



Humboldt County Fish & Game Advisory Commission Agenda

Tuesday, March 17, 2026

6:00 PM

This meeting is held at the Elk's Club
445 Herrick Avenue
Eureka, CA

1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

Paul Amato, Bruce Cann, Kelly Patton, Kenny Priest, Brad Smith, Jeff Stackhouse, Katherine Stonecypher, Todd Wagner, Mike Zamboni and Nancy Kaytis-Slocum, Secretary. Five needed for Quorum.

2. SPEAKER: Supervisor Natalie Aroyo.

3. AGENDA MODIFICATIONS

4. PUBLIC COMMENT

This portion of the meeting is reserved for people desiring to address the committee on matters not on the agenda. Pursuant to the Brown Act (Govt. Code Section 54950 et seq.) action or commission discussion cannot be taken on open time matters, other than to receive the comments, and if deemed necessary, to refer the subject matter to the appropriate agency or department, for follow-up and/or to schedule the matter on a subsequent commission agenda.

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. Approve the February 17, 2026 minutes.

6. COMMITTEE REPORTS/UPDATES

A. Grant Funding. – Secretary Kaytis-Slocum

B. General Plan Subcommittee Update. Commissioners Amato and Cann.

- C. Fishing
 - a. Fish Cleaning Stations subcommittee report – Commissioners Smith, Wagner and Patton
 - b. PFMC –
- D. Hunting
 - a. Elk Working Group Meeting - Commissioner Mike Zamboni or Brad Smith
 - b. Discussion of geese hunting season date changes. See Action item 9C
- E. Wind Farm – Commissioner Kate Stonecypher
- F. Yearly report to the Board of Supervisors regarding accomplishments of HCFGAC. – Secretary Kaytis-Slocum and Commissioner Paul Amato. See Action Items 9A1 and 9A2.
- G. HCF&GAC Bylaws – Brad Smith See Action Item 9B
- H. Eel River Dams – Bruce Cann

7. OLD BUSINESS

8. NEW BUSINESS

9. ACTION ITEMS

- A. Yearly Report: Suggested motion: Approve the Yearly Report as presented (or modified) and assign Commissioner Paul Amato or Chair Kenny Priest to present to the Board of Supervisors.
- B. Bylaws: Suggested Motion: Approve the HCF&GAC Bylaws as presented (or modified) and forward to the Board of Supervisors for approval.
- C. Geese Hunting date changes: Suggested Motion: Approve sending the letter to the Board of Supervisors, suggesting they send it to the Pacific Flyway Council.

10. OTHER REPORTS

- A. Fishing and hunting regulations
- B. Legislative updates

11. NEXT MEETING DATE

- A. April 21, 2026

12. ADJOURNMENT