

**MINUTES OF THE AVONDALE
COUNCIL SUBCOMMITTEE ON BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, AND COMMITTEES
CITY OF AVONDALE, ARIZONA
August 26, 2025**

A **Regular Meeting** of the Council Subcommittee on Boards, Commissions, and Committees of the City of Avondale, Arizona was convened using the Microsoft Teams Meeting platform in open and public session at 4:30 p.m.

Members Present: Subcommittee Chair Gloria Solorio*, and Subcommittee Members Shari Weise and Max White.

**Subcommittee Chair Solorio was present via Zoom.*

Other Municipal Officials Present: Katie Gregory, Assistant City Manager; Jodie Novak, Development Services Director; Catherine Lorbeer, Deputy Director of Planning; and Marcella Sarmiento, City Clerk.

Audience: 3 members of the public were present.

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair Solorio made a motion to approve the meeting minutes of August 6, 2025, seconded by Subcommittee Member Weise.

Upon vote, the motion carried unanimously 3 to 0.

Subcommittee Chair Gloria Solorio	Aye
Subcommittee Member Max White	Aye
Subcommittee Member Shari Weise	Aye

2. PLANNING COMMISSION INTERVIEWS

The Council Subcommittee on Boards, Commissions, and Committees interviewed the following individuals for the position of Planning Commissioner:

- Kristopher Ortega - Date Applied: 11/14/2024
- Hector Arellano - Date Applied: 9/25/2024
- Brian Carrillo - Date Applied: 9/17/2024
- Crystal Lopez-Davey - Date Applied: 10/11/2024
- Cindy de la Riva - Date Applied: 10/28/2024

3. PLANNING COMMISSION APPOINTMENT

Subcommittee Member White made a motion to recommend appointment of Crystal Lopez-Davey, seconded by Subcommittee Member Weise.

Upon vote, the motion carried unanimously 3 to 0.

Subcommittee Chair Gloria Solorio	Aye
Subcommittee Member Max White	Aye
Subcommittee Member Shari Weise	Aye

Subcommittee Member White made a motion to recommend appointment of Kristopher Ortega for future vacancies, seconded by Subcommittee Member Weise.

Upon vote, the motion carried unanimously 3 to 0.

Subcommittee Chair Gloria Solorio	Aye
Subcommittee Member Max White	Aye
Subcommittee Member Shari Weise	Aye


4. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business before the Council Subcommittee, Subcommittee Member White moved to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Subcommittee Member Weise.

Upon vote, the motion was carried unanimously 3 to 0.

Subcommittee Chair Gloria Solorio	Aye
Subcommittee Member Max White	Aye
Subcommittee Member Shari Weise	Aye


The meeting adjourned at 6:05 P.M.


[gloria solorio \(Nov 18, 2025 15:51:17 MST\)](#)

Subcommittee Chair

CERTIFICATION AND ATTESTATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing minutes are a true and correct copy of the minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Council Subcommittee on Boards, Commissions, and Committees of the City of Avondale held on the 26th day of August 2025. I further certify that the meeting was duly called and held, and that the quorum was present.



Marcella Sarmiento, City Clerk

November 3, 2025

Date Approved by the Subcommittee