

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
CALIFORNIA TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES COMMITTEE

Minutes of Meeting
Monday, November 17, 2025
Hosted on Webex

ATTENDEES

Voting Members Present (7 Total):

- Robert Bronkall, County Engineers Association of California (CEAC), Humboldt County Public Works (Chair)
- Robert Scharf, CEAC, Los Angeles County Public Works
- Bryan Jones, Caltrans Active Transportation (CAT), City of Menifee
- Mahmoud Zahriya, American Automobile Association of Northern California, Nevada & Utah (AAA-N)
- Jason Welday, League of California Cities (LOCC), City of Rancho Cucamonga (Vice Chair)
- Marianne Kim, American Automobile Association of Southern California (AAA-S)
- Shaila Chowdhury, Caltrans Headquarters (HQ)

Voting Members Absent (3 Total):

- Pratyush Bhatia, LOCC, City of Dublin (Vice Chair)
- Mike Sallaberry, CAT, San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency
- Lt. Kirk Bailor, California Highway Patrol (CHP)

Alternate Members Present (3 Total):

- Melainie Boyack, CHP
- Virendra Patel, LOCC
- Tony Powers, CAT

Alternate Members Absent (7 Total):

- Tim Chang, AAA-S
- Michelle Donati, AAA-N
- Andrew Maximous, LOCC
- Richard Moorehead, CEAC
- Rock Miller, CAT, Rock E. Miller & Associates
- Mike Mally, Caltrans HQ
- Wei Zhu, CEAC

Committee Staff:

- Timothy Kong, Caltrans HQ, CTCDC Secretary
- Jaime Sanchez, Caltrans HQ, Alternate CTCDC Secretary
- Ejaz Shaikh, Caltrans HQ
- Johnny Bhullar, Caltrans HQ, CA MUTCD Editor

Presenters:

- Mario Lozano-Cisneros, Caltrans
- Timothy Kong, Caltrans

Public Speakers:

None

ORGANIZATION ITEMS

1. Introduction

Vice Chair Welday opened the meeting at 9:00 a.m. The CTCDC members introduced themselves followed by Alternate Members.

2. Membership

Shaila Chowdhury has replaced Amjad Obeid as the Caltrans Voting Member.

3. Approval of Previous Meetings' Minutes

MOTION: Mr. Scharf made a motion to approve the October 14, 2025, October 21, 2025, and October 28, 2025, CTCDC Meeting Minutes. Mr. Jones seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously, with Chair Bronkall and Ms. Chowdhury abstaining, and Mr. Powers abstaining for the 10/14/25 Meeting Minutes.

4. Public Comments

There was no public comment.

5. Active Experiments

No active experiments were presented.

AGENDA ITEMS

6. Public Hearing

6a. Consent Items (minor discussion with vote expected)

None

6b. Action Items (Continuing or new items with vote expected)

25-08: CA MUTCD 2026, Part 2 (Signs)

Comment:

2M, the last chapter of Part 2 was discussed. Caltrans included their responses to CTCDC comments from the 11/6/25 CTCDC meeting in the agenda item report.

MOTION: Chair Bronkall made a motion to recommend Caltrans to finalize CA MUTCD 2026 Part 2M titled "RECREATIONAL AND CULTURAL INTEREST AREA SIGNS". Mr. Scharf seconded the motion. The Motion passed unanimously.

25-17: CA MUTCD 2026, Cover

Comments:

Mr. Kong - What we are presenting today is our first draft. We are working with our public relations team and the CA MUTCD topic owners to refine the look of the cover and ensure its compliance with the new CA MUTCD 2026.

MOTION: Chair Bronkall made a motion to approve the CA MUTCD 2026 draft cover and any alterations that Caltrans may deem necessary. Mr. Jones seconded the motion. The Motion passed unanimously.

6c. Informational Items (Continuing or new items that may be brought back as an Action Item in a future meeting)

None.

6d. Word Message Sign Items

None.

6e. Experimentation Items

None.

CONCLUDING ITEMS

7. Upcoming Meetings

- 12/4/25 - Special meeting to wrap up all the CA MUTCD 2026 work that has been done. Committee agreed to move this meeting to January (date TBD, Caltrans will coordinate and confirm date).
- Comment - Chair Bronkall and Mr. Jones suggested that Caltrans include a note for users of the manual to make Caltrans aware of any inconsistencies.

- Mr. Kong commented that there is now an alternate CTCDC Secretary, Jaime Sanchez. When sending correspondence to the CTCDC Secretary, also cc Jaime Sanchez.

8. Adjourn

Vice Chair Welday adjourned the meeting at 9:20 a.m.