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Regular Meeting

ORANGE COUNTY CAMPAIGN FINANCE AND ETHICS COMMISSION

Monday, October 27, 2025, 1:30 P.M.

Conference Room

1300 S. Grand Avenue, Building B, 2nd Floor
Santa Ana, California 92705

Dr. Reza Karkia

Chairman
First District

Judson Brown

Vice Chair
Second District

William Halle

Commissioner
Third District

Judge Franz Miller (Ret.)

Commissioner
Fourth District

James Lawson

Commissioner
Fifth District

Denah Hoard

Executive Director

James Steinmann

County Counsel

Jasmine Mo

Recording Secretary

Meeting called to order at 1:30 P.M.

A. ROLL CALL

Present – Vice Chair J. Brown, Commissioner F. Miller, Commissioner W. Halle, Commissioner Lawson

Present – Staff: D. Hoard, J. Steinmann, J. Mo

Absent – Chairman R. Karkia

B. PUBLIC COMMENTS:

None

C. CONSENT CALENDAR:

1. Approval of Minutes from meeting held on July 28, 2025

Motion: Commissioner Miller

Second: Commissioner Halle

Ayes: Unanimous

D. DISCUSSION ITEMS:

2. Review and approve transmittal of 2025 Third Quarter Report to the Board of Supervisors.

Public Comment: Shirley Grindle – Compliments to the Office for the audits

Motion: Commissioner Lawson

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Second: Commissioner Miller
Ayes: Unanimous

3. Review and give direction to Executive Director regarding the transmittal of 2025 Annual Report to the Board of Supervisors

Public Comment: Shirley Grindle – Impressed with the new report format

Motion to amend the report to add that work continues to improving the Code of the Ethics:

Vice Chair Brown

Second: Commissioner Lawson

Ayes: Unanimous

4. Review and approve 2026 and January 2027 Commission meeting dates and times

Motion: Commissioner Lawson

Second: Commissioner Miller

Ayes: Unanimous

E. ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS or PRESENTATIONS:

5. Executive Director Update: office construction, auditing procedure presentation

F. COMMISSION COMMENTS and NEW BUSINESS:

Vice Chair Brown gives thanks on behalf of the Commission to Shirley Grindle for her dedication.

G. ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting adjourned at 2:15 P.M.