

**LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION OF MONTEREY COUNTY  
MEETING AND COMMISSION INFORMATION**

**Legislative Reference:** Government Code Section 56000, Cortese-Knox-Hertzberg Local Government Reorganization Act of 2000, as amended.

**Membership:**

- Two members of the Board of Supervisors, selected by the Board Chair, and an alternate;
- Two members of the city legislative bodies, selected by the Mayors Selection Committee, and an alternate;
- Two members of independent special district legislative bodies, elected by the Independent Special Districts Selection Committee, and an alternate;
- One member from the Public sector, selected by at least one Commissioner from each of the 3 groups, and an alternate.

**Staffing:** The Commission is staffed by the Executive Officer of LAFCO, Senior Analyst, the LAFCO Clerk to the Commission, and LAFCO General Counsel under contract.

**Terms:** Each Commissioner is appointed to a 4-year term, ending the first Monday in May.

**Responsibilities:** LAFCO is an independent regulatory authority of the State of California. The Commission makes decisions about local government boundaries and spheres of influence of the cities and districts in Monterey County. Legislative purposes are to encourage the orderly growth of cities and districts; protect agricultural lands and open space; discourage urban sprawl, and ensure the efficient delivery of local government services.

**Meeting Date, Time and Place:** Meetings are generally held on the 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of each month, 4:00 p.m., Monterey County Government Center, Board of Supervisors Chambers, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, 168 W. Alisal St. in Salinas.

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**List of Commissioners and Their Terms**

<b>Seat Represented</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Expires</b>
Board of Supervisors	John M. Phillips	May, 2019
Board of Supervisors	Simón Salinas	May, 2017
Alternate for Supervisors	Fernando Armenta	May, 2017
City of Salinas	Joe Gunter	May 2019
City of Seaside	Ralph Rubio	May 2016
City of Gonzales (Alternate City Member)	Maria Orozco	May 2016
Public	Sherwood Darington	May 2018
Alternate for Public	Matt Gourley	May 2018
Special District	Graig R. Stephens	May 2018
Special District	Steve Snodgrass	May 2016
Alternate for Special District	Warren E. Poitras	May 2016