



Measure V Oversight Committee Meeting Agenda

4:00 PM - January 27, 2026

Measure V Committee Members

Ronald Baker	George Morris, Jr.
Chris Buzzard	Chris Rehmann
Patricia Elkerton	Dee Riley
Autumn Field	Sharon Simonton
Gail Larsen	Bruce Yerman

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1. OPENING

- 1a. Call to Order
- 1b. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America
- 1c. Roll Call

2. ITEMS

- 2a. Approve minutes of the October 28, 2025 Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee Meeting. (ROLL CALL VOTE) (**Melanie Elvis/Town Clerk**)
- 2b. Review the year-to-date report from the Measure V Citizens Oversight Committee to the residents of the Town of Paradise for the fiscal year ending 2025/2026. (**Aimee Beleu/Finance Director**)
- 2c. Presentation of the Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee sponsored vehicles.

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

4. ADJOURNMENT

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)	SS.
COUNTY OF BUTTE)	
I declare under penalty of perjury that I am employed by the Town of Paradise in the Town Clerk's Department and that I posted this Agenda on the bulletin Board both inside and outside of Town Hall on the following date:	
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Measure V Oversight Committee Meeting Minutes

4:00 PM – October 28, 2025

1. OPENING

The October 28, 2025, meeting of the Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee was called to order by Chair Ronald Baker at 4:00 p.m. who led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Autumn Field, Gail Larson, George Morris, Jr., Chris Rehmann, Dee Riley, Sharon Simonton, and Ronald Baker, Chair

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Patricia Elkerton

2. ITEMS

- 2a. **MOTION by Larson, seconded by Baker**, approved minutes from July 22, 2025, Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee meeting. AYES: Field, Larsen, Rehmann, Riley, Simonton, Baker; NOES: None; ABSTAIN: Morris; ABSENT: Elkerton. Motion Passes.
- 2b. Finance Director/Town Treasurer Aimee Bealeu presented the year-to-date report from the Measure V Citizens Oversight Committee to the residents of the Town of Paradise for the fiscal year ending 2025/2026.
- 2c. Town Clerk Melanie Elvis presented recommended changes to the Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee Bylaws.

MOTION by Rehmann, seconded by Larsen, approved the recommended changes to the Measure V Citizen Oversight Committee Bylaws as presented. Roll call vote was unanimous with Elkerton absent and not voting.

3. PUBLIC COMMENT – None

4. ADJOURNMENT

Chair Baker adjourned the meeting at 4:22 p.m.

Date approved:

By: _____
Ronald Baker, Chair

Melanie Elvis, Town Clerk

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Paradise Residents
Elected Officials
Citizen Stakeholders

Paradise residents voted in Measure C, a half percent (0.50%) transaction and use tax, effective April 1, 2015, which automatically expired March 31, 2021. During the November 6, 2018 election, Paradise residents voted in Measure V, a ten year continuation of Measure C, effective April 1, 2021. The ballot measure requires a nine-person citizen oversight committee to ensure the funds are spent in accordance with the voter approved measure. The language states, in part, the funds will be used to preserve public services such as police protection, fire suppression, street maintenance, animal control, and other services for residents of the Town of Paradise.

Attached is the preliminary quarterly report from the Citizen's Oversight Committee to the residents of Paradise for the 2nd quarter of the 2025/26 fiscal year. The Committee meets quarterly, and all meetings are open to the public. The Committee will report every quarter on revenues and expenditures. All reports will be available at Town Hall or on the Town of Paradise website at www.townofparadise.com.

Sincerely,

Chairperson

Measure V Citizens Oversight Committee

Vice-Chairperson

Measure V Citizens Oversight Committee

Measure V
2nd Quarter
Revenue/Expenditure
Summary

	Budget	Year to Date
Beginning Fund Measure V Balance	300,972	300,972
2025/2026 Revenue Totals	1,330,000	308,819
Total Expenditure Allocations	1,024,078	724,401
<i>Net Change in Fund Balance</i>	305,922	(415,582)
Measure V Ending Fund Balance:	606,894	(114,610)

Measure V
2nd Quarter
Allocated Expenditures

2025/2026					
Department	Year	Measure V Expenditures	Budget	Year to Date	Balance
301 - Police Operations	2026	Police cadet sponsorship or new hire incentive	20,000	-	20,000
301 - Police Operations	2026	Operational Supplies & Support	1,000	263	737
301 - Police Operations	2026	K9 Program training, food and vet costs	32,000	12,382	19,618
301 - Police Operations	2026	Mandatory and Essential POST Training	45,000	27,084	17,916
301 - Police Operations	2026	CSO Transport	96,527	81,789	14,738
301 - Police Operations	2026	Truck Conversion	31,000	-	31,000
301 - Police Operations	2026	K-9 Chevrolet Tahoe 4x4 and related equipment	113,487	17,236	96,251
303 - Animal Control	2026	Fund Animal Control and Shelter Operations - Operating Costs	55,000	-	55,000
326 - Fire Suppression	2026	CAL FIRE Personnel Services	250,000	250,000	-
345 - Public Works Fleet	2026	Fleet Modernization - Public Works Utility Truck	80,027	71,381	8,646
2024/2025 Totals			724,041	460,135	263,906

2024/2025					
Department	Year	Measure V Expenditures	Budget	Year to Date	Balance
301 - Police Operations	2025	Two Chevrolet Tahoes and related equipment	36,062	14,312	21,750
325 - Fire Administration	2025	Fire Station 82 Facilities Improvements	16,894	2,873	14,021
345 - Public Works Fleet	2025	Fleet Modernization - Cost Increase	99,954	99,954	-
2024/2025 Totals			152,910	117,139	35,771

2023/2024					
Department	Year	Measure V Expenditures	Budget	Year to Date	Balance
345 - Public Works Fleet	2024	Fleet Modernization	147,127	147,127	-
2023/2024 Totals			147,127	147,127	-