AREA AGENCY ON AGING
ADVISORY COUNCIL

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MEETING AGENDA
Thursday, October 15, 2026, at 9:00 a.m.
Community Health Plan of Imperial Valley – Conference Room
512 W. Aten Road, Imperial, CA 92251

Chairperson:	**Vice-Chair:**	**Secretary:**	**Past Chair:**
Patricia Burnworth	Paul R. Monarrez	Patricia A. Thompson	AJ Gaddis
Members:			
Sup. John Hawk	Cynthia Alba	Cheryl V. Walker	John Hernandez
Sylvia Chavez	Manuel Sanchez	Helen Lopez	Daniel Romero
Anna M. Garcia	Benjamin Horton	Roland Estrada	Lucy M. Hendry
Ana Rodriguez	Ismael Lopez		
Alternates:	Mary Walla	Agnes Zsigovics	Sup. Peggy Price

Advisory Council members please be advised: **If an item on the meeting agenda relates to the provision of services by you, your immediate family, the entity you represent, or any person who has made $250 in campaign contributions to you during the last 12 months, or if approval or disapproval of an agenda item would have a foreseeable material effect on an economic interest of you, your immediate family, or the entity you represent, then please follow these procedures: When the agenda item is first introduced, please immediately announce that you are recusing yourself from participating in the agenda item, and then refrain from discussing, voting on, or otherwise influencing the Advisory Council's consideration of the agenda item.**

PUBLIC COMMENTS

This is a public meeting. Any person wishing to address the Council is asked to complete a "Request to Speak" form and submit it to the Secretary prior to the start of the meeting. When the agenda item is announced and your name is called, please come forward and address yourself to the Council. Unless the Chairperson extends the time, there is a three (3) minute time limit for each public presentation. If you wish to address the Council on any matter within the Council's jurisdiction that is not listed on the agenda, you may do so during the public comment portion of the agenda. The Council will listen to all public comments. In compliance with the Brown Act, the Council will not take any action on items that are not on the agenda. Any information provided on the Request to Speak form will be public record.

All items posted on the agenda are subject to action. Please turn off or silence all phones before the start of the meeting.

COUNCIL MEMBERS, PLEASE REVIEW AGENDA, COMPLETE YOUR CONFLICT-OF-INTEREST FORM, & PROVIDE TO AAA STAFF OR CHAIR PRIOR TO START OF MEETING

WELCOME

I. FLAG SALUTE, ROLL CALL (MEMBERS), AND INTRODUCTIONS (GUESTS): **BURNWORTH**

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES: **BURNWORTH**

September 17, 2026, Advisory Council Meeting Minutes

III. PUBLIC COMMENTS: **BURNWORTH**

IV. PRESENTATIONS:

a) **Personal Care Services – Vicente Montenegro Buenrostro, AccentCare, Community Liaison**
b) **Imperial County Aging & Disability Resource Center (ADRC) Update – Daniel Flores, Access to Independence, Program Manager**

V. ACTION / DISCUSSION ITEM(S): **BURNWORTH**

a) **Chair to appoint following Advisory Council Member to a committee:**
   - Agnes Zsigovics, MSW

   (Committee Roster included in Action/Discussion Item Va)

b) **AAA Advisory Council Quarterly Mileage Reimbursement for FY 2026-2027**
   Reminder: Mileage reports for all attended AAA Advisory Council Meetings and Committee Meetings are due by the 15th of the following month

VI. AREA AGENCY ON AGING DIRECTOR'S REPORT **ENZ**

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VII. WRITTEN COMMITTEE REPORTS: **VARIOUS**

a.	Legislative (Enclosed)	Lopez
b.	Nutrition (Enclosed)	Burnworth
c.	Transportation (Nothing to report.)	Gaddis
d.	Social & Health (Nothing to report.)	Sanchez

VIII. INFORMATION: **AAA STAFF**

a) FY 2026-2027 Attendance Roster

b) Updated FY 2026-2027 Membership Roster

c) Upcoming Events:

- Walk to End Alzheimer's – Friday, October 23, 2026, at 3:00 pm Resource Fair, 5:00 pm Walk, at United Toyota Imperial Dealership, 2351 CA-86, Imperial, CA 92251
- 2026 Indigent Burial Ceremony – Thursday, November 5, 2026, 10:00 am at Terrace Park Cemetery, 1550 Zenos Road, Holtville, CA 92250 – RSVP (442) 265-7000
- 2026 State of the County – Thursday, November 5, 2026, at 6:00 pm at the Imperial County Fairgrounds - RSVP online at: https://imperialcounty.org/sotc2026/
- Calexico National Night Out 2026 – Thursday, November 12, 2026, 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm at Calexico Police Department, 420 E. Fifth Street, Calexico, CA 92231
- Knights of Columbus Blood Drive – Sunday, November 22, 2026, at St. Anthony of Padua Parish, 210 W. 7th Street, Imperial, CA 92251

IX. ANNOUNCEMENT BY MEMBERS **VARIOUS**

X. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION **VARIOUS**

XI. ADJOURNMENT **BURNWORTH**