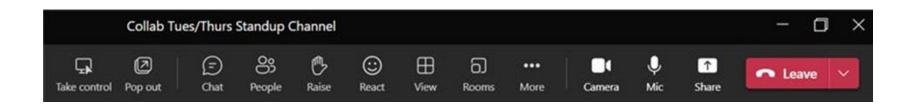
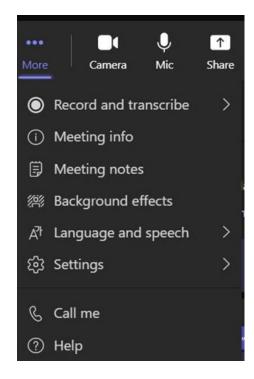


Task Force on Holistic and Effective Responses to Illicit Drug Use

#### Welcome Task Force members



- Mute Mic when not speaking [Ctrl+Shift+M]
- Use Raise your hand [Ctrl+Shift+K]
- State your name when speaking
- Turn on live captions, select More ... > Language and speech
- Use View to choose from different meeting views



<u>Use meeting controls in Microsoft Teams - Microsoft Support</u>

#### Welcome meeting observers

- Thank you for your interest in the work of the Holistic and Effective Responses to Illicit Drug Use Task Force.
- This is a **kick-off meeting** and there are no plans today for taking public comment but, in accordance with Minnesota's Open Meeting Laws, you are welcome to observe this meeting.
- The **meeting summary** will be posted on the task force website along with other materials for the meeting: <a href="https://mn.gov/mmb/oar/task-force/">https://mn.gov/mmb/oar/task-force/</a>

## Agenda

Time	Topic
8:30	Welcome and introductions
9:05	Task Force logistical business
9:25	Chair(s) selection
9:40	10-minute break
9:50	Scope of work of the Task Force
10:00	Presentation: Drug Policy State of the Evidence
10:45	Discussion
11:00	10-minute break
11:10	Discussion
11:25	Work group membership
11:40	Next steps
11:45	Adjourn

#### Introductions

- Roll call of Task Force members
- Introductions
  - Name
  - Role/organization
  - Why are you here devoting your time to this? (90 seconds)

### Task force logistical business

- Meeting format
- Decision rules
- Group agreements

## Meeting format (proposed)

- Each meeting begins with
  - Roll call
  - Vote to approve prior meeting's minutes
  - Any member updates to the agenda
- Meetings structured according to agenda, provided in advance, under MAD's facilitation
- Pulse checks before formal votes
- Any member can suggest a pulse check during discussions

#### Decision rules (proposed)

#### For voting

 Majority or supermajority (2/3)

For pulse checks (will revisit later)

- Fist to five method
- Do you support the proposed way forward?
- Anything 3 or above moves forward in process
- Anything 2 or below is discussed

#### More disagreement



Fist No.



One finger

No, unless
specific
changes are
made.



Two fingers

Somewhat supportive, but I want to discuss minor issues.



Three fingers

Not totally supportive, but I don't need to discuss further.



Four fingers
I support the proposed way forward.



More consen

I strongly support the proposed way forward.

### General expectations

- Come to meetings prepared—review materials in advance.
- Take space, make space.
- Say your name before speaking.
- Show respect to members when they speak and refrain from side conversations.
- Ask questions to understand the viewpoints and lived experiences of others.
- Participate on video, if possible, so everyone feels your presence.

## Chair(s) selection

- Nominees
  - Dr. Kurt DeVine
  - Dr. Ryan Kelly
- Roll call vote



# Break (10 minutes)

### Scope of work of the Task Force

- History and impetus for task force
- Timeline/feasibility
- How to approach the work
  - Primary: through end of year
  - Options for January and beyond

## Presentation: Drug Policy State of the Evidence

#### **Questions and Discussion**

- Questions regarding the presentation
- Discussion prompt: What does the presentation evoke regarding your role/goals for the task force?



# Break 2 (10 minutes)

## Work group membership

- Work group is an option, not mandatory
- Open to Task Force decision
- Suggestion to discuss next meeting, after seeing first set of recommendations and firming up a decision process
- Consider what it would do / how it could advance the work between Task
   Force meetings

#### Discussion: Process for recommendations

**Task**: review recommendations and decide which will be included in Task Force report to the Legislature.

**Suggestion**: multi-stage process, starting with a basic sort: is this recommendation ready to consider, or do I need clarification or additional information before I can formulate an opinion on it?

**Question**: what has worked well in other groups you have been in? What process have you seen for considering recommendations for a Task Force to bring forward in its report or recommendations to the Legislature?

#### Process: Fist to Five example

#### More disagreement

More consensus



No.



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I support the proposed way forward.



Five fingers

I strongly support the proposed way forward.

#### Next steps

- Think about:
  - Recommendations process
  - Fist to five sorting
- October meeting: recommendations



## Thank you