



Judicial Council of California

**TRIAL COURT BUDGET ADVISORY COMMITTEE
NOTICE AND AGENDA OF OPEN ELECTRONIC MEETING**

May 7, 2026

12:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

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Open to the public (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 10.75(c) and (e)(1)).

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Agenda items are numbered for identification purposes only and will not necessarily be considered in the indicated order.

I. OPEN MEETING (CAL. RULES OF COURT, RULE 10.75(C)(1))

Call to Order and Roll Call

Approval of Minutes

Approve minutes of the March 26, 2026, Trial Court Budget Advisory Committee meeting.

II. PUBLIC COMMENT (CAL. RULES OF COURT, RULE 10.75(K))

This meeting will be conducted by electronic means. As such, the public may make comments in writing, in person, or remotely.

Written Comment

In accordance with California Rules of Court, rule 10.75(k)(1), written comments pertaining to any agenda item of a regularly noticed open meeting can be submitted up to one complete business day before the meeting. For this specific meeting, comments should be emailed to: tcbac@jud.ca.gov. Only written comments received by 12:00 p.m. May 6, 2026, will be provided to advisory body members prior to the start of the meeting.

Remote Public Comment

Members of the public requesting to speak during the public comment portion of the meeting must provide the speaker's name, the name of the organization that the speaker represents if any, and the agenda item that the public comment will address. Requests to make a remote public comment must be received by 12:00 p.m. May 6, 2026, via email to tcbac@jud.ca.gov. The chair will establish speaking limits at the beginning of the public comment session. While the advisory body welcomes and encourages public comment, time may not permit all persons requesting to speak to be heard at this meeting.

III. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ITEMS (ITEMS 1–3)

Item 1

Court-Appointed Juvenile Dependency Counsel Allocations for Fiscal Year 2026–27 (Action Required)

Consideration of court-appointed juvenile dependency counsel allocations for fiscal year 2026–27.

Presenter: Ms. Kelly Meehleib, Supervising Analyst, Judicial Council Center for Families, Children & the Courts

Item 2

Allocations from the State Trial Court Improvement and Modernization Fund for Fiscal Year 2026–27 (Action Required)

Consideration of allocations from the State Trial Court Improvement and Modernization Fund in support of the trial courts for fiscal year 2026–27.

Presenter: Ms. Aman Singh, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Judicial Council Budget Services

Item 3

Allocations for Trial Court Operations for Fiscal Year 2026–27 (Action Required)

Consideration of allocations from the Trial Court Trust Fund and General Fund in support of the trial courts for fiscal year 2026–27.

Presenter: Ms. Oksana Tuk, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Judicial Council Budget Services

IV. INFORMATION ONLY ITEMS (NO ACTION REQUIRED)

Item 1

Court-Appointed Juvenile Dependency Counsel Allocation Methodology Working Group Update

Update on the working group's initial meeting and upcoming activities.

Presenter: Ms. Rebecca Fleming, Vice-Chair, Trial Court Budget Advisory Committee

Item 2

Funds Held on Behalf of the Trial Courts Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2024–25

Annual report for the Funds Held on Behalf of the Trial Courts program regarding open projects and projects completed in fiscal year 2024–25.

Presenter: Ms. Megan Ellis, Senior Fiscal Analyst, Judicial Council Budget Services

V. ADJOURNMENT

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