

# AAHSAC Meeting Minutes: March 13, 2025

Minutes prepared by OAAH

Location: virtual

## Attendance

Ronda Chakolis, AAHSAC

Charles Dixon, AAHSAC

Patrick Ingram, AAHSAC

Andrea Lawson, AAHSAC

Paul May-Kramer, AAHSAC

Chris Smith, AAHSAC

Pleasant Radford Jr., AAHSAC

Abdou Manjang, AAHSAC

Jordan Burt-McGregor, MDH-OAAH

Nila Gouldin, MDH-OAAH

Blaire Rodenbiker, MDH-PSC/OAAH

## Decisions made

- Open one council vacancy immediately, with additional vacancies under consideration.
- Finalized info for SOS website update on July 15, 2025.
- Confirmed participation in Aug. 14 Joint Council Event.

## Action items

- Councilmembers to review and comment on council position description (JBM/All, ongoing).
- Community Outreach Committee tasked with advertising council vacancies (COEC/June2025).
- Council to identify and track subject matter expertise needed among members(all/ongoing).

## Agenda

Council structure updates including vacancies and application process

- Presenter: Jordan Burt-McGregor
- Time: 3:10 p.m.
- Decision item: discussion

Committee updates with focus on digital wellness tools and partnerships

- ▪ Presenter: co-chairs
- ▪ Time: 3:30 p.m.
- Decision item: discussion

MDH updates on events, budget status, and staffing

- ▪ Presenter: Jordan Burt-McGregor, Blaire Rodenbiker
- ▪ Time: 4 p.m.
- Decision item: discussion

Planning for upcoming community events (e.g., Juneteenth, Rondo Block Party)/Outreach and Engagement Committee

- Presenter: committees
- ▪ Time: 4:30 p.m.
- Decision item: discussion

## Next meeting

Date: April 10, 2025

Time: 3-5 p.m.

Location: virtual

Agenda items: Submit proposed agenda items to [moaah.mdh@state.mn.us](mailto:moaah.mdh@state.mn.us)

## Meeting notes

Council discussed importance of qualitative metrics and harm reduction approaches in grant evaluation. Planning for engagement and transparency was emphasized.

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