

South32 Office, Nogales
South32 Community Advisory Panel (CAP) Meeting
June 3, 2026

Schedule:

3:30 – 3:40- CAP meeting rules, Review Meeting Notes

3:40 – 4:30- Presentation – South32 Marisa Raymond/Local Procurement

4:30 – 5:00- South32 Project Update – Sandra and Troy

5:00 – 5:30- CAP Overview, and Community Thoughts

Attendance:

- Meeting Facilitator (Acorn International): Ranay Guifarro
- South32 Hermosa Advisory Panel Members Present: Linda Shore, Francisco Padilla, George Wise, Fritz Sawyer, Jonathan Lutz, and Maureen De La Ossa
- South32 Hermosa Advisory Panel Members Absent: Daniel Gutierrez, Gerry Isaac, Lou Jeong, George Wise, Fritz Sawyer, Trina De La Ossa, Michael Young, and Guillermo Valencia
- South32: Troy Kimball, Sandra Moraga, Marisa Raymond, and Lina Betancourt,

Minutes

3:30 – Introductions

The meeting is called to order.

3:44 – South32 Procurement

~~Attached~~, you will find the presentation from Marisa Raymond

South32 is in the process of onboarding additional vendors. They will be adding workshops for potential vendors in collaboration with the Chamber of Commerce, which will assist them in organizing these events.

As operations begin, they will be adjusting their purchasing needs accordingly. South32 is actively seeking new vendors online, so having an online presence is crucial for identifying potential partners.

Currently, there are 122 local businesses involved, and they are considering offering classes to support potential vendors.

4:40 – South32 Presentation – Project Update

- Centro Update: The foundation has been poured, and wall construction will begin soon.
- Community Protection and Benefit Agreement Process Update.
- Electricians are set to graduate in August.

5:20– CAP Items

- Reviewed Plan and validated interests
- Discussed Community thoughts/discussions



Community Advisory Panel on the South 32 Hermosa Project

Monthly Meeting

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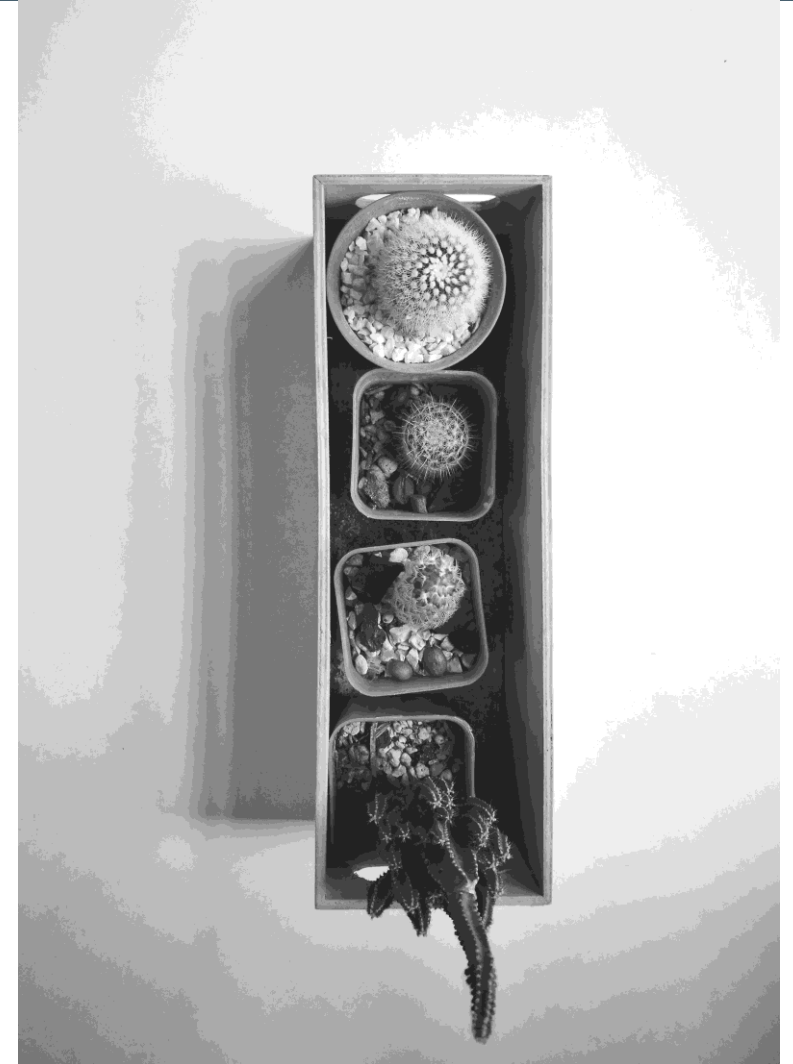
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Meeting Rules

Section 6 – Meeting Arrangements

“Meetings will be open to the public, but those who are not members of the CAP will be observers only (not active participants or speakers in the meetings.) CAP members may decide (by consensus) to make any portion of a meeting, or a full meeting, closed to the public. Any items raised during the meeting not included on the agenda may be deferred to the following meeting if information needs to be obtained or personnel present are unable to provide an informed response. No question will remain unanswered.”



