



# AGENDA

LOS ANGELES CITY/COUNTY  
NATIVE AMERICAN INDIAN COMMISSION  
SELF GOVERNANCE BOARD MEETING  
**SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, 2025 2:45 P.M.**

**Meeting Location:** Natural History Museums of Los Angeles  
County – South Building  
900 Exposition Blvd.  
Los Angeles, CA 90007

**To Provide Public Comment:** You may submit written public comment via email to [contact@lanaic.lacounty.gov](mailto:contact@lanaic.lacounty.gov) . Please submit your public comment or documentation as soon as possible but no later than 5 p.m. the night before the scheduled meeting. Note PUBLIC COMMENT – LANAIC SGB in email subject line.

DAWN JACKSON, Chairperson  
*Saginaw Chippewa*

ANDREA GARCIA, Commissioner  
*Mandan, Hidatsa, Arikara*

SHAWN IMITATES DOG, Vice Chairperson  
*Lakota*

DENISE ESCOTO, Commissioner  
*Northern Cheyenne*

MONA MORALES RECALDE, Secretary  
*Gabrieleno Tongva*

JOHN ONLY A CHIEF, Commissioner  
*Pawnee Nation*

VACANT, Treasurer

RENE' WILLIAMS, Commissioner  
*Colville Tribes*

ALEXANDRA VALDES  
Executive Director  
*Tlingit/Athabaskan*

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1. **Call to Order**
2. **Invocation**
3. **Roll Call**
4. **Commissioner Introductions**
5. **Review and take possible action adopting unapproved November 19, 2024 Los Angeles City/County Native American Indian Commission Self Governance Board Meeting Minutes**
6. **Chair's Report**
  - a. **2024-2025 Community Services Block Grant Native American Set-Aside Funds (CSAIBG) Community Needs Assessment (CNA) Survey Updates**
  - b. **CSAIBG Public Hearing**

- 7. Executive Director's Report**
  - a. Executive Committee Elections**
- 8. Commissioner General Comments on Non-Agenda Items**
- 9. Announcements/Future Agenda Items**
- 10. Public Comment**
- 11. Board Adjournment**

Next Meeting: Tuesday, February 18, 2025 from 6:00 pm to 6:30 pm  
Location: Hall of Administration, Room 372, 500 W. Temple Street, LA, CA 90012

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Approved:

*Dawn M. Jackson*

Chairperson Dawn Jackson



**LOS ANGELES CITY/COUNTY NATIVE AMERICAN INDIAN COMMISSION  
SELF GOVERNANCE BOARD**

**November 19, 2024 Unapproved Meeting Minutes**

The November 19, 2024 meeting of the Los Angeles City/County Native American Indian Commission Self Governance Board (LANAIC SGB) was at the Autry Museum of the American West.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Chair Dawn Jackson called the meeting to order at 6:11 P.M.

**INVOCATION**

Commissioner John Only A Chief provided an invocation.

**ROLL CALL**

The following Commissioners were present:

- Chairperson Dawn Jackson
- Shawn Imitates Dog
- Mona Morales Recalde
- Denise Escoto
- Andrea Garcia
- John Only A Chief

The following Commissioners were absent:

- Rene' Williams (Excused)

Quorum was met.

No staff present.

**REVIEW AND TAKE POSSIBLE ACTION ADOPTING UNAPPROVED OCTOBER 15, 2024 MEETING MINUTES**

*A motion was made by Commissioner Andrea Garcia and seconded by Commissioner John Only A Chief to approve the unapproved October 15, 2024 LANAIC SGB Meeting minutes as presented. The motion passed.*

<b>YES</b>	Escoto, Imitates Dog, Only A Chief, Garcia
<b>NO</b>	
<b>ABSTAIN</b>	Morales Recalde, Jackson
<b>ABSENT</b>	Williams

**DISCUSSION ITEMS**



## LOS ANGELES CITY/COUNTY NATIVE AMERICAN INDIAN COMMISSION SELF GOVERNANCE BOARD

### **Upcoming community events to disseminate CSAIBG CNA Survey**

SGB Members brainstormed upcoming community events to disseminate the CSAIBG Community Needs Assessment survey at:

- November 23, 2025– Hollywood Pow wow (LA Skins Fest)
- November 23, 2025 – Native American Heritage Month event at LA City Hall
- November 24, 2025 – Drag Show at The Chapter House
- November 30, 2025 – CSUN Pow Wow
- December 14, 2025 – First United Indian Methodist Church

No booths or plans to have a SGB presence were made. SGB members were encouraged to continue to do outreach in the community and additional hard copies of the survey were passed out.

### **COMMISSIONER GENERAL COMMENTS ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS:**

None

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS/FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:**

None

### **PUBLIC COMMENT:**

None

### **BOARD ADJOURNMENT**

Chair Dawn Jackson adjourned the meeting at 6:22 PM.