

# City of Oakland

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Oakland, California 94612*



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## **Agenda - DRAFT**

**Tuesday, April 8, 2025**

**1:30 PM**

**City Council Chamber, 3rd Floor**

### **\*Community & Economic Development Committee**

*City Hall, 1 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza,  
Oakland, California 94612*

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**• Action Item: shall mean any resolution, ordinance, public hearing, motion or recommendation requiring official vote and approval of the City Council to be effective.**

**• Informational Item: shall mean an agenda item consisting only of an informational report that does not require or permit Council action.**

**• Consent Item shall mean, for the purposes of the City Council agenda: 1) approval of Council minutes, and 2) any action or informational item placed on a Council agenda for a Regular Meeting or Special Meeting (i) as a Consent Item by the Rules and Legislation Committee, (ii) pursuant to Rule 28, or (iii) that a Standing Committee has forwarded to the full Council with unanimous recommendation for approval by the members who are present: Consent Item shall not include: 1) any item having a high level of public interest or controversy as determined by the Standing Committee Chair, or the Rules and Legislation Committee, or pursuant to Rule 28; 2) any item that requires a public hearing or that otherwise is ineligible by law as a Consent Item.**

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**Councilmember Janani Ramachandran Will Participate By Teleconference At: 1 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, Suite 220, Oakland, CA 94612**

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**COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP:**

*Councilmember Carroll Fife, District 3; Councilmember Janani Ramachandran, District 4;  
Councilmember Zac Unger, District 1; Chair Councilmember Rowena Brown, At-Large*

**Roll Call / Call To Order**

- 1 Approval Of The Draft Minutes From The Committee Meeting Of March 25, 2025  
[25-0585](#)
- 2 Determination Of Schedule Of Outstanding Committee Items  
[25-0586](#)
- 3 Subject: One-Year Contract Extension For Summer Youth Employment Program Providers For FY 25-26  
From: Economic And Workforce Development Department  
Recommendation: Adopt A Resolution Authorizing The City Administrator To (1) Apply For, Accept, And Appropriate Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000) In Grants And Contributions And To Accept And Appropriate Additional Funds That May Become Available For The Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP) And Services Of The Oakland Workforce Development Board For FY 2025-26 Without Returning To The City Council; And (2) Negotiate And Execute Grant Agreements For The 2025 SYEP Between The City Of Oakland And The Following Nonprofit Organizations: (A) Youth Employment Partnership In The Estimated Amount Of One Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$125,000); (B) Lao Family In The Estimated Amount Of One Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$125,000); And (C) Trybe Inc. The Estimated Amount Of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Seventy-Two Dollars (\$12,572)  
[25-0563](#)

**Sponsors:** Economic & Workforce Development Department

**Legislative History**

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Committee

Scheduled to the \*Community & Economic  
Development Committee

- 4** Subject: Homelessness Prevention Program Extension  
From: Housing And Community Development Department  
Recommendation: Adopt A Resolution Amending Resolution No. 90475 C.M.S., Which Authorized Funding For The Homeless Prevention Pilot Program Grant To Bay Area Community Services, Inc. (BACS) For A Total Amount Not To Exceed Four Million Dollars (\$4,000,000.00) And Grant Term Through June 30, 2026 To: (1) Extend The Grant Term To June 30, 2027; (2) Increase The Authorized Grant Amount To A Total Amount Not To Exceed Five Million Dollars (\$5,000,000.00) And Allocating Previously Budgeted Funds To BACS' Homeless Prevention Pilot Program; And (3) Authorize The City Administrator To Accept, Appropriate, And Further Increase The Grant Agreement Using Any State, Federal, Local, And/Or Private Funding That Becomes Available For Bacs' Homeless Prevention Pilot Program During The Term Of The Grant Agreement, Without Return To Council

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**Sponsors:** Housing And Community Development Department

**Legislative History**

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- 5** Subject: Amending Title 17 Of The Oakland Municipal Code (The Planning Code)  
From: Planning And Building Department  
Recommendation: Adopt An Ordinance As Recommended By The Planning Commission: (1) Amending Title 17 Of The Oakland Municipal Code (The Planning Code) To (A) Expand The Pedestrian-Oriented Activities Permitted In Chapter 17.101C (D-BV Broadway Valdez District Commercial Zones); (B) Clarify The Affordability Thresholds In Chapter 17.95 (S-13 Affordable Housing Combining Zone); (C) Revise The Required Minimum Densities, Including To Align With Base Zoning Districts, And To Clarify The Definition Of Development Project, In Chapter 17.96 (S-14 Housing Sites Combining Zone); And (D) Permit Artisan Production Commercial Activities And Institute The Central District Entertainment Venue Permit In Chapter 17.101G (D-LM Lake Merritt Station Area District Zones); (2) Amending The Planning Code To Incorporate Related Miscellaneous Changes To Chapters 17.95, 17.96, 17.101C, And 17.101G; And (3) Making Appropriate California Environmental Quality Act Findings

[25-0574](#)

**Sponsors:** Planning & Building Department

**Legislative History**

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*And On The April 14, 2025 Special City Council Agenda As A Public Hearing*

## Open Forum

## Adjournment

\* In the event of a quorum of the City Council participates on this Committee, the meeting is noticed as a Special Meeting of the City Council; however no final City Council action can be taken.

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