

**35th DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION
MERCED COUNTY FAIR**

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Livestock/Small Animal/Horse & Auction Committee Meeting Notice

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**The 35th DAA Board of Directors will be holding a combined committee meeting in the El Capitan building on:
Tuesday, November 4, 2025, at 4:00 PM**

BOARD COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Auction Committee: Chair Carol Silva, Eric Bianchi, Stephanie Dietz, Emily Haden, Andy Fagundes, Jaime Farao, Barbara Matheron, Dave McComb, Mark Pazin, Doreen Snyder, Cody Jacobsen, Jennifer Oshana

Livestock Committee: Chair Emily Haden, Vicky Banaga, Kim Rogina

Small Animal & Horse Committee: Chair Lori Gallo, Mark Pazin, Carol Silva

STAFF

John Allgaier, CEO

Richard Sandoval, Deputy Manager

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

While the Board values public participation, it reserves the right to limit public comment to a maximum of three (3) minutes per speaker in order to proceed with the agenda. Public comment must be related to Open Meeting Laws for DAAs. All meeting notices, agendas, and materials considered by the Board will be available during the meeting. The agenda and notices will also be available on the website at www.mercedcountyfair.com

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Those persons wishing to attend the meeting and who may require special accommodations pursuant to the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act are requested to contact the Fair Office at (209) 722-1507

For more information concerning this meeting, contact: **The Fairgrounds office at (209) 722-1507**

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MEETING AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER – BOARD MEMBERS

Banaga___ Erreca___ Gallo___ Haden___ Lara___ Pazin___ Rogina___ Silva ___

ROLL CALL OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS

PUBLIC COMMENT:

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MATTERS OF INFORMATION: (Informational)

NEW BUSINESS (Discussion/Recommendations by Committee)

1. Review Livestock Judging and Sale Schedule.
2. Recommendations for 2026 Judges
3. Review Awards including timeliness of distribution of awards.
4. Review and recommend changes for Exhibitor Handbook 2026 if needed.
 - a. Beef
 - b. Dairy
 - c. Dairy Goat
 - d. Meat Goat
 - e. Sheep
 - f. Swine
 - g. General Show Rules
 - h. Code of Conduct Protocol
5. Review participant release and waiver of liability agreement form(s).
6. Review testing protocol(s).
7. Review livestock barn(s) security.
8. Review on-site Veterinarian schedule.
9. Review entry fees rates and proposed auction commission changes.

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OLD BUSINESS: (Discussion/Recommendations by Committee)

CLOSING COMMENTS: (Discussion/Recommendations by Committee)

TOPICS FOR THE NEXT AGENDA

1. Agenda Items for discussion and/or recommendations for the next Combined Committee meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

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