

REGULAR MEETING NOTICE

35th District Agricultural Association/Merced County Fair
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Notice to Public: January 27, 2021

MEETING NOTICE

The 35TH DAA Board of Directors will be holding their regular monthly fair board meeting in the Fairgrounds Administration Office Board Room on

Monday, March 8, 2021

Meeting Schedule:

Finance Committee 2:30 p.m.

Board Meeting 3:00 p.m.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Carol Silva (President), Kim Rogina (First Vice President), Vicky Banaga (Second Vice President)
Mark Erreca, Lori Gallo, Flip Hassett, Emily Haden, Luis Lara and Mark Pazin

STAFF

Teresa Burrola, CEO

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Members of the public are welcome and may place items on the agenda of any board meeting. The items must be directly related to fair (35th DAA) district business. Request for placement must be made in writing and delivered to the fair office no later than 5:00 p.m. on the twelfth (12th) business day prior to the board meeting. Items placed on the agenda by the public will be for information and discussion so that the board may be advised of the views of the community. While the board values the participation of the public, the board president reserves the right to limit the time for public comment to a maximum of five (5) minutes per speaker in order to proceed with the agenda of the day and/or to place the item on the agenda (as an action item) of a subsequent meeting. Pursuant to the American with Disabilities Act, individuals who, because of a disability, need special assistance to attend or participate in any 35th District Agricultural Association Board or Committee meetings, or in connection with other Merced County Fair activities, may request assistance at the Merced County Fair Office, 900 Martin Luther King Jr Way, Merced, CA or by calling (209) 722-1506. Requests should be made one (1) week in advance whenever possible. As required, Meeting Notice & Agenda are posted at www.mercedcountyfair.com. For additional information, contact the Merced County Fair at info@mercedcountyfair.com or (209) 722-1507.

MEETING AGENDA

All matters noticed on the agenda, in any category, may be considered for action. Any item not so noticed may not be considered/discussed. Items listed on the agenda may be considered in any order at the discretion of the President.

- A. **CALL TO ORDER:**
- B. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**
- C. **ROLL CALL OF DIRECTORS:**
- D. **INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS & STAFF:**

MISSION STATEMENT

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- E. **CONSENT AGENDA:** *(Discussion/Action by Board)* All items on the consent agenda are to be approved in one motion unless a board member requests separate action on a specific item.
1. Review & Approval of February 9, 2021 Meeting Minutes
 2. Review & Approval of February 2021 Cash Expenditures
 3. Review & Approval of February 2021 Financial Reports
 4. Review & Approval of February 2021 Contracts/Rental Agreements
- F. **COMMUNITY RELATIONS/PUBLIC COMMENT:** Public comment is a right granted to the public. It is reserved for items that are not listed on the agenda, but under this Board's jurisdiction. Please be informed that public participation under Public Comment will be limited to five (5) minutes per speaker, with a maximum of twenty minutes to each subject, unless extended by the Chairperson and in accordance with state law, the Board will not comment or otherwise consider such Public Comment item for business until and unless such item has been properly noticed at a future meeting. Public comments on items listed elsewhere on the agenda will be heard as that item is being considered.
- G. **REPORTS AND INFORMATION:** *(Informational)*
1. Correspondence:
 2. Committee Reports: None
 3. CEO Report:
 - a. PPP Loan Forgiveness
 - b. Shutter Venue Grant
 - c. California Fairs Alliance
 - d. Other Information
 4. Friends of the Merced County Fair Report
- H. **OLD BUSINESS:** *(Discussion/Action by Board)*
1. Merced Pavilion Project – Update
- I. **NEW BUSINESS:** *(Discussion/Action by Board)*
1. Status of the 2021 Merced County Fair
- J. **MATTERS OF INFORMATION:** *(Informational)* No discussion/debate on topics introduced under the Matters of Information will be permitted. No action will be taken on such comment at this time, as law requires formal public notice prior to any action on an agenda item.
1. Director Comments
 2. Next Board Meeting Information:
 - a. Regular Board Meeting April 12, 2021
 - b. Agenda Items: Items for discussion and/or action to be listed on the next regularly scheduled board meeting agenda.
- L. **ADJOURNMENT:**

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2021 Meeting and Holiday Calendar

Board Meetings	Holidays – Office Closure
January 11, 2021 - Regular Board Meeting	January 1, 2021 - New Year's Day
February 8, 2021 - Regular Board Meeting	January 18, 2021 - Martin Luther King Jr
March 8, 2021 - Regular Board Meeting	February 15, 2021 - President's Day
April 12, 2021 - Regular Board Meeting	March 31, 2021 - Cesar Chavez Day
May 10, 2021 - Regular Board Meeting	May 31, 2021 - Memorial Day
No June Regular Board Meeting	July 4, 2021 - Independence Day – Office closed July 5th
June 9-13, 2021 - Annual Fair and (if needed) Special Board Meetings	September 6, 2021 - Labor Day
June 21, 2021 - Board Meeting, Fair Critique	November 11, 2021 - Veterans Day
July 12, 2021 – Regular Board Meeting	November 25-26, 2021 – Thanksgiving
August 9, 2021 - Regular Board Meeting	December 25, 2021, Christmas – Office Closed December 20, 2021 to December 25, 2021
September 13, 2021 - Regular Board Meeting	
October 11, 2021 - Regular Board Meeting	
November 8, 2021 - Regular Meeting*	
December 13, 2021 - Regular Meeting and Annual Meetings	

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