


## MEMORANDUM

**Date:** January 2, 2026

**To:** Mayor and City Council

**From:** Gerry Beaudin, City Manager   
Jocelyn Kwong, City Clerk

**Subject:** SB 707: Transmittal of Ralph M. Brown Act

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In 2025, Senate Bill 707 ("SB 707") was adopted and changes several provisions of the Ralph M. Brown Act ("Brown Act") that will be implemented over the next six months. SB 707 requires the distribution of the Brown Act to governing board members. As a member of the City's legislative body, we are providing you with the full text of the Brown Act (Government Code sections 54950-54963) as amended effective January 1, 2026.

The full text of the code is available here:

[https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/codes\\_displayText.xhtml?lawCode=GOV&division=2.&title=5.&part=1.&chapter=9.&article=](https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/codes_displayText.xhtml?lawCode=GOV&division=2.&title=5.&part=1.&chapter=9.&article=)

Please contact Jocelyn if you would like a printed copy of the code sections.