Local Procurement- Marisa Raymond



LOCAL PROCUREMENT

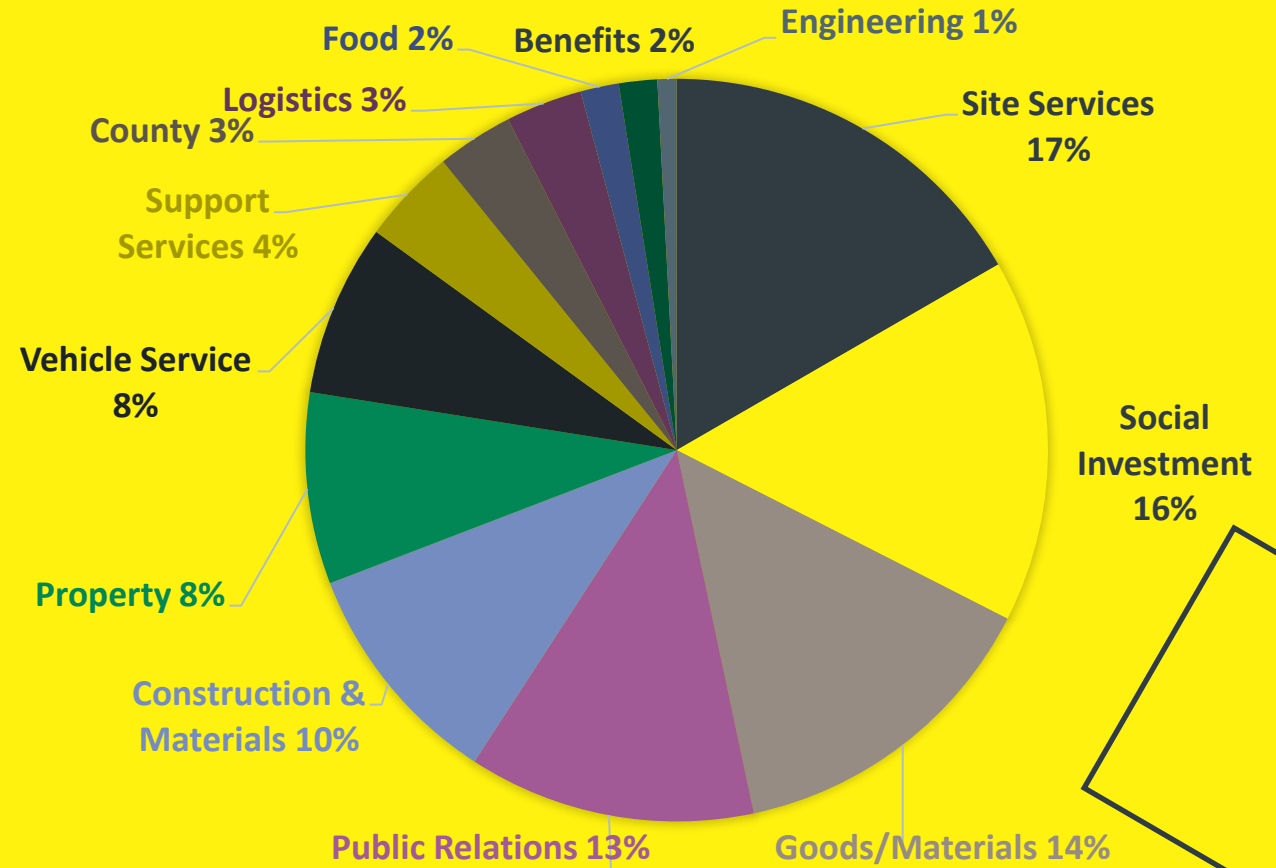
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SINCE 2025



LOCAL PROCUREMENT

2025 Supplier Events

- Vendor Readiness Workshop
- Local Vendor Site Tour

2026 Supplier Events

- Coffee & Commerce – Hosted by Chamber
- Registered Vendor Workshop – Q3
- TBD Q4



South32 Project Update



CAP Overview, and Community Thoughts



Q & A's

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- Spheros reviewed the Advisory Panel Q&A
- Using the Q&A as a guide to identify areas of prime public interest and concern in our FEIS review

