

Meeting Minutes: Cannabis Advisory Council Quarter 2

Date: 2/5/2026

Minutes prepared by: Yingya Vang

Location: Saint Paul

Attendance

Quorum: 29 named members, 24 is quorum

Present

Archbold, Nicole
Bauer, Nico
Brunner, Lisa
Chaplin, Damon
Dawson, Angela
Drucker, Jeremy
Gloppen, Kari
Hanson, Michael
Hotz, Anna
Johnson, Melanie
Jones, Bryant

Knight, Jamal
Lee, Samantha
Makinen, Kate
Marinkovich, Kyle
Moss, Carol
Philbrick, Ann
Puechner, Nic
Ratner, Nathan
Schroeder, Maren
Sly, Michael
Solomon, Dan

Stewart, Denise
Tastad-Damer, Diana
Taubel, Eric
Thompson, Dana
Wilken-Simon, Josh
Wind, Virgil
Wolf, Jill

Zylla, Dylan

Absent

Burton, Martha
Cornish, Gabe
Ennis, Donna
King, Eric
Kjeseth, Peder
Knutson, Catherine

Moran, Rachel
Needham, Austin
Podulke-Smith, Laurel
Polley, Sara
Prenevost, Pia
Prescott, Tyler

Sather, Jen
Savage, Bruce
Watso, Sophie
Zech, Jaren

Action Items

Approved meeting minutes from 2/5/2026.

Agenda

1. Opening
 - a. Attendance roll call
 - b. Chair Eric Taubel remarks
2. Office of Cannabis Management
 - a. Legislative Update
 - b. Medical Division Update
3. Minnesota Department of Health Cannabis Initiatives
4. Workgroup Updates
 - a. Industry Health
 - b. Intergovernmental
 - c. Medical
 - d. Public Health and Safety
5. Public Testimony
6. Closing