

**35th DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION
MERCED COUNTY FAIR**

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Board Meeting Notice

Posted: March 7, 2025

The 35th DAA Board of Directors will be holding their regular monthly meeting on **Wednesday, March 19, 2025**, in the

El Capitan Building (Rock House)

Meeting Schedule:

Finance Committee 2:40 p.m.

Board Meeting 3:00 p.m.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Mark Erreca, President, Vicky Banaga, Lori Gallo, Emily Haden,
Luis Lara, Mark Pazin, Kim Rogina, and Carol Silva

STAFF

Teresa Burrola, CEO

Richard Sandoval, Deputy Manager

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

While the Board values the participation of the public, the Board reserves the right to limit the time for public comment to a maximum of three (3) minutes per speaker in order to proceed with the agenda.

Public comment must be related to Open Meeting Laws for DAAs.

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The agenda and notices will also be available on the website at www.mercedcountyfair.com

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For more information concerning this meeting, contact:

The Fairgrounds office at (209) 722-1507

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FINANCE COMMITTEE

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CALL TO ORDER – BOARD CHAIR

ROLL CALL OF FINANCE COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Erreca ___ Haden ___ Lara ___ Pazin ___

PUBLIC COMMENT

BOARD REVIEW OF FINANCES

1. January 2025 Cash Expenditures and Payroll
2. Review of December 2024 Financial Reports
3. Review of the 2025 Operating Budget

ADJOURNMENT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

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CALL TO ORDER – BOARD CHAIR

FLAG SALUTE

ROLL CALL

Banaga ___ Erreca ___ Gallo ___ Haden ___ Lara ___ Pazin ___ Rogina ___ Silva ___

ROLL CALL VOTE

1. Declaration of Quorum
2. Approval of Absences February 12th and March 19th, 2025 meetings – Action Item - Board to approve any Board Member's Absence as excused or unexcused.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

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CONSENT AGENDA: (Discussion/Action by Board) All items on the consent agenda will be approved in one motion unless a board member requests separate action on a specific item.

1. Review & Approval of February 12, 2025, Board, Finance and Special Meeting Minutes
2. Review & Approval of February 2025 Cash Expenditures and Payroll
3. Review & Approval of January 2024 Financial Reports
4. Review & Approval of February 2025 Contracts/Rental Agreements

REPORTS AND INFORMATION: (Informational)

1. CEO Report
2. Friends of the Merced County Fair Report

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MATTERS OF INFORMATION: (Informational)

1. Correspondence

COMMITTEE REPORTS: (Discussion/Action by Board)

1. Auction Committee Meeting

NEW BUSINESS (Discussion/Action by Board)

1. Update and action, if needed, regarding the CDFA State Veterinary ban on Dairy and Poultry Shows at Fairgrounds.
2. Buckle Awards – Ordering poultry and dairy without the year.

OLD BUSINESS: (Discussion/Action by Board)

1. Resiliency Project – Update
2. Approval of 2025 Operating Budget – Action Item
3. Update Friends Helping Friends

CLOSED SESSION

1. Personnel: CEO Recruitment (Gov. Code § 11126)

OPEN SESSION

CLOSING COMMENTS

1. Director's Closing Comments
2. CEO's Closing Comments

TOPICS FOR THE NEXT AGENDA

1. Agenda Items for discussion and/or action to be listed on the next regularly scheduled board meeting agenda.
2. Next Board Meeting(s): **Wednesday, April 16, 2025**

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