



EDINA
MINNESOTA

Community Health Commission Meeting Agenda

August 10, 2026, 6:30 PM

Fire Station 2, Conference Room B, 4401 W. 76th St.



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1. Call to Order

2. Roll Call

3. Approval of Meeting Agenda

4. Approval of Meeting Minutes

4.1. July 2026 CHC Minutes

5. Special Recognitions and Presentations

6. Community Comment

During "Community Comment," the Board/Commission will invite residents to share issues or concerns that are not scheduled for a future public hearing. Items that are on tonight's agenda may not be addressed during Community Comment. Individuals must limit their comments to three minutes. The Chair may limit the number of speakers on the same issue in the interest of time and topic. Individuals should not expect the Chair or Board/Commission Members to respond to their comments tonight. Instead, the Board/Commission might refer the matter to staff for consideration at a future meeting.

7. Reports/Recommendations

7.1. Workgroup Updates

- Opioid Stakeholder Workgroup
- Statewide Community Health Services Advisory Committee (SCHSAC)

7.2. Work Plan Discussion/Process - Decision

8. Chair and Member Comments

9. Staff Comments

10. Adjournment



1. Call to Order

2. Roll Call

Members Present: Andrea Leszko, Matt Giljahn, Mary Absolon, Tracy Nelson, Brenna Smithson, Ron Jarvi Jr., Shandus Parish, Kruti Shukla, Aditi Gandhi

Members Absent: Andrea Sullivan

Staff Present: Jeff Brown

3. Approval of Meeting Agenda

Commissioner Giljahn made a motion to approve agenda with addition of opioid stakeholder group update. Motion seconded by Commissioner Smithson.

Ayes: Andrea Leszko, Matt Giljahn, Mary Absolon, Tracy Nelson, Brenna Smithson, Ron Jarvi Jr., Kruti Shukla, Shandus Parish

Nays: None

Motion Passed

4. Approval of Meeting Minutes

4.1. April 2026 CHC Minutes

Commissioner Leszko made a motion to approve. Motion seconded by Commissioner Absolon.

Ayes: Andrea Leszko, Matt Giljahn, Mary Absolon, Tracy Nelson, Brenna Smithson, Ron Jarvi Jr., Shandus Parish, Kruti Shukla

Nays: None

Motion Passed

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7.1. Debrief: Joint CHC and City Council Work Session

Discussion from joint work session with City Council focused on work plan development.

Draft work plans to be presented by commission chairs at October 6th Council Work Session.

Possible work plan items discussed:

- Appoint Statewide Community Health Services Advisory Committee (SCHSAC) Representative for the City of Edina Community Health Board
- Maintain/appoint members to serve on opioid settlement funds stakeholder group
- Community Connection: 'Refuse Can Pals' idea; coordinating with Communications on periodic education/outreach/posts around mental health and connection;
- E-bikes and rewarding good behavior, pilot program research

7.2. Air Quality and Indoor Pools - Chloramine Project

Presentation from student member Aditi Gandhi regarding air quality at indoor pools related to chloramines in air and the effect on swimmers and spectators' health. Potential future updates as monitoring equipment continues to be tested.

7.3. Opioid Stakeholder Group Update

- Edina Schools in 3 year contract with Fraser for Substance Use Prevention starting Fall 2026
- BPH Staff waiting on data from MDH to complete opioid dashboard work

- Opioid awareness months/campaigns in August and September
- BPH communicating with lodging facilities around opioid use/overdose prevention

8. Chair and Member Comments

9. Staff Comments

10. Adjournment

Commissioner Giljahn made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Motion seconded by Commissioner Smithson.

Ayes: Andrea Leszko, Matt Giljahn, Mary Absolon, Tracy Nelson, Brenna Smithson, Ron Jarvi Jr., Shandus Parish, Kruti Shukla

Nays: None

Motion Passed