



Southern California Conference of Seventh-day Adventists®

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November 20, 2025

MINUTES

Members Present: Danny L. Chan, Branden Stoltz, Brett Poynter, Juan Osorio, Kathleen Diaz, Vinh Nguyen, Wayne Dunbar.

Excused: John H. Cress, Royal L. Harrison, Lawrence Dorsey II.

Chair: Danny L. Chan

Recording Secretary: Danny L. Chan

Prayer: Prayer Team

Minutes

339-25 DLC to approve the minutes of **November 6, 2025**.

Travel

340-25 RLH **VOTED** to authorize the travel request for **Jeff Mills** to travel to Ontario, CA, to attend the Treasury Meetings on November 11, 2025, paid by Treasury.

341-25 RLH **VOTED** to authorize the travel request for **Mary Greene** to travel to Ontario, CA, to attend the Fall Education Council on November 10 - 13, 2025, paid by Education.

342-25 RLH **VOTED** to authorize the travel request for **Nelly Martin** to travel to Ontario, CA, to attend the Fall Education Council on November 12, 2025, paid by Education.

343-25 RLH **VOTED** to authorize the travel request for **Joelis Colmenarez** to travel to Prescott, AZ, to attend the Souls West Students visit on November 17 - 18, 2025, paid by Literature Ministries.

344-25 RLH **VOTED** to authorize the travel request for **Nicholas Perez** to travel to Orlando, FL, to attend the Beyond the Bottom Line on March 22 - 24, 2026, paid by Treasury.

345-25 RLH **VOTED** to authorize the travel request for **Jaime Heras** to travel to Louisville, KY, to attend the Adventist Ministries Convention – Abuse Prevention on January 29 - 30, 2026, paid by SCC.

346-25 RLH **VOTED** to authorize the travel request for **Lawrence Dorsey II** to travel to Mexican Rivera, to attend the 2026 WCBAC on February 22 - 27, 2026, paid by Region.

Danny L. Chan, Executive Secretary
Audrey Zorek, Executive Assistant



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- 347-25 RLH VOTED to authorize the travel request for **Erika Robinson** to travel to Louisville, KY, to attend the Children's Ministries Retreat/Convention on January 19 - 25, 2026, paid by Children's Ministries.
- 348-25 RLH VOTED to authorize the travel request for **Stephanie Ramirez** to travel to Louisville, KY, to attend the Children's Ministries Retreat/Convention on January 19 - 25, 2026, paid by Children's Ministries.
- 349-25 RLH VOTED to authorize the travel request for **Avangie Guzman** to travel to Louisville, KY, to attend the Children's Ministries Retreat/Convention on January 19 - 25, 2026, paid by Children's Ministries.
- 350-25 RLH VOTED to authorize the travel request for **Ataru Nakagawa** to travel to Fresno, CA, to visit the Japanese Church members on November 30 – December 3, 2025, paid by Self.
- 351-25 RLH VOTED to authorize the travel request for **Ataru Nakagawa** to travel to Westlake Village, CA, to attend the A/P Advisory Year-end Meeting on November 17, 2025, paid by SCC.
- 352-25 RLH VOTED to authorize the travel request for **Etuini Mouna** to travel to Nuku'alofa, TO, to attend a Tonga Mission 2025 Session on December 2 - 18, 2025, paid by the Tonga Mission of the SDA Church.
- 353-25 RLH VOTED to authorize the travel request for **Carlos Varona** to travel to Placerville, CA, November 29 - 30, 2025, paid by the Self.

Duplicate Housing

- 354-25 KVD VOTED to approve "Phase Two" of Duplicate Housing assistance for **Tony Rodriguez** according to Policy.

Additional Items

- Tithe Report** Kathleen Diaz presented the Tithe Report for October with hopeful news of an excellent October, with some concern for the shortfall for the year altogether. A discussion was had about attending to church remittance with the goal of full remittance for the end of the year.

- Healthcare Plan** Kathleen Diaz gave an update on the new Healthcare Plan, which will be a significant increase of over \$600,000 for the 2026 budget.



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PUC Executive Secretary Council

Danny Chan shared an update on the Pacific Union Executive Secretary's Council on November 17, 2025, and announced the Union Executive Committee and Ministerial Council to be held in Palm Desert, August 16-19, 2026.