Meeting Minutes

Advisory Committee for a Resilient Nevada

May 27, 2026

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I. Call to order: Welcome, introductions and announcements

The meeting was called to order at 1 p.m.

Members present: Jaime Ross (chair), TJ Mills, Dinita Smith, Alyssa Planas, Taylor Tomlinson, Mason Turner, Anne Elizabeth Northan vice chair, Wonswayla Mackey, Jamie Hatfield

Members absent: Erin Aboud, Bailey Gonzales, Samuel Hickson, Edward Kovacs III, Malieka Toston

Staff and guests present: Ashlyn Acero, Tina Gerber-Winn, Terry Kerns, Belkis Quezada, Joan Waldock, Jess Angel, Karina Fox, Heather Kerwin, Nathan Orme, Dawn Yohey, Henna Rasul, Belkis Quezada and Zoe Houghton

II. Public comment #1

None.

III. For possible action: Approval of April 30, 2026, meeting minutes

The committee reviewed the minutes of the April 30, 2026, meeting.

Motion: Alyssa Planas moved to approve the minutes with no edits.

Second: Timothy Mills.

Vote: Passed unanimously.

IV. For possible action: Amend and Approve the ACRN Bylaws

Chair Jamie Ross reviewed the existing bylaw language regarding subcommittees and explained the proposed change: removing the "non-voting" designation so that individuals who are not members of the full ACRN may serve as **voting members** of subcommittees. This change reflects guidance from the Senior Deputy Attorney General. No further discussion was offered.

Motion: Timothy Mills moved to approve the bylaw change.

Second: Anne-Elizabeth Northan

Vote: Passed unanimously

V. For possible action: Subcommittee Appointments and Reports

Summary: The committee reviewed current subcommittee membership and encouraged all ACRN members to participate in at least one subcommittee. Updated rosters were presented, and new appointments were made during the meeting.

New appointments

Anne-Elizabeth W. Northan moved **from Prevention** to the **Data and Social Determinants of Health** subcommittee.

Mason Turner joined the **Treatment** subcommittee.

Subcommittee chairs were reminded they may appoint non ACRN -subject matter- experts as voting members.

Subcommittee updates

Prevention and Harm Reduction: Focus on universal, selective, and indicated strategies; evidence-based programming; early identification; -whole family- supports; stigma reduction; and incorporating ACEs, PACEs, and PCEs into prevention planning.

Treatment: Emphasis on workforce development (including exploring licensing reciprocity/grandfathering), provider education, improved care coordination during high-risk transitions, access to medications for opioid use disorder, -evidence-based treatment standards and- expanded peer support.

Data and Social Determinants of Health: Focus on improving statewide data connectivity, evaluating program outcomes, and understanding how services interconnect. A proposal was discussed for a time limited independent evaluation of FRN- -funded programs using a green/yellow/red decision framework.

No motion was made, and **no vote was taken**, as this agenda item was informational and preparatory.

VI. For possible action: ACRN Biennial Report

The committee reviewed the draft ACRN Biennial Report and discussed remaining sections to be completed before the June 30 submission deadline. Tina Gerber-Winn walked through the appendices, updated bylaws, member biographies, and orientation materials. Members were invited to send updated bios or corrections for inclusion. Tina noted she will continue adding narrative content based on previous meetings and incorporate any revisions submitted during the review period.

Subcommittee sections will be added as they are finalized, and updated drafts will be distributed to the full committee. Chair Ross emphasized the importance of achieving quorum at the June meeting to allow for final review, public comment, and approval of the report.

No motion was made, and **no vote was taken**, as this agenda item was informational and preparatory.

VII. Public Comment

None.

VIII. Wrap-up and Adjournment

The committee discussed scheduling the next meeting for the week of **June 15–18**, noting the need to secure quorum for final approval of the biennial report. Members shared availability and conflicts, with several noting issues on Wednesdays and Thursdays. Based on feedback, **June 15 or June 16** appeared most feasible.

Tina Gerber Winn will send a Doodle poll to confirm the date. No additional wrap-up items or future agenda topics were raised. Chair Ross thanked members for their work and adjourned the meeting at **1:55 p.m.**