



LEGISLATIVE ACTION COMMITTEE MEETING

August 13, 2026

North Bay Conference Room (Room 145), Sunnyvale City Hall
456 W. Olive Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA 94086

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WELCOME & CALL TO ORDER (Moore)

Chair Moore called the meeting to order at 5:40pm.

ROLL CALL (Moore)

Board Members Present (9 with 3 members arriving late):

Rob Moore (Chair, Los Gatos), Anne Bybee (Campbell), Liang Chao (Cupertino), Rajiv Bhateja (Los Altos Hills), Carmen Montano (Milpitas), Ken Toren (arrived at 5:54pm, Monte Sereno), Mark Turner (Remote/Morgan Hill), Ellen Kamei (arrived at 6:01pm, Mountain View), Vicki Veenker (arrived at 5:58pm, Palo Alto), Kelly Cox (Santa Clara), Tina Walia (Saratoga), Charlsie Chang (Sunnyvale)

Board Members Absent (3):

Kelly Ramirez (Gilroy), Meadows (Los Altos), Casey (San Jose),

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None

1. Consent Agenda (Action)

Recommendation: Review and approve minutes of the Legislative Action

Committee Meeting held on May 14, 2026.

Turner/Walia moved to approve minutes of the Legislative Action Committee Meeting held on May 14, 2026

Ayes: Moore, Bybee, Chao, Bhateja, Montano, Turner, Cox, Chang, Walia

Noes: None

Abstentions: None

Absent: Ramirez, Meadows, Casey, Toren, E. Kamei, Veenker

Motion Passed: 9:0:0:6



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2. Chair Update (Information)

Recommendation: Receive update from Chair Rob Moore.

3. Early Bill Review (Discussion and Potential Action)

Recommendation: Share early bills and discuss any potential action to recommend to the Board of Directors.

a. SB 936 (Blakespear): Nitrous oxide: sales. (support)

Turner/Bybee moved to support SB 936

Ayes: Moore, Bybee, Chao, Bhateja, Montano, Turner, Cox, Chang, Walia

Noes: None

Abstentions: None

Absent: Ramirez, Meadows, Casey, Toren, E. Kamei, Veenker

Motion Passed: 9:0:0:6

b. SB 758 (Umberg): Public health: nitrous oxide. (support)

Turner/Montano moved to support SB 758

Ayes: Moore, Bybee, Chao, Bhateja, Montano, Turner, Cox, Chang, Walia

Noes: None

Abstentions: None

Absent: Ramirez, Meadows, Casey, Toren, E. Kamei, Veenker

Motion Passed: 9:0:0:6

c. SB 1370 (Stern): Covered wildfire mitigation projects. (no position)

Turner/Bhateja moved to take no position on SB 1370

Ayes: Moore, Bhateja, Montano, Turner, Cox,

Noes: None

Abstentions: Bybee, Veenker, Chao, Meadows, Chang, Walia,

Absent: Ramirez, Casey, Meadows

Motion Passed: 6:0:6:3

d. SB 1125 (Menjivar): Water Rate Assistance Program (no action)

No action

e. AB 387 (Alanis): Nevaeh Youth Sports Safety Act. (watch)

E. Kamei/Turner moved to watch AB 387

Ayes: Moore, Bybee, Chao, Bhateja, Montano, Turner, Cox, Chang, Walia, Meadows, Toren, Veenker



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Noes: None

Abstentions: None

Absent: Ramirez, Casey, Meadows

Motion Passed: 12:0:0:3

f. SB 1117 (Cervantes): Accessory dwelling units and junior accessory dwelling units.

Turner/Montano moved to oppose SB 1117

Ayes: Moore, Bybee, Chao, Bhateja, Montano, Turner, Cox, Chang, Walia, Toren

Noes: None,

Abstentions: E. Kamei, Veenker

Absent: Ramirez, Casey, Meadows

Motion Passed: 10:0:2:3

4. Propose Bills to Consider for Discussion at Next LAC Meeting (Action)

Chair Moore adjourned the meeting at 6:43pm.

Minutes respectfully submitted by: Pamela Wu, CASC Interim Executive Director

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