

Lane County Equity Program Advisory Board (EPAB) Meeting Agenda
Meeting Date: Tuesday, April 28, 2026 from 6:00-7:30 PM, Virtual meeting

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- **Please note that there is no public comment available for this advisory board, all participants will be muted and with video off upon entry.**

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EPAB's Purpose: The Equity Program Advisory Board (EPAB) has the purpose of collaborating with the County Administrator and the Equity Program. Its primary goal is to collaborate on the adoption and implementation of the equity strategic plan. Moreover, this board plays a crucial role in bridging the community with the County's equity initiatives.

Agenda Items:

1. Call meeting to order (10 min, Co-chair)
 - a. EPAB member and staff roll call, check for community attendees
 - b. Barometer role assignment for meeting
 - c. Approve [1/27/26 meeting minutes](#) (vote)
 - d. Review action items from previous meeting (Administrator)
2. Immigration Panel discussion (45 minutes)
 - a. Immigration Enforcement – Sheriff Wilkerson, Lane County Sheriff's Office (LCSO)
 - i. Sheriff's 'Letter to the Community' ([English/Spanish](#))
 - b. Community Perspective – United for Immigrant Justice (UIJ) Representatives
3. County updates (10 min, Staff)
 - a. Bylaw amendment – remove proxy voting (announcement, vote during item 5)
 - b. [Lane County Community Needs Survey](#) (announcement)
 - i. 10-15 min to complete, open until 5/16/26, and available in English/Spanish
 - c. Announcements from the Assistant County Administrator
4. Presentation report back (5 min, Co-chair & Staff)
 - a. [4/7/26 Equity Program & EPAB presentation](#) to Board of County Commissioners
 - b. Future board item: Commissioner head nods during presentation regarding providing guidance on who this workgroup should consist of (staff & community representatives), process, and potential next steps
5. Bylaws Amendment (10 min, Co-chair)
 - a. Board discusses [bylaw amendment](#) - removing proxy voting from bylaws
 - b. Members were assigned to review amendment (vote)
6. Alternate Members (if time allows, Co-chair)
 - a. Begin discussing possibility of alternate members stepping in if a quorum is needed for agenda items requiring a vote
7. Additional business (up to 10 min as needed, Co-chair)
 - a. Time to discuss additional business not designated as an agenda item, if needed

8. Review action items (5 min, administrator)
9. Closing (5 min, Co-chair)

Additional Information: Quarterly meetings from on the last Tues. From 6-7:30 PM

Meetings scheduled for 2026 (last Tues. From 6-7:30 PM): 1/27/26, 4/28/26, 7/28/26, and 10/27/26