

**MINUTES OF THE
SAFETY & HEALTH COMMITTEE MEETING**

April 16, 2026 | 10:00 A.M.

A meeting of the Safety & Health Committee was held via teleconference.

VOTING MEMBERS PRESENT:

Allan Hancock Joint Community College District	Gerald Domingues* Steve Marshall David Millard
Cuyama Joint Unified School District	Alfonso Gamino* (<i>arrived at 10:06 a.m. and left at 10:27 a.m.</i>) Gracie Griego (<i>left at 10:28 a.m.</i>)
Lompoc Unified School District	Scott Bauldry Sam Blanton* (<i>left at 10:15 a.m.</i>)
Orcutt Union School District	Ron Simpson
Santa Barbara County Education Office	Le'Wanda Croft
Santa Maria Bonita School District	Sean Chenoweth
Santa Maria Joint Union High School District	Cesar Lugo (<i>left at 10:32 a.m.</i>)
Santa Ynez Valley Union High School District	Leopoldo Amador

**Indicates the representative voting if more than one present.*

VOTING MEMBERS ABSENT:

Ballard School District
Blochman Union School District
Buellton Union School District
Carpinteria Unified School District
Cold Spring School District
College School District
Goleta Union School District
Guadalupe Union School District
Hope School District
Los Olivos School District
Montecito Union School District
Solvang School District
Special Education Local Plan Area (SELPA)
Vista Del Mar Union School District

OTHERS PRESENT:

Risk Program Administrators	Keith Oarde
Santa Barbara County Education Office	Keith Cox Maria Sagrero

I. CALL TO ORDER – WELCOME

Keith Cox, Loss Control Manager, called the meeting to order at 10:05 a.m.

II. ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM – Roll Call

A quorum was established via roll call of all voting members present.

III. PUBLIC COMMENTS

None.

IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA AS POSTED or AMENDED

Motion made by Gerald Domingues, Allan Hancock Joint Community College District, seconded by Ron Simpson, Orcutt Union School District, to approve the agenda.

Motion passed unanimously via roll call vote of all voting members present, with representatives from Allan Hancock Joint Community College District, Cuyama Joint Unified School District, Lompoc Unified School District, Orcutt Union School District, Santa Barbara County Education Office, Santa Maria Bonita School District, Santa Maria Joint Union High School District, and Santa Ynez Valley Union High School District voting “aye.”

V. CONSENT CALENDAR**A. Minutes of January 15, 2026, Safety & Health Committee Meeting**

Motion made by Gerald Domingues, Allan Hancock Joint Community College District, seconded by Cesar Lugo, Santa Maria Joint Union High School District, to approve the agenda.

Motion passed unanimously via roll call vote of all voting members present, with representatives from Allan Hancock Joint Community College District, Cuyama Joint Unified School District, Lompoc Unified School District, Orcutt Union School District, Santa Barbara County Education Office, Santa Maria Bonita School District, Santa Maria Joint Union High School District, and Santa Ynez Valley Union High School District voting “aye.”

B. Proposed Safety & Health Management Committee Meeting Dates

Motion made by Alfonso Gamino, Cuyama Joint Unified School District, seconded by Cesar Lugo, Santa Maria Joint Union High School District, to approve the following meeting dates to a hybrid model:

July 16, 2026
October 8, 2026
January 21, 2027
April 15, 2027

Motion passed unanimously via roll call vote of all voting members present, with representatives from Allan Hancock Joint Community College District, Cuyama Joint Unified School District, Lompoc Unified School District, Orcutt Union School District, Santa Barbara County Education Office, Santa Maria Bonita School District, Santa Maria Joint Union High School District, and Santa Ynez Valley Union High School District voting “aye.”

VI. OPEN SESSION**A. Mishap Summaries**

Mr. Cox presented the Safety Mishaps review and discussed top ten claims by occupation and top ten injuries cause/costs for FY 2025-2026.

B. DISTRICT CONCERNS

Cesar Lugo questioned other districts of process or employee repercussions when district vehicle are damaged by employees.

C. REVIEW: WHAT'S WRONG WITH THIS PICTURE?

The topic of the "What's Wrong with This Picture" presentation was the importance of no smoking near flammable items.

D. SAFETY INCENTIVE FUNDING REQUESTS

Allan Hancock Joint Community College District: Approved

Motion made by Gerald Domingues, Allan Hancock Joint Community College District, seconded by Ron Simpson, Orcutt Union School District, to approve the Safety Incentive Fund request for a hydro cart for Allan Hancock Joint Community College District as requested in the amount of \$6,604.14.

Motion passed unanimously via roll call vote of all voting members present, with representatives from Allan Hancock Joint Community College District, Lompoc Unified School District, Orcutt Union School District, Santa Barbara County Education Office, Santa Maria Bonita School District, and Santa Ynez Valley Union High School District voting "aye." Cuyama Joint Unified School District and Santa Maria Joint Union High School District were not present.

Allan Hancock Joint Community College District: Approved

Motion made by Gerald Domingues, Allan Hancock Joint Community College District, seconded by Scott Bauldry, Lompoc Unified School District, to approve the Safety Incentive Fund request for an AED for Allan Hancock Joint Community College District as requested in the amount of \$3,963.54.

Motion passed unanimously via roll call vote of all voting members present, with representatives from Allan Hancock Joint Community College District, Lompoc Unified School District, Orcutt Union School District, Santa Barbara County Education Office, Santa Maria Bonita School District, and Santa Ynez Valley Union High School District voting "aye." Cuyama Joint Unified School District and Santa Maria Joint Union High School District were not present.

Santa Barbara County Education Office: Approved

Motion made by Leopoldo Amador, Santa Ynez Valley Union High School District, seconded by Ron Simpson, Orcutt Union School District, to approve the Safety Incentive Fund request for flammable storage cabinets for Santa Barbara County Education Office as requested in the amount of \$3,041.39.

Motion passed unanimously via roll call vote of all voting members present, with representatives from Allan Hancock Joint Community College District, Lompoc Unified School District, Orcutt Union School District, Santa Barbara County Education Office, Santa Maria Bonita School District, and Santa Ynez Valley Union High School District voting "aye." Cuyama Joint Unified School District and Santa Maria Joint Union High School District were not present.

Orcutt Union School District: Approved

Motion made by Leopoldo Amador, Santa Ynez Valley Union High School District, seconded by Scott Bauldry, Lompoc Unified School District, to approve the Safety Incentive Fund request for a personal fall arrest system anchor for Orcutt Union District as requested in the amount of \$3,674.12.

Motion passed unanimously via roll call vote of all voting members present, with representatives from Allan Hancock Joint Community College District, Lompoc Unified School District, Orcutt Union School District, Santa Barbara County Education Office, Santa Maria Bonita School District, and Santa Ynez Valley Union High School District voting “aye.” Cuyama Joint Unified School District and Santa Maria Joint Union High School District were not present.

Solvang School District: Disapproved

Motion was not made for Safety Incentive Fund request for security cameras for Solvang School District as requested in the amount of \$20,006.90 due to representative from school district not in attendance at meeting.

VII. CLOSING COMMENTS

None.

VIII. ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 10:50 a.m.