



Annual Meeting
Thursday, October 22, 2026 - 3:30 – 5:30 p.m.
419 State Street, Santa Barbara, CA 93101

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order:** **David de L' Arbres (DD)**
- 2. Welcome & Opening Remarks** **DD**
- 3. Annual Report** **R. Elander 20 minutes**
Recommended Action: Receive a presentation on organizational progress and a look ahead by Robin Elander, DSBI Executive Director.
Public Comment: Any member of the public may comment for up to 3 minutes.
- 4. 2027 Board Elections** **DD 15 minutes**
Recommended Action: Board President, David de L' Arbres shares the recommendations of the nominations and executive committee for 2027 Board members and honors those who will completing their service terms.

New Board Member Nominees for 2027:
Justin Diem, Todd Eliason, Mitchell Sjerven, Sarah York Rubin, CJ Young, Jessica de L' Arbres, Thomas Luria, Maria Wilson

Current Board Members nominated for reelection:
David de L' Arbres, Kirk Lagerquist, Anne Petersen, Ron Robertson

Outgoing Board Members: Chris Cline, Stenn Parton, Stephanie Payne-Campbell, Crosby Slaught, Richard Yates

Public Comment: Any member of the public may comment for up to 3 minutes.

Board Elections ***Vote***
Recommended Action: Current Board members vote for the 2027 Board of Directors who will begin their terms in January 2027. Officers will be elected at the first board meeting in January by the 2027 board].
- 5. Adjourn to Networking Mixer** **DD 4:30 – 5:30 pm**
- 6. Board member photo**
Current and New Board members remain briefly for a group photo.

7. Meeting Schedule:

Special Board meeting, Thursday, November 5th from 12- 1:30 pm (note special time due to Thanksgiving holiday)

Civil Sidewalks, Land Use and Placemaking Combined Committee meeting:

November 12, 12 – 1:30 pm;

Executive Committee Meeting, Thursday, November 19, 12 – 1:30 pm

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