

Tehama County

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Meeting Minutes

Monday, March 23, 2026

8:30 AM

Board Chambers

Transportation Commission

Chairman: Jim Bacquet Vice-Chairman: Patrick Hurton
Commissioners: Rob Burroughs, Matt Hansen, Tom Walker, Dave Demo

Tom Provine, Interim Executive Director
Jessica Riske-Gomez, Deputy Director

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Standing Items

1. Call to Order / Pledge of Allegiance / Introductions

The meeting of the Tehama County Transportation Commission was called to order at 8:34 AM.

Present: Chairperson Jim Bacquet, Commissioner Matt Hansen, Vice Chair Patrick Hurton, Commissioner Dave Demo, Commissioner Rob Burroughs, and Commissioner Tom Walker

3. Announcement of Agenda Corrections

There were no announcements of agenda corrections.

4. Announcements

The announcements were read by Vice Chair Hurton.

Regular Items

5. Monthly Staff Report - Deputy Director Riske Gomez

An update was provided by Deputy Director Riske-Gomez speaking on the Rio and Walnut construction project, the Carb zero emission bus exemption request, and the efforts seeking a multi year exemption. Tom Provine commended TCTC for taking over the phone lines for TRAX to allow them to attend a celebration of life. Commissioner Hansen commented that he felt the board should be updated regarding recent record requests surrounding the accident involving a TRAX bus.

2. Public Comment

Scott Miller, Director of Public Works for Red Bluff provided an update regarding

projects within Red Bluff. Probation is also going to begin their clean up efforts to prepare for the Red Bluff Fair.

6. Approval of Minutes - Associate Transportation Planner Houghtby

Waive the reading and approve the minutes from the February 23, 2026 Tehama County Transportation Commission regular meeting.

RESULT: APPROVE

MOVER: Dave Demo

SECONDER: Jim Bacquet

AYES: Chairperson Bacquet, Commissioner Hansen, Vice Chair Hurton, Commissioner Demo, Commissioner Burroughs, and Commissioner Walker

7. Approval of Claims - Accountant Jensen

Approve Tehama County Transportation Commission claims for February 2026, in the amount of \$1,114,048.44.

RESULT: APPROVE

MOVER: Tom Walker

SECONDER: Matt Hansen

AYES: Chairperson Bacquet, Commissioner Hansen, Vice Chair Hurton, Commissioner Demo, Commissioner Burroughs, and Commissioner Walker

8. Transfer of Funds - Local Transportation Funds - Accountant Jensen

Authorize Chairman to sign the Increase of Funds Request of \$260,000 from Local Transportation Fund (LTF) 50710-55628 (Cont. to TRAX) to Admin 527-3033-53230 (Prof. Special Services) \$200,000, to Admin 527-3033-53290 (Employee Travel/Training) \$20,000, and to TRAX 117-3037-53170 (Maintenance of Equipment) \$40,000; to cover current and future expenses.

RESULT: APPROVE

MOVER: Matt Hansen

SECONDER: Dave Demo

AYES: Chairperson Bacquet, Commissioner Hansen, Vice Chair Hurton, Commissioner Demo, Commissioner Burroughs, and Commissioner Walker

9. SB 125 Program Amendment - Deputy Director Riske-Gomez

a.) Adopt Resolution No. 02-2026 approving an amendment to the previously adopted SB 125 transit program funding allocation to support TRAX transit

operations stabilization; and

- b.) Authorize the Deputy Director to process and submit all required documentation to the California State Transportation Agency (CalSTA) and any other relevant agencies necessary to implement the approved SB 125 program amendment.

Commissioner Hansen commented that he is not a fan of taking funding off Capital projects to fund Operations. Commissioner Walker asked if staff have considered reinstating the fare for rides.

RESULT: APPROVE
MOVER: Matt Hansen
SECONDER: Tom Walker
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10. Items for Future Agenda

Deputy Director Riske-Gomez advised that there will be a Lake California Drive Presentation at next months TCTC meeting.

11. Closing Comments

Commissioner Walker thanked staff for all their hard work.

12. Adjourn

With no further business the meeting was adjourned at 8:57 AM.

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