



## Child Abuse Prevention Council of San Benito County

Epicenter  
440 San Benito St.

**May 1, 2025**  
**Meeting Minutes**

**Present:** Erica Elliot, Olivia Tauvinkl, Thomas Breen, Joshua Mercier, A. Melgoza, Ashlyn Canez

**Absent:** Kendra Bobsin, Krystal Lomanto, Jennady Bonilla (youth intern), Esther Curtice (CAPC Coord.), Isabel Littlejohn, Nancy Barocio, Gwen Baqurian

**Guest present:** Vicki Fortino (United for San Benito)

**Public present:** None

1. **Call Meeting to Order & Roll Call:** Erica Elliott called the meeting to order at 4:06 PM.
2. **Acknowledge Posting of Agenda:** Josh posted on the County's website. Esther posted on the County's Bulletin Board.
3. **Public Comment:** No public comment.
4. **Approval of Minutes:** Review Minutes from February and April 2025. A quorum was not present at the beginning of the meeting. Minutes not approved.
5. **Old Business (Discussion Only):** N/A
6. **New Business (discussion only):**
  1. Vicki Fortino requesting support for 211 program, needs 40K to cover marketing, call center and website costs. Already secured 14k. Shared information for Dolly Parton's Imagination Library. Erica explained this would need to go to RFP and reporting expectations.
  2. Santa Clara County giving grants for 5k, CAPC can use this as an example for how to give locally. RFP formats to discuss at June meeting. Can give an estimated 10-15k on grants.
  3. Review events from April:
    - a. Healthy Kids Day 4/26 with Esther and Nancy. Went well.
    - b. Proclamation with Esther, Olivia and Nancy. Went well.
    - c. Unsung Hero, only note to reduce food we order and limit narratives to 150 words. Otherwise successful event!
7. **Action Items:** N/A
8. **Adjournment:** Erica adjourned the meeting at 5:04 pm.

Next meeting: June 5, 2025 at 4:00 pm at Epicenter, 440 San Benito St., Hollister, CA 95023

**Respectfully submitted by O. Tauvinkl**