

# REGULAR MEETING INVESTMENT OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE AND AUDIT OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

Thursday, August 21, 2025, 10:30 A.M.

County Administration South County Conference Center 601 N. Ross St., Room 104/106

#### **Committee Members**

Fifth District Representative, Chair

Yvonne Rowden

Second District Representative, Vice Chair Tim Johnson, CPA

First District Representative Drew Atwater

Third District Representative Mark Wille, CPA

Fourth District Representative Larry Himmel

Board of Supervisors Chair Supervisor Doug Chaffee

Board of Supervisors Vice Chair Supervisor Katrina Foley

County Executive Officer Michelle Aguirre

County Superintendent of Schools

Dr. Stefan Bean (IOC Member Only)

Representative

#### **Non-Voting Members**

Auditor-Controller Andrew Hamilton, CPA

Treasurer-Tax Collector Shari Freidenrich, CPA

Internal Audit Director Aggie Alonso, CPA

Staff

County Counsel Ronnie Magsaysay

Clerk Valerie Sanchez

ATTENDANCE: Rowden, Johnson, Gaona Perez (Proxy for Chaffee), Foley, Engelby (Proxy for

Aguirre), Himmel and Bean

ABSENT: Atwater, Wille

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

The Chair called the meeting to order at 10:30 a.m.

#### **ROLL CALL**

The Clerk called the roll and confirmed quorum

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

None

#### **COMMITTEE MEMBERS COMMENTS**

None

#### **INVESTMENT OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE ITEMS**

1. Approve Investment Oversight Committee Regular Meeting Minutes of May 15, 2025

On the motion of Dr. Stefan Bean, seconded by Tim Johnson, the Committee approved the minutes as amended to correct spelling of Treasurer-Tax Collector Shari Freidenrich's name on Page 2 and correct Ms. to Mr. under the Roll Call on Page 3

2. Receive Update on Audit Oversight Committee/Investment Oversight Committee Bylaws

On the motion of Katrina Foley, seconded by Tim Johnson, the Committee approved as amended to update the first sentence of Section 7.2.2 to read:

"Annual Compliance Audit. The IOC shall cause an annual compliance audit to be conducted, which shall determine the County's compliance with any Board-approved investment policies governing the investment of funds deposited in the County treasury."

3. Direct that an Annual Audit be Conducted to Determine the County's Compliance with the Orange County Investment Policy

On the motion of Katrina Foley, seconded by Tim Johnson, the Committee approved as recommended

4. Receive Update and File Quarterly Report on the County Treasury and Investments for the Quarter Ending June 30, 2025

Received and filed

5. Receive Update on Compliance Monitoring of the Treasurer's Investment Portfolio for the Quarters Ended September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2024, and Annual Compliance Audit for the Period Ending June 30, 2024

Received and filed

6. Receive Update on the Annual Audit of the Treasurer's Schedule of Assets as of June 30, 2024

Received and filed

7. Receive Update on Quarterly Review of Treasurer's Schedule of Assets for the Quarter Ended June 30, 2024

Received and filed

# **AUDIT OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE ITEMS**

8. Approve Audit Committee Regular Meeting Minutes of May 15, 2025

On the motion of Katrina Foley, seconded by Tim Johnson, the Committee approved the minutes as recommended

9. Receive Update on Audit Oversight Committee/Investment Oversight Committee Bylaws

On the motion of Katrina Foley, seconded by Tim Johnson, the Committee approved as amended to update Section 7.1.9 to read:

"Oversight of Fraud Hotline. The AOC shall ensure the County has established procedures for the receipt, retention, investigation, and treatment of Fraud Hotline complaints, and receive an annual report to the AOC."

10. Receive Report on Required Communication from External Auditors

Received and filed

11. Approve Internal Audit Department's Quarterly Status Report (including Performance Audits) and Approve Executive Summary of Internal Audit Reports for the Quarter Ended June 30, 2025

On the motion of Larry Himmel, seconded by Katrina Foley, the Committee approved as recommended

12. Receive Report on Internal Audit Department's Independence

Received and filed

13. Approve External Audit Activity Status Report for the Quarter Ended June 30, 2025, and Receive Report on Status of External Audit Recommendations Implementation

On the motion of Tim Johnson, seconded by Yvonne Rowden, the Committee approved as recommended

14. Receive Report on Status of Auditor-Controller Mandated Audits (Non-Treasury) for the Quarter Ended June 30, 2025

Received and filed

# 15. Receive Request for AOC Participation in the Request for Proposal Solicitation for Independent Auditing and Related Services

Received and filed, the Chair will forward her designation of an AOC member to participate on the RFP panel by September 30, 2025

# 16. Receive Update on ERP Implementation

Received and filed

# 17. Receive Update on Restricted Report Policy

Received and filed

# 18. Receive Report on County IT Projects Quarterly Progress

Received and filed

**ADJOURNMENT** 12:27 P.M.

**NEXT REGULAR MEETING:** Thursday, November 13, 2025, at 10:30 A.M.