



**AGENDA FOR THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE
LOS ANGELES PROBATION OVERSIGHT COMMISSION
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**
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THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 2026, 9:00 A.M.

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SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION: <https://poc.lacounty.gov/>

MEMBERS: Chair Dolores Canales, Vice Chair Diane Terry, Secretary Tyrique Shipp, Brooke Harris, Esché L. Jackson, Milinda Kakani, Donald D. Meredith, Eduardo Mundo, Samuel Prater

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR: Wendelyn Julien

AGENDA POSTED: April 6, 2026

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I. ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

1. Call to Order and Roll Call.

Attachments: [Overview of the POC's Role](#)

2. Approval of the March 12, 2026 regular meeting minutes.

Attachments: [Supporting Documents](#)
Public Comment/Correspondence

II. DISCUSSIONS

3. **Depopulation Plan and Intake Reports** – Discuss and take possible action on progress the Los Angeles County Probation Department has made on implementing the Department's Depopulation Plan. Discussion will include Probation's role in reducing the overall number of youth detained.

- **Panelists will include:**

- i. Guillermo Viera Rosa, Chief, Los Angeles County Probation Department
- ii. Eric Bates, Interim Inspector General, Los Angeles County Office of Inspector General (OIG)
- iii. Fredrick Lacey, Deputy Inspector General, Los Angeles County Office of Inspector General (OIG)
- iv. Laura Ridolfi, Racial Justice and Well-Being Strategist, W. Haywood Burns Institute (BI)

Attachments: Supporting Documents
[BI PowerPoint Presentation](#)
[03/10/25 POC's Pros and Cons List on the Global Plan](#)
[04/24/25 POC's Recommended Depopulation Solutions](#)
[05/02/25 Probation's Depopulation Strategy](#)
[01/26/26 POC's Depopulation Strategy Evaluation](#)
[02/17/26 Depopulation Strategy Evaluation – Intake and Detention Analysis](#)
[03/12/26 Probation's Response to POC's Intake & Detention Analysis](#)
[03/17/26 Probation's Depopulation Strategy Update \(BOS Meeting\)](#)
[03/06/26 OIG's Assessment of Probation's Detention Reports](#)
[Public Comment/Correspondence](#)

4. **Visitation Update** – Discuss and take possible action on an update on changes to visitation procedures and adoption of a visitation policy.

- **The Probation Department is asked to provide:**

- i. An updated Visitation Policy
- ii. A verbal report on changes to procedures to enhance visitation

- **Invited panelists include:**

- i. Guillermo Viera Rosa, Chief, Los Angeles County Probation Department
- ii. Alisa Hartz, Ombudsperson, California Office of Youth and Community Restoration (OYCR)

- iii. Cole Lancaster, Family Engagement Specialist, OYCR
- iv. Tyrique Shipp, Commissioner, Los Angeles County Probation Oversight Commission
- v. Dr. Sarah Gongora, Psy.D., Project Director, Los Angeles County Probation Oversight Commission

Attachments: Supporting Documents
[12/08/25 OYCR's Model Visitation Guidelines for Los Angeles County](#)
[11/17/25 Report Back on Visitation Inspections – Findings & Recommendations](#)
Public Comment/Correspondence

5. Probation's Budget and Consultant Contracts –

A. Discuss and take possible action up to and including issuing a subpoena for outstanding information on consultant contracts from a request made [in a motion at the February 18, 2026 POC meeting](#). The POC's Budget Ad Hoc Committee will give a report on its review of consultant contracts.

B. Discuss and take possible action on a report on Probation's proposed budget for fiscal year 2026–2027 including understanding the Department's request for increases and the impacts of curtailments to the budget.

• **The Probation Department is asked to provide:**

- i. A verbal report on Probation's budget for fiscal year 2026–2027
- ii. An update on the spending plan for Juvenile Justice Crime Prevention Act (JJCPA) and Juvenile Justice Realignment Block Grant (JJRBG) monies for the current fiscal year (FY 2025–26) and next fiscal year (FY 2026–27)

• **Invited panelists will include:**

- i. Stacy Lopez-Maddox, Administrative Deputy, Los Angeles County Probation Department
- ii. Brooke Harris, Commissioner, Los Angeles County Probation Oversight Commission
- iii. Dawnnesha Smith, MPA, Project Director, Los Angeles County Probation Oversight Commission

Attachments: Supporting Documents
[Approved 09/15/25 POC Motion](#)
[Approved 02/18/26 POC Motion](#)
[Probation's Summary Report on Consultant Contracts](#)
[02/17/26 Probation's Budget Presentation – BOS Meeting](#)
[04/01/26 Probation's Recommended Budget – CEO's Public Safety Cluster](#)
[JJCC Spending Allocation Ad-Hoc Subcommittee Co-Chair Report for FY 2026-27](#)
[Draft CMJJP Plan for FY 2026-27](#)
[FY 2026-27 JJCC-CMJJP Ad-Hoc Subcommittee's Funding Recommendations](#)
[FY 2026-27 JJCPA Program Descriptions for the Funding Recommendations](#)
[Draft of the 2026 JJRBG Annual Plan and Recent JJCPA & JJRBG Board Letters](#)
[08/20/2024 CA Auditor Fact Sheet on JJCPA/JJRBG Spending](#)
[Public Comment/Correspondence](#)

6. **Probation Oversight Commission Executive Director Report** – Discuss and take possible action on the following items as reported by the Los Angeles County Probation Oversight Commission:

- **The POC reports will include:**

- i. Outstanding and current requests for information
- ii. Update on the launch of the POC’s 2026 inspection process
- iii. POC’s 1st Quarter KPI Report for January 1, 2026-March 31, 2026

- **Panelists will include:**

- i. Wendelyn Julien, Executive Director, Los Angeles County Probation Oversight Commission

Attachments: Supporting Documents
[03/24/26 POC Letter to Probation – Data Information Requests with Updates](#)
[03/31/26 Updated OC Spray Reports](#)
[03/31/26 Updated Population Statistics Reports](#)
[OC Spray Deployment Reports \(February 23, 2026 – March 22, 2026\)](#)
[IDC Monthly Statistics - January 2026 and February 2026](#)
[YOYV Data for LPJH & BJN-SYTF \(March 2026\)](#)
[KPI 1st Quarter Report \(January 1, 2026 – March 31, 2026\)](#)
Public Comment/Correspondence

III. **MISCELLANEOUS**

MATTERS NOT POSTED

7. Matters not posted on the agenda, to be discussed and (if requested), placed on the agenda for action at a future meeting of the authority, of matters requiring immediate action because of an emergency situation or where the need to take action arose subsequent to the posting of the agenda.

PUBLIC COMMENT

8. Opportunity for members of the public to address the Los Angeles Probation Oversight Commission (POC) on items of interest that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the POC.

You may submit public comment by e-mail to info@poc.lacounty.gov.

Written public comment or documentation must be submitted no later than 5:00 p.m. one business day before the scheduled meeting to be included on the agenda. Please include the Agenda Item(s) and meeting date in your correspondence. Correspondence received by 5:00 p.m. the same day of the meeting shall become part of the official record.

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IV. **ADJOURNMENT**

9. Adjournment for the regular meeting of April 9, 2026.