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HOUSTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS BOARD MEETING

9:00, September 22, 2026 County Board Room 222, Historic Courthouse

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVE AGENDA

APPROVE PREVIOUS MINUTES -Board Meeting September 15, 2026

PUBLIC COMMENT

APPOINTMENTS

9:05 a.m. Presentation on Houston County Community Health Assessment by Bri Ceaser, Health Educator (Page 7, Knoke)

CONSENT AGENDA

(Routine business items enacted by one unanimous motion. Commissioners may request moving items on the consent agenda to the Action Item list (prior to the full agenda being approved) if they desire discussion before taking action.)

- 1) Hire James Yohe as a Veterans Services Driver 67 – Day Employee at the rate of \$17.50 an hour. (Page 25, Parker)
- 2) Hire Danny O’Heron as a Recycling