

**Tulare Local Healthcare District  
Board of Directors Meeting  
Wednesday, February 25, 2026, 6:00 PM  
Evolutions Plaza Conference Room  
1425 E. Prosperity Avenue**

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# AGENDA

February 25, 2026

**NOTICE: All agenda items are subject to potential action by the Board of Directors.**

## Tulare Local Healthcare District Board Members:

Kevin Northcraft	President	District 4
Mike Jamaica	Vice President	District 2
Xavier J. Avila	Secretary	District 5
Jevon Price	Treasurer	District 3
Kathy Nesper	Director	District 1

### 1. Call to Order

- a. Roll Call
- b. Welcome/Introductions
- c. Pledge of Allegiance

**2. Public Comment:** The public may comment on any item of public interest within the jurisdiction of the Tulare Local Healthcare District Board of Directors. In the interest of time and equal opportunity, speakers are requested to observe a 3-minute maximum time limit (subject to change at the Chair's direction). In accordance with the Brown Act, if a member of the public addresses an item not on the posted agenda, no response or action on the item may occur during the meeting.

### 3. Announcements – Board

### 4. Approval of Board Meeting Minutes (*Attachment*)

- a. Regular Board Meeting 1/28/2026

### 5. Adventist Health Tulare Update – Central California Network, Adventist Health

### 6. Tulare Hospital & Community Health Foundation Update – Barbara Harrell, President

### 7. Discussion and Possible Action to Approve Financial Reports

- a. January 2026 Financial Report (*Attachment*)

### 8. Action Items. Discussion and Possible Action To Approve:

- a. Projects
- b. Other Item(s)
  - i. Resolution 937 to Declare Certain Non-Medical Equipment and Supplies as Surplus – (*Attachment*)
  - ii. New Positions Request (*Attachments*)

**9. Construction Manager Report – Brett Scott**

- a. Hospital
  - i. Existing Hospital Kitchen Remodel
- b. Tower
  - i. Exterior Stairs
  - ii. Elevator Framing and Drywall
  - iii. Helipad
- c. Evolutions
  - i. Plumbing Upgrades
  - ii. Interior Paint

**10. Administrative Director Report – Eva Berkan (*Attachment*)**

**11. Chief Executive Officer Report – Randy Dodd**

- a. Solor Rebate Update
- b. Strategic Planning Work Session Update
- c. Seismic Assessment Update
- d. Tower Construction
  - i. Project Scope Update
- e. Ongoing conversations and planning with Adventist Health
  - i. Joint Marketing
- f. Additional Project Updates as Desired by Board or Noted by Staff

**12. Conclude Open Session**

**13. Closed Session**

- a. Conference with Legal Counsel – Potential Litigation (*pursuant to Govt. Code § 54956.9*) (one item).

**14. End Closed Session**

**15. Reconvene Open Session – Public Report of Action Taken in Closed Session (If Necessary) pursuant to Government Code 54957.1.**

**16. Adjournment – Next scheduled meeting is the Strategic Planning Work Session, February 28, 8:00AM, at the Evolutions Plaza Conference Room, 1425 E. Prosperity Avenue, Tulare, CA 93274 and the next regular meeting is scheduled for 6:00 PM on Wednesday, March 25, 2026, at the Evolutions Plaza Conference Room, 1425 E. Prosperity Avenue, Tulare, CA 93274.**