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- Spheros is categorizing the Advisory Panel questions:

A – B – C

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A

Adequately addressed in the
FEIS or other published
documents

Spheros action:
Identify and share the
document and section

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Can be readily addressed by
independent expert
(Spheros)

Spheros action:
Generate science-backed
responses to be shared by
CPBA

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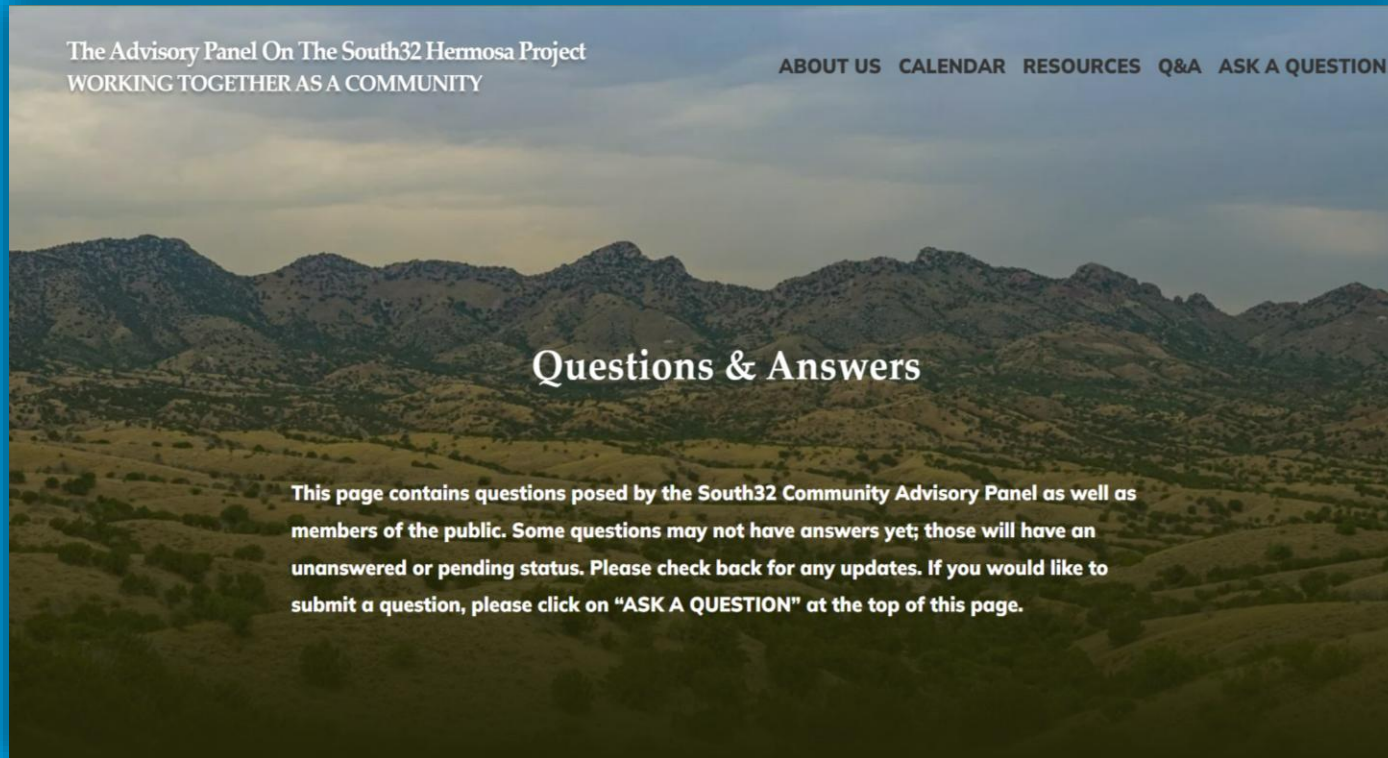
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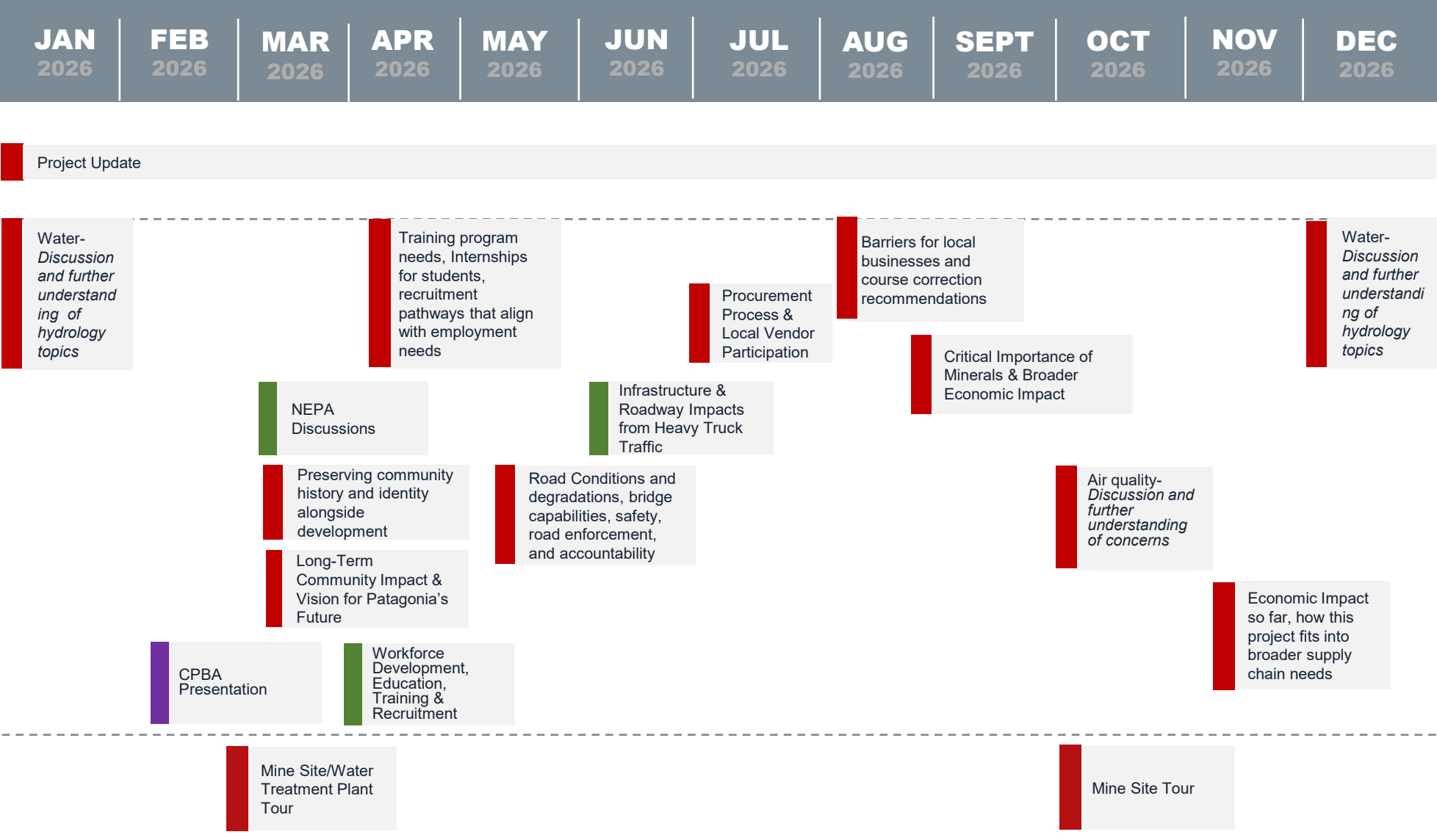
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Merits further discussion or study

