



**Santiago Library System
Executive Council
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES**

December 15, 2025

3:00 – 4:00 pm

Virtual Meeting

Alternate Meeting Locations:

Anaheim Public Library, 500 W. Broadway, Anaheim, CA 92805
Buena Park Library District, 2nd Floor Ballroom, 7150 La Palma Ave.,
Buena Park, CA 90620
Fullerton Public Library, 353 W. Commonwealth Ave., Fullerton, CA 92832
Huntington Beach Public Library, 7111 Talbert Ave., Huntington Beach, CA 92648
Mission Viejo Library, 100 Civic Center, Mission Viejo, CA 92691
Newport Beach Central Library, 1000 Avocado Ave., Newport Beach, CA 92660
Orange County Public Law Library, 515 N. Flower St., Santa Ana, CA 92703
Orange County Public Library, 1501 E. St. Andrew Place, Santa Ana, CA 92705
Orange Public Library, 407 E. Chapman Ave., Orange, CA 92866
Placentia Library District, 411 E. Chapman Ave., Placentia, CA 92870
Santa Ana City Hall, 20 Civic Center Plaza, Santa Ana, CA 92701
University Park Library, 4512 Sanburg Way, Irvine, CA 92612

Attendance

Arroyo, Lupita - Santa Ana Public Library
Beatriz, Sarmiento - Fullerton Public Library
Contreras, Jeanette - Placentia Library District
Edelblute, Thomas - Anaheim Public Library
Hansen, Genesis - Mission Viejo Library
Hartson, Melissa - Newport Beach Public Library
Medina, Helen - Buena Park Library District
Quillman, Julie - OC Public Libraries
Rodriguez, Marisa - Huntington Beach Public Library
Starkey, Brendan - OC Public Law Library
Zeoli, Julie - Irvine Public Library

Absent

Harpster, Amy - Orange Public Library
Lixey, Carrie - Yorba Linda Public Library

Other

Beck, Andy - SCLC
Powers, Christine - SCLC
Snodgrass, Nerissa - SCLC

1. Opening Melissa Hartson
The meeting was called to order at 3:01 pm.

2. Public Comment Melissa Hartson
Opportunity for any guest or member of the public to address the Council on any item of Santiago business not represented on the current agenda.
None

3. Consent Calendar Melissa Hartson
All items on the consent calendar may be approved by a single motion. Any Council member may request an item be removed from the consent calendar and placed on the agenda for discussion.
 - a. Minutes of the November 4, 2025, Regular Meeting
(ACTION)
MSP (Contreras/Sarmiento) to pass the Consent Calendar, without changes.
10 yes, 0 no, 0 abstain

Brendan Starkey joined the meeting at 3:05 pm.

4. Adoption of the Agenda Melissa Hartson
The Chair adopted the agenda without objection.

5. 2026 Children's Services Committee Workshop Proposal Christine Powers
(ACTION)
MSP (Contreras/Rodriguez) to approve the 2026 Children's Services Committee workshop at an amount-not-to-exceed \$8,000.
11 yes, 0 no, 0 abstain

6. Other Melissa Hartson
None

7. Adjournment Melissa Hartson
MS (Contreras/Edelblute) to adjourn the meeting at 3:30 pm.