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**MINUTES**  
City of Modesto  
**CITIZENS' SALARY SETTING COMMISSION**

Conference Room 2005, Second Floor  
Tenth Street Place, 1010 10th Street  
Modesto, California 95354  
Monday, March 23, 2026, at 3:15 p.m.

Roll Call – Present: Julie Saugstad, Seth Simas, Steven Zagaris,  
Colleen Preston, Vice Chair, Roldon (Sandy) Sutton, Chair

**PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD**

None.

**COMMENTS BY E-MAIL**

None.

**NEW BUSINESS**

1. Consider approving the minutes from the March 16, 2026 Citizens' Salary Setting Commission meeting. (*Dana Sanchez, Assistant City Clerk*)

**ACTION: (Simas/Preston; 5/0)** Motion approving the minutes from the March 16, 2026 Citizens' Salary Setting Commission meeting.

2. Discussion and Preparation of Initial Salary Recommendations for the Mayor and Councilmembers for the Upcoming Salary Setting Commission Hearings. (*Christina Alger, Director of Human Resources, and Dana Sanchez, Assistant City Clerk*)

**ACTION:** Staff will prepare the consolidated initial working draft recommendation for review at the next meeting.

*Commissioner Sutton left the meeting at 4:42 p.m.*

3. Consider reviewing the Citizens' Salary Setting Commission Timeline. (*Dana Sanchez, Assistant City Clerk*)

**ACTION: (Simas/Zagaris; 4/0; Sutton absent)** Motion approving the timeline for upcoming meetings. Regular meeting March 30, 2026 at 3:15 p.m., 1<sup>st</sup> Public Hearing April

6, 2026 at 3:15 p.m., 2<sup>nd</sup> Public Hearing April 13, 2026 at 6 p.m., Special meeting April 14, 2026 at 3:15 p.m.

**MATTERS TOO LATE FOR THE AGENDA**

None.

**ADJOURNMENT**

This meeting adjourned at 4:53 p.m.

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dana Sanchez, Assistant City Clerk