

California Travel and Tourism Commission  
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**TO:** California Travel and Tourism Commission  
Secretary of State  
Travel Industry Association  
Members of the Public Who Have Requested Notification

**FROM:** Caroline Beteta, President & Chief Executive Officer

**DATE:** Friday, May 6, 2016

**RE:** PUBLIC NOTICE OF CALIFORNIA TRAVEL AND TOURISM COMMISSION MEETING

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A California Travel and Tourism Commission meeting is scheduled to take place on May 17, 2016. The order of business within the meeting is subject to change.

The meeting details are as follows:

**Meeting:** California Travel and Tourism Commission Meeting  
**Date:** Tuesday, May 17, 2016  
**Time:** 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

**Meeting Location:** The Inn at Spanish Bay  
2700 17 Mile Drive  
Pebble Beach, California 93953  
(831) 574-5605

**Other Meeting Locations:** None

The agenda is attached for your reference.

**For Commissioners, Staff and Consultants:**

If you haven't already, please RSVP to Diane Grewe at (916) 319-5409 or [dgrewe@visitcalifornia.com](mailto:dgrewe@visitcalifornia.com), if you are planning to participate so we can ensure that pertinent meeting materials reach you.

**Public Notice:**

No RSVP, notice or registration is required to attend this meeting. Members of the public may attend or speak at the meeting without prior notice to the Commission. Signing, registering or completing any RSVP is voluntary and is not a requirement for attendance at any California Travel and Tourism Commission meeting. All persons may attend the meeting regardless of whether he or she signs in, registers or RSVPs.

The meeting is accessible to the physically disabled. A person who needs disability-related accommodations or modifications in order to participate in the meeting shall make a request no later than five (5) working days before the meeting to the Board by contacting Diane Grewe at (916) 319-5409 or [dgrewe@visitcalifornia.com](mailto:dgrewe@visitcalifornia.com) or sending a written request for that person at the California Travel and Tourism Commission address of 555 Capitol Mall, Suite 1100, Sacramento,

California, 95814. Requests for further information should be directed to Diane Grewe at the same address and telephone number.

The Agenda and Public Meeting Notice are available at [industry.visitcalifornia.com/agendas](http://industry.visitcalifornia.com/agendas)

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## AGENDA

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- I. Call to Order
  - a. Roll Call
  - b. Approval of February 24, 2016 Meeting Minutes
- II. Opening Remarks
  - a. Industry/Vice Chair Leadership Platforms - Building a Bridge to 2019
    - i. Project Time Off
    - ii. ROI
- III. CEO Report
  - a. National perspective on tourism and the economy
    - i. Brand USA update and priorities
    - ii. US Travel advocacy and key industry issues
  - b. State perspective on tourism and the economy
    - i. Updated economic impact numbers
    - ii. Administration Perspective and Policy Update
  - c. Current Commission Operations, Action Items and Priorities
    - i. Visit California Anniversary Planning
  - d. Headlines from the Industry
    1. Product Round Up
    2. Investment
  - e. "Visit California at Work"
- IV. Guest Speaker: Secretary Karen Ross, California Department of Food & Agriculture
- V. Nominating Committee Update
  - a. Open Discussion, Consideration and Vote on Recommendations and Nominations of Candidates to Fill Existing Vacancies for Referendum
  - b. Open Discussion, Consideration and Vote on Recommendations and Nominations of Candidates to Fill Existing Vacancies on the Executive Committee
  - c. Open Discussion, Consideration and Vote on Recommendations and Nominations of Chair and Vice Chair of CEO Destination Council
- VI. Public Affairs/Why Travel Matters
  - a. National Travel & Tourism Week
  - b. California Tourism Month Resolution

- c. CALED Annual Conference
- d. "National Parks Adventure" Screening and Legislative Reception
- e. Crisis Communications
  - i. Drought/Snow Report
  - ii. Los Angeles Brownouts

VII. Finance

- a. Present, Discuss and Vote on Reviewed Financial Statements for Period Ending February 29, 2016
- b. Present, Discuss and Vote on FY16/17 Budget

VIII. Upcoming Visit California Events

- a. AMGEN Tour of California - May 2016
- b. China CEO Mission – May 2016
- c. IPW - June 20 - 24, 2016
  - i. Road to 2019 IPW Anaheim
- d. Australia Sales & Media Mission - August 21 - 27, 2016
- e. Los Angeles Media Event - September 2016
- f. IFTM (Paris, France) - September 20 -23, 2016
- g. JATA Tourism Expo (Tokyo, Japan) - September 24 - 26, 2016
- h. Deep Dive India Trade Retreat - September 24 - 26, 2016
- i. Visit California Fall Board Meeting - October 14, 2016 (Beverly Hills)
- j. Visit California Outlook Forum - February 27-28, 2017 (Santa Barbara)
- k. Visit California Winter Board Meeting - March 1, 2017 (Santa Barbara)

IX. Public Comment on Matters Not on the Agenda

X. Agenda Items for Future Meetings

XI. Adjournment