



Rancho Bernardo Community Planning Board
 12463 Rancho Bernardo Road #523, San Diego, CA 92198
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Thursday January 15, 2026 at 6:30pm

Meeting Agenda

In Person: Seven Oaks Community Center 16789 Bernardo Oaks Drive, San Diego, CA 92128

2026 RB PLANNING BOARD									
P = present		A = absent			ARC = arrived after roll call				
Robin Kaufman		June Smith		Steve Dow		James Nadlonek			
Benjamin Wier		Vicki Touchstone		Rebecca Rapp					
Gary Long		Hugh Rothman		Sujata Yellaepeddi					
								Total Seated	10
								Total in Attendance	

ITEM #1 **Call to Order/Roll Call:**

ITEM #2 **Chair Remarks**

ITEM #3 **Non-agenda public comment (3 minutes per speaker):** To discuss items not on the agenda, yet within the jurisdiction of the RB Planning Board. Board members should limit discussion of non-agenda items so as not to detract from the time available for agenda items.

ITEM #4 **Government Staff Reports:** **Information Item**
 Various government staff have an opportunity to present updates to the Board.

ITEM #5 **Administrative Items:** **Action Items**
 a. Approve November 2025 Meeting Minutes:
 b. Approve Treasurer’s Report:

ITEM #6 **2026 Land Development Code (LDC) Update** **Action Item**
 The Planning Department has released its list of proposed changes to the Land Development Code. Comments are due by January 19, 2026. There are 10 changes intended to align policy with climate, equity, or housing goals, 22 clarifications, 31 changes needed to comply with State law, 20 corrections, and 24 items related to regulatory reform. The Board will review the recommendations of the Regional Issues Committee, information provided by a CPC subcommittee, and any additional comments that board members would like to provide.
 The complete list of proposed amendments to the Land Development Code can be viewed at : <https://www.sandiego.gov/planning/work/land-development-code/updates-in-process>.

ITEM #7 **Update from Election Committee** **Action Item**
 Election committee to give an update on the status of the upcoming elections. Election committee asking for approval on needed expenditures.

ITEM #8 **Update to the RBCPG Bylaws** **Action Item**
 Verbiage update to our bylaws regarding attendance for eligibility to become a member.

ITEM #9 **Hats Off to Volunteers** **Action Item**
The RBCPB needs to select a member to be recognized for the 2026 recipient.

ITEM #10 **Sub-Committee Reports:** **Information Item**
Development Review..... Benjamin Wier
Regional Issues..... Vicki Touchstone
Traffic & Transportation.....James Nadlonek

ITEM #11 **Liaison Reports:** **Information Item**
Community Council.....Robin Kaufman (Report Attached)
Community Planners Committee (CPC).....Vicki Touchstone
Community Recreation Group (CRG).....Robin Kaufman (Report Attached)
SANDAG..... Steve Dow
San Dieguito River ParkVicki Touchstone
San Pasqual/Lake Hodges Planning Group..... Gary Long
Commercial Representative

ITEM #12 **OLD BUSINESS ITEM:**

ITEM #13 **NEW BUSINESS:**

ADJOURNMENT:

Rancho Bernardo Community Council report Via Robin Kaufman

In December:

- the Council approved the 2027 Fiscal Year (FY) Maintenance Assessment District budget
- the Council approved the 20226 new student members
- the Council approved a website ad hoc committee
- the Council approved an election ad hoc committee
- the Council reviewed details for the Zone Zero presentation being given on January 17th
- the Council reviewed details for the holiday carnival event held on December 13th

In January:

- the Council approved the Hats Off To Volunteers recipient (Matt Greco)
- The Council appointed volunteers to assist in obtaining donations for the 16th annual chalk it up event in May
- The Council approved purchases for next year's holiday carnival event (while they are on sale)
- The Council discussed final details for the Zone Zero presentation it is offering to the public on January 17th
- The Council was given an update on the annual earth day fair scheduled for April 11th
- The Council was given an update on the elections
- The Council was given an update on the website ad hoc

Rancho Bernardo Community Recreation report:

The board meets on odd months of the year when there are agenda items. It did not meet in December. The next meeting is scheduled for January 21st.