

California State Senate

JOINT OVERSIGHT HEARING

SENATE HOUSING AND SENATE GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE COMMITTEES



SENATORS WIENER AND MCGUIRE CHAIRS

AGENDA

Tuesday, March 5, 2019
1:30 p.m. -- John L. Burton Hearing Room (4203)

Addressing California's Housing Shortage: How Can We Create Environments to Facilitate Housing Development?

1. Opening comments

- Senator Wiener, Chair, Senate Housing Committee
- Senator McGuire, Chair, Senate Governance and Finance Committee

2. Impacts on Housing: Zoning and Approval Processes

- Dan Rinzler, Senior Policy Analyst, California Housing Partnership Corporation
- David Garcia, Policy Director, UC Berkeley Turner Center
- Tomiquia Moss, Chief Executive Officer, Hamilton Families
- Carolyn Coleman, Executive Director, League of California Cities

3. Impacts on Housing: State Planning Requirements

- Megan Kirkeby, Assistant Deputy Director for Fair Housing, Housing Policy Division, Department of Housing and Community Development
- Valerie Feldman, Staff Attorney, The Public Interest Law Project

4. Specific Strategies to Facilitate Housing Development

- Ethan Elkind, Director, Climate Program, Center for Law, Energy and the Environment, UC Berkeley School of Law
- Elyse Lowe, Director, Development Services Department, San Diego
- Robin Hughes, President and CEO, Abode Communities
- Eric S. Phillips, Attorney, Goldfarb & Lipman LLP, Vice President of Policy and Legislation, American Planning Association, California Chapter

5. Public Comment

6. Adjournment