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**Minutes
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Commission

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City of Sacramento
Sacramento Children's Fund Planning and Oversight Commission

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Regular Meeting Minutes
Thursday, November 6, 2025
10:00 AM

Open Session

Regular meeting called to order by Chair Ruelas Mares at 10:06 a.m. on Thursday, November 6, 2025, at the Sacramento City Hall Council Chamber.

Commissioners Present: Ghafari, Kravitz-Wirtz, Richardson, Thomas, and Chair Ruelas Mares.

Commissioners Absent: Volcy and Williams.

Land Acknowledgement – Led by Chair Ruelas Mares.

Pledge of Allegiance – Led by Chair Ruelas Mares.

Consent Calendar

All items listed under the Consent Calendar are considered and acted upon by one Motion.

Action: Moved/Seconded: Commissioner Kravitz-Wirtz / Commissioner Thomas.

Yes: Commissioners Ghafari, Kravitz-Wirtz, Richardson, Thomas, and Chair Ruelas Mares.

Absent: Commissioners Volcy and Williams.

A motion **passed** to adopt the Consent Calendar in one motion except as indicated at each item.

1. Approval of Sacramento Children's Fund Planning and Oversight Commission Meeting Minutes

File ID: 2025-00168

Location: Citywide

Action: Passed a **Motion** approving Sacramento Children's Fund Planning and Oversight Commission Regular Meeting Minutes dated August 7, 2025.

Contact: Jacob Bredberg, Administrative Analyst, (916) 808-6846, jbredberg@cityofsacramento.org; Saphire Xiong, Deputy City Clerk, (916) 808-7098, sxiong@cityofsacramento.org; Office of the City Clerk

2. Sacramento Children's Fund Planning and Oversight Commission Follow-Up Log

File ID: 2025-00452

Location: Citywide

Action: Passed a **Motion** approving the Sacramento Children's Fund Planning and Oversight Commission Follow-Up Log.

Contact: Rene Kausin, Program Manager, (916) 808-6157, rkausin@cityofsacramento.org, Youth, Parks, and Community Enrichment Department

3. Sacramento Children's Fund Annual Report FY2024/2025

File ID: 2025-01854

Location: Citywide

Action: Received and filed.

Contact: Julie Garen, Program Specialist, (916) 808-1531, jgaren@cityofsacramento.org, Youth, Parks, and Community Enrichment Department

Discussion Calendar

4. Sacramento Children's Fund Implementation Update and Guaranteed Basic Income NOFO

File ID: 2025-01851

Location: Citywide

Members of the public provided public comments.

Action: Reviewed and commented.

Contact: Julie Garen, Program Specialist, (916) 808-1531,

jgaren@cityofsacramento.org, Youth, Parks, and Community Enrichment Department

5. Sacramento Children's Fund Planning and Oversight Commission - DRAFT Community Engagement Plan

File ID: 2025-01855

Location: Citywide

Action: Reviewed and commented.

Contact: Julie Garen, Program Specialist, (916) 808-1531,

jgaren@cityofsacramento.org, Youth, Parks, and Community Enrichment Department

Commissioner Comments – Ideas and Questions

Members of the Commission provided comments.

Public Comments-Matters Not on the Agenda

Members of the public provided public comments.

Adjourned – 11:57 a.m.

This is to certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes of November 6, 2025, as approved by the Sacramento Children's Fund Planning and Oversight Commission.

Jacob Bredberg
Jacob Bredberg (Feb 6, 2026 09:06:46 PST)

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