# COMMISSION FOR PUBLIC SOCIAL SERVICES

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## PSS COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA
## Thursday, October 15, 2026

**Location #1**: Exposition Park District
3833 South Vermont Avenue, 3rd Floor, Conference Room B,
Los Angeles, CA 90037

**Location #2**: ElHessen Home/Office
9433 Ives Street,
Bellflower, CA 90706

**Location #3**: Porter Ranch Library
11371 Tampa Avenue,
Porter Ranch, CA 91326

**Location #4**: Manhattan Beach Library
1320 Highland Avenue, Room B,
Manhattan Beach, CA 90266

**Location #5**: Andrade-Stadler Home/Office
2956 West Shorb Street,
Alhambra, CA 91803

## 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Agenda Posted: October 9, 2026

**THE PUBLIC MAY ATTEND VIRTUALLY, CALL-IN, OR IN PERSON.**
**VIRTUAL ACCESS THROUGH MICROSOFT TEAMS**
MEETING ID: **265 093 597 866 389**
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The opportunity for members of the public to provide comments to the Commission will be recognized virtually by call-in, email, and in person under item 7.0.

Written public comment can be submitted by email to PSS_Commission@dpss.lacounty.gov or by mail to:

Commission for Public Social Services
12851 Crossroads Parkway South, Room 5,
City of Industry, CA 91746
Attn: Miguel Barrios, Executive Director

Written public comments should be submitted no later than 5:00 p.m. the day before the scheduled meeting. Correspondence received shall become part of the official record.

**"To Enrich Lives Through Effective and Caring Service"**

**Commission for**
**Public Social Services** **AGENDA** **Thursday, October 15, 2026**

**1.0 CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL/ ESTABLISH A QUORUM/COUNTYWIDE LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

Summer McBride, Chairperson

**2.0 REVIEW AND APPROVE SEPTEMBER 17, 2026, MEETING MINUTES**

Summer McBride, Chairperson

**3.0 DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

Jackie Contreras, Ph. D., Director, Department of Public Social Services

**4.0 NEW BUSINESS**

Presentations:

Department of Homeless Services & Housing
Sarah Mahin, Director of the Department of Homeless Services & Housing

Connecting Benefits, Outreach and Housing Partnerships
Shawn Amiel, Division Chief, DPSS
Luther Evans, Division Chief, DPSS

The PSS Commission will receive a presentation on housing support programs. This item aligns with the commission's **Work Plan Goal #2**, which is to support the transformation of the GR and START programs by examining demographic gaps in services that affect living income and housing security.

**5.0 COMMISSION BUSINESS**

Miguel Barrios, Executive Director

- Draft PSS Commission Annual Report

**6.0 CHAIR'S REPORT**

Summer McBride, Chairperson

- Adopt-A-Family
- Commissioner Updates

**7.0 PUBLIC COMMENT**

Summer McBride, Chairperson

- Agenda Items: In-person / Virtual / Call-in
- Non-Agenda Items: In-person / Virtual / Call-in

**8.0 ADJOURNMENT**

Summer McBride, Chairperson

Next Meeting: Thursday, November 19, 2026
Start Time: 11:00 a.m.

**Supporting Documentation**: Supporting documentation is available at the Commission for Public Social Services Office, 12851 Crossroads Parkway South, Room 5, City of Industry, CA 91746, (562) 908-8669, and may be available on the Commission page: https://dpss.lacounty.gov/en/about/pss.html.

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