



**Local Agency Formation Commission of Napa County**  
Subdivision of the State of California

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**Agenda Item 6g (Consent/Information)**

**TO:** Local Agency Formation Commission

**PREPARED BY:** Stephanie Pratt, Clerk/Jr. Analyst *SP*

**MEETING DATE:** June 3, 2024

**SUBJECT:** 2024 CALAFCO Staff Workshop Summary

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**SUMMARY**

This is a consent item for information purposes only. Accordingly, if interested, the Commission is invited to pull this item for additional discussion with the concurrence of the Chair. No formal action will be taken as part of this item.

The Clerk/Jr. Analyst served as LAFCO of Napa County's representative at the 2024 CALAFCO Staff Workshop held on April 24 through April 26 in Pleasanton. The session topics related to the needs of LAFCO staff.

Workshop sessions included discussions related to the art of building, repairing, and maintaining trust, writing with precision, using GIS effectively, clerking resources and connections, and the growing importance of website ADA compliance.

**Power Point Presentations Link:** [https://calafco.org/PowerPoint Presentations](https://calafco.org/PowerPoint%20Presentations)

A photography contest was entered with the theme of Juxtapositions: Developed land vs. Undeveloped land in California. Clerk/Jr. Analyst Stephanie Pratt entered four photos and won first place and came away with \$100 and a blue ribbon. The photos entered by Ms. Pratt can be found on the Commission's website: <https://napa.lafco.ca.gov/lafco-of-napa-county-wins-again>

Registration for the 2024 CALAFCO Conference (October 16-18) will begin July 1<sup>st</sup>. The Tenaya Lodge location near Yosemite means hotel rooms are likely to go quickly, so Commissioners and staff are encouraged to register as soon as it opens. <https://calafco.org/meet-reg2.php>

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