

**COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
TUESDAY, APRIL 21, 2026**

MINUTE ORDER NO. 24

**SUBJECT: CONSIDERATION OF REQUESTS FOR BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS TO
CONDUCT TELECONFERENCE MEETINGS (DISTRICTS: ALL)**

OVERVIEW

On October 3, 2025, Governor Newsom signed Senate Bill (SB) 707 (Durazo), which created new requirements for local legislative bodies conducting meetings under the Brown Act. This item asks the Board of Supervisors (Board) to consider requests from County of San Diego boards and commissions seeking authorization to conduct teleconference (hybrid) meetings in compliance with SB 707's updated meeting and accessibility standards.

RECOMMENDATION(S)

CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

Consider the requests from the Committee for Persons with Disabilities, Flood Control District Advisory Commission, Health Services Advisory Board, Jess Martin Park Advisory Committee, County Service Area 81 - Fallbrook Local Parks Advisory Committee, County Service Area 128 - San Miguel Local Park District Citizen Advisory Board, and the County Service Area 138 - Valley Center Park and Recreation Advisory Committee to conduct meetings via teleconference for the next six months and, if the Board agrees, approve those requests by making the following findings:

1. The Board of Supervisors has considered the circumstances of these Board, Commissions, and Committees and finds teleconference meetings appropriate.
2. Teleconference meetings will enhance public access. The public has been informed of the remote participation options, including audio-visual or telephonic access, and was provided an opportunity to comment at an in-person meeting authorizing remote participation.
3. Teleconference meetings will support recruitment, retention, and diversity of eligible members.

EQUITY IMPACT STATEMENT

The County prioritizes transparency and an accessible government to increase public understanding and participation. Teleconference options help reach community members who have previously experienced barriers to civic engagement, ensuring diverse voices are included in the County's decision-making process.

SUSTAINABILITY IMPACT STATEMENT

The analysis provides options for the Board to enhance stakeholder participation to plan for community engagement and identify meaningful ways to continually seek input to foster inclusive and sustainable communities.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact associated with these recommendations. There will be no change in net General Fund cost and no additional staff years.

BUSINESS IMPACT STATEMENT

N/A

ACTION:

Noting for the record this item was heard on April 22, 2026; ON MOTION of Supervisor Montgomery Steppe, seconded by Supervisor Aguirre, the Board of Supervisors took the following actions:

1. Approved the following groups to use teleconferencing as an eligible subsidiary body consistent with all Brown Act requirements:
 - i. Committee for Persons with Disabilities
 - ii. Flood Control District Advisory Commission
 - iii. Health Services Advisory Board
 - iv. Jess Martin Park Advisory Committee
 - v. County Service Area 81 – Fallbrook Local Parks Advisory Committee
 - vi. County Service Area 128 – San Miguel Local Park District Citizen Advisory Board
 - vii. County Service Area 138 – Valley Center Park and Recreation Advisory Committee
2. Approved the findings for those groups as submitted.

AYES: Aguirre, Anderson, Lawson-Remer, Montgomery Steppe, Desmond

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I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the Original entered in the Minutes of the Board of Supervisors.

ANDREW POTTER
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors



Signed
by Andrew Potter