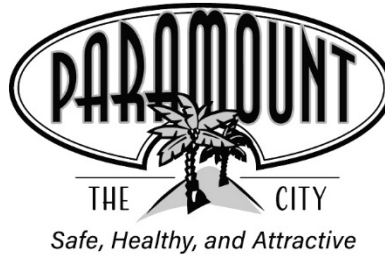


# AGENDA

Paramount Economic Development Board  
June 3, 2026



Regular Meeting  
City Hall Council Chambers  
6:00 p.m.

City of Paramount

16400 Colorado Avenue ❖ Paramount, CA 90723 ❖ (562) 220-2000 ❖ [www.paramountcity.gov](http://www.paramountcity.gov)

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**In-person Attendance:** The public may attend the Economic Development Board meetings in-person.

**Public Comments:** Members of the public wanting to address the Economic Development Board, either during public comments or for a specific agenda item, or both, may do so by the following methods:

- **In-person**

If you wish to make a statement, please complete a Speaker's Card prior to the commencement of the Public Comments period of the meeting. Speaker's Cards are located at the entrance. Give your completed card to a staff member and when your name is called, please go to the podium provided for the public.

- **E-mail:** [planning@paramountcity.gov](mailto:planning@paramountcity.gov)

E-mail public comments must be received **15 minutes prior to the start of the meeting**. The e-mail should specify the following information: 1) Full Name; 2) City of Residence; 3) Phone Number; 4) Public Comment or Agenda Item No.; 5) Subject; 6) Written Comments.

All public comments are limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes unless an extension is granted. No action may be taken on items not on the agenda except as provided by law. All public comments will be recorded and rules of decorum and procedures for the conduct of City meetings will apply when addressing the Economic Development Board whether in-person or via email.

CALL TO ORDER: Chair David Moody

ROLL CALL OF MEMBERS: Board Member Ernie Esparza  
Board Member Linda Timmons  
Board Member Gordon Weisenburger  
Vice Chair Javier Gonzalez  
Chair David Moody

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## MINUTES

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1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES May 6, 2026

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## PUBLIC COMMENTS

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## REPORTS

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2. ORAL REPORT Economic Development Budget Fiscal Year 2026-2027

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## COMMENTS

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3. COMMENTS
  - Board Members
  - Staff

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## ADJOURNMENT

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To a meeting on Wednesday, July 1, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber at City Hall, 16400 Colorado Avenue, Paramount, California.

**Americans with Disabilities Act:** In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance to participate in this meeting, please contact the City Clerk's office at (562) 220-2225 at least 48 hours prior to the meeting to enable the City to make reasonable arrangements to ensure accessibility to this meeting. **Note:** Agenda items are on file in the Planning and Building Department office and are available for public inspection during normal business hours. Materials related to an item on this Agenda submitted after distribution of the agenda packet are also available for public inspection during normal business hours in the Planning and Building Department office. The Planning and Building Department office is located at City Hall, 16400 Colorado Avenue, Paramount.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BOARD

MOTION IN ORDER:

APPROVE THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BOARD MINUTES OF MAY 6, 2026.

<u>MOTION:</u>	<u>ROLL CALL VOTE:</u>
MOVED BY: _____	AYES: _____
SECONDED BY: _____	NOES: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> APPROVED	ABSENT: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> DENIED	ABSTAIN: _____

**ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BOARD MINUTES  
MAY 6, 2026**

City of Paramount, 16400 Colorado Avenue, Paramount, CA 90723

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CALL TO ORDER: The meeting of the Economic Development Board was called to order by Chair David Moody at 6:45 p.m. at City Hall, Council Chamber, 16400 Colorado Avenue, Paramount, California.

ROLL CALL OF BOARD MEMBERS: Present: Board Member Ernie Esparza  
Board Member Linda Timmons  
Board Member Gordon Weisenburger  
Vice Chair Javier Gonzalez  
Chair David Moody

Absent: None

STAFF PRESENT: Lindsay Thorson, Planning Commission Attorney  
Monica Rodriguez, Assistant Planning and Building Director  
Ivan Reyes, Associate Planner  
Biana Salgado, Administrative Assistant

**MINUTES**

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1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES  
April 1, 2026

Chair Moody presented the Economic Development Board minutes of April 1, 2026 for approval.

It was moved by Vice Chair Gonzalez and seconded by Board Member Timmons to approve the minutes as presented. The motion was passed by the following roll call vote:

AYES: Board Members Esparza, Timmons and Weisenburger; Vice Chair Gonzalez; and Chair Moody

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

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Assistant Planning and Building Director Rodriguez stated that there are no public comments.

**REPORTS**

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- 2. ORAL REPORT  
Southern California  
Economic Update

Assistant Planning and Building Director Rodriguez provided an overview of the yearly Southern California Economic Update produced by the Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG). The report details trends across the Southern California region which highlighted slowing job creation, industry shifts like Artificial Intelligence (AI) that are rapidly changing the job landscape, and mixed economic progress.

**COMMENTS**

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- 3. COMMENTS

There were no comments.

**ADJOURNMENT**

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There being no further business to come before the Commission, the meeting was adjourned by Chair Moody at 6:50 p.m. to the next Economic Development Board meeting to be held on Wednesday, June 3, 2026 at City Hall Council Chamber, 16400 Colorado Avenue, Paramount, California at 6:00 p.m.

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David Moody, Chair

ATTEST:

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Biana Salgado, Administrative Assistant

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ORAL REPORT

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BUDGET FISCAL YEAR 2026-2027

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ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BOARD

COMMENTS FROM BOARD MEMBERS AND STAFF