D'Antonio: Absent/Recused
Member Haddix: Yes
Member Jackson: Absent

Member Lemon: Yes
Member Preston: Yes
Member Shifrin: Absent
Member Walton: Absent
Chair Williams: Yes
Vice Chair Woods: Yes

The motion passed.

Chair Williams excused herself from the remainder of the meeting (due to a scheduling conflict) at approximately 10:39 am. Chair Williams turned over the Chair duties to Member Preston.

9) Action Item

Budget Discussion and Recommendations for Permanent Housing – Family and General Service Areas

Due to a lack of voting quorum, the Committee was unable to discuss this agenda item.

The meeting was subsequently adjourned at 10:39 am.

10) Discussion/Possible Action Item

Opportunity to propose future agenda items with discussion and possible action by the Committee

This item was not discussed.

11) **Adjourn**

Chair Williams adjourned the meeting at 10:39 am.

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