



City of Arts & Innovation

Museum of Riverside Board Memorandum

TO: MUSEUM OF RIVERSIDE BOARD DATE: JULY 22, 2026

FROM: CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE WARDS: ALL

SUBJECT: PRESENTATION ON THE BROWN ACT – CALIFORNIA'S OPEN MEETING
LAW

ISSUE:

That the Museum of Riverside Board receive and file a presentation from the City Attorney's Office on the Brown Act, also known as California's Open Meeting Law.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Museum of Riverside Board receive and file a presentation from the City Attorney's Office on the Brown Act, also known as California's Open Meeting Law.

BACKGROUND:

The Brown Act was enacted in 1953 and is codified in the California Government Code, section 54950, et seq. In general, the Brown Act requires the deliberations and actions of California's public agency governing boards, commissions, and councils be taken openly and in public.

The City Attorney's Office has prepared a presentation to present to the Museum of Riverside Board reviewing the requirements of the Brown Act, also known as California's Open Meeting Law.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact for this presentation.

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Attachment: Presentation