Spheros action:
Discuss with CPBA and include in our Supplemental Data Program where appropriate

SANTA CRUZ COUNTY HERMOSA PROJECT ADVISORY PANEL

ROADMAP UPDATE- 2026



EMPOWER

Participate in community meetings to connect interested groups with the panel and bring forward their questions to facilitate outcomes desired by the panel

INVOLVE

Identify alternatives through participating in meetings, doing homework and own research, responding to surveys, participating in temporary workgroups

COLLABORATE

Participate in developing solutions and monitoring for accountability

CONSULT

Provide South32 feedback as to alternatives course of action during meetings, homework, surveys

INFORM

Share information through panelist

Identifying the opportunities in which CAP can support the community and South32 in each of these topics will be ongoing. This is the 'Involve' aspect of this Roadmap.

Planning Thoughts

- What do you want to see in 2026?
- What do you want to see in 2027?
- Recommendations for new CAP members?



Community Thoughts

- What have you heard from the community?
- What types of people have you talked to?



Meetings

Meeting	Location	Topic
May 6 th	Patagonia	Water Treatment Plan Tour
June 3 rd	Nogales	Procurement
July 1 st	Patagonia	TBD
August 5 th	Nogales	TBD
September 2 nd	Patagonia	TBD
October 7 th	Nogales	TBD
November 4 th	Patagonia	TBD