

Agenda Item A.3 **ADMINISTRATIVE AGENDA**

Meeting Date: December 9, 2025

TO: Goleta Design Review Board

SUBMITTED BY: Mary Chang, Design Review Board Secretary

SUBJECT: Design Review Board Meeting Schedule for 2026

RECOMMENDATION:

Confirm the 2026 Design Review Board Meeting Schedule provided as Attachment A, including no meetings on three regular hearing dates: March 24, 2026 (School Districts Spring break); November 24, 2026 (Thanksgiving week); and December 22, 2026 (City holiday closure).

DISCUSSION

The DRB's regularly scheduled meeting date is the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. The DRB typically does not hold meetings on dates that the City organization observes as holidays or closures, which in 2026 will be December 22nd (holiday closure).

The table provided as Attachment A lists the regularly scheduled meeting dates for the calendar year 2026, with three proposed cancelled dates.

As noted above, there is one date that the Design Review Board will not meet because of recognized City holidays/closures (December 22nd) and two other potential conflicts with regularly scheduled Design Review Board meetings in 2026 as follows:

March 24, 2026 Spring Break for UCSB, GUSD, and SBUSD

November 24, 2026 Tuesday of Thanksgiving week

December 22, 2026 City Closure

The first date conflicts with spring break/end of academic quarter break observed by the local public-school districts and the University of California. The second occurs on November 24th, the Tuesday of Thanksgiving week. Community members and board members may be traveling, and local school districts will not be holding classes on Thanksgiving week, and/or might not be prepared to engage in hearing matters during this holiday week.

In regard to the summer months, it is up to the Design Review Board whether the Board

wants to limit meetings to one per month. The City Council and DRB tend to only hold one meeting per month during July and August. The decision regarding which meeting dates will be necessary during the summer of 2026 can be made closer to the summer months. The Design Review Board may decide whether there are any additional hearing dates that it would be appropriate to cancel.

Based on the conflicts noted above, staff recommends cancelling March 24, 2026 (School Districts Spring break); November 24, 2025 (Thanksgiving week); and December 22, 2025 (City holiday closure).

Attachment A: DRB 2026 Meeting Dates

ATTACHMENT A

DRB 2026 Calendar

ATTACHMENT 1

DRB 2026 Meeting Dates	
(2nd and 4th Tuesdays)	
January	13
January	27
February	10
February	24
March	10
March	*24 cancelled
April	14
April	28
May	12
Мау	26
June	9
June	23
July	14
July	28
August	11
August	25
September	8
September	22
October	13
October	27
November	10
November	*24 Cancelled
December	8
December	*22 Cancelled

^{*}Cancel due to Holiday conflict or City closure