



Executive Management Team Meeting

Wednesday, April 8, 2026, 1:30 p.m.

This meeting was held in person and online

Meeting Minutes

EMT ATTENDEES

Chair Jim Vollendroff
Member Ollie Garrett
Member Pete Holmes
Will Lukela, Agency Director
Toni Hood, Deputy Director
Marc Webster, Director of Legislative Relations
Becky Smith, Licensing and Regulation Director
Jennifer Dzubay, Deputy Chief of Operations,
Enforcement and Education
Brian Smith, Communications Director
Justin Nordhorn, Policy and External Affairs
Director
Spencer Good, Chief Financial Officer
Jonnita Thompson, Human Resources Director
Stephanie Ratko, Chief Information Officer
Gretchen Frost, Executive Assistant to the
Board
Gloria Hong, Special Assistant to the Director

GUESTS

Jim Weatherly, Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Manager

INTRODUCTIONS

Presenter: Toni Hood, Deputy Director

Toni introduced Stephanie Ratko, the new Chief Information Officer for the agency.

2026 LEGISLATIVE SESSION UPDATE

Presenter: Marc Webster, Director of Legislative Relations

Marc reviewed the 2026 Legislative session. He provided context for the 2025 to 2027 biennium, including the budget and the legislation that did or did not pass. He also talked about what people would like to see from the Liquor and Cannabis Board (LCB).

DIVERSITY, EQUITY, AND INCLUSION UPDATE

Presenter: Jim Weatherly, Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Manager

Jim gave a brief history of diversity, equity, and inclusion at LCB and what learning opportunities are available at the agency.

ROUNDTABLE AND FINAL BOARD INQUIRIES

Member Holmes reported that a successful Alcohol Advisory Council meeting took place earlier in the day.

Minutes approved this 6th day of May 2026

Not Present



Jim Vollendroff
Board Chair

Ollie Garrett
Board Member

Peter Holmes
Board Member

Minutes prepared by Deborah Soper, Administrative Assistant to the Board

<p>LCB Mission - Promote public safety, public health, and trust through fair administration, education, and enforcement of liquor, cannabis, tobacco, and vapor laws.</p>
