

**APPROVED**

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE OPERATIONS OVERSIGHT  
COMMITTEE AND BOARD OF RETIREMENT\*

LOS ANGELES COUNTY EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION

300 N. LAKE AVENUE, SUITE 810, PASADENA, CA 91101

12:30 P.M. – 12:50 P.M., WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2023

This meeting was conducted by the Operations Oversight  
Committee both in person and by teleconference under California  
Government Code Section 54953(f)

COMMITTEE TRUSTEES

PRESENT: Alan Bernstein, Chair (In-Person)  
Herman B. Santos, Vice Chair (In-Person)  
Antonio Sanchez, Trustee (In-Person)  
Jason E. Green, Alternate Trustee (In-Person)

ABSENT: Keith Knox, Trustee

OTHER BOARD OF RETIREMENT TRUSTEES

Elizabeth Ginsberg, Alternate Ex-Officio (In-Person)  
Vivian H. Gray, Trustee (In-Person)  
Shawn R. Kehoe, Trustee (In-Person)  
Les Robbins, Chair (Teleconference Due to Just  
Cause under Section 54953(f))

STAFF, ADVISORS AND PARTICIPANTS

Santos H. Kreimann, Chief Executive Officer

Luis Lugo, Deputy Chief Executive Officer

JJ Popowich, Assistant Executive Officer

Laura Guglielmo, Assistant Executive Officer

Steven P. Rice, Chief Counsel

Chaitanya Errande, Information Security Officer

Kathy Delino, Chief, Information Technology

I. CALL TO ORDER

This meeting was called to order by Chair Bernstein at 12:30 p.m. In the absence of Trustee Knox, the Chair announced that Trustee Green, as the alternate, would be a voting member of the Committee.

II. PROCEDURE FOR TELECONFERENCE MEETING ATTENDANCE UNDER AB 2449, California Government Code Section 54953(f)

A. Just Cause

B. Action on Emergency Circumstance Requests

C. Statement of Persons Present at AB 2449 Teleconference Locations

A physical quorum was present at the noticed meeting location. There was one request received from Trustee Robbins related to Just Cause (C) due to physical disability. Trustee Robbins confirmed there were no individuals 18 years or older present at the teleconference location. No requests were received for Emergency Circumstances (B).

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. Approval of the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of August 2, 2023

Trustee Santos made a motion, Trustee Sanchez seconded, to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of August 2, 2023. The motion passed by the following roll call vote:

Yes: Santos, Sanchez, Green

No: None

Abstain: Bernstein

Absent: Knox

IV. PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no requests from the public to speak.

V. REPORTS

A. **LACERA Operations Briefing**

Luis A. Lugo, Deputy Chief Executive Officer  
JJ Popowich, Assistant Executive Officer  
Laura Guglielmo, Assistant Executive Officer  
(For Information Only)

The Executive team presented the monthly briefing and was available to answer questions from the Committee. This item was received and filed.

VI. ITEMS FOR STAFF REVIEW

(This item summarizes requests and suggestions by individual trustees during the meeting for consideration by staff. These requests and suggestions do not constitute approval or formal action by the Board, which can only be made separately by motion on an agenda item at a future meeting.)

There was nothing to report.

VII. ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS

(This item provides an opportunity for trustees to identify items to be included on a future agenda as permitted under the Board's Regulations.)

There was nothing to report.

VIII. GOOD OF THE ORDER

(For Information Purposes Only)

There was nothing to report.

IX. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Committee, the meeting was adjourned at 12:50 p.m.

**\*The Board of Retirement has adopted a policy permitting any member of the Board to attend a standing committee meeting open to the public. In the event five or more members of the Board of Retirement (including members appointed to the Committee) are in attendance, the meeting shall constitute a joint meeting of the Committee and the Board of Retirement. Members of the Board of Retirement who are not members of the Committee may attend and participate in a meeting of a Board Committee but may not vote on any matter discussed at the meeting. The only action the Committee may take at the meeting is approval of a recommendation to take further action at a subsequent meeting of the Board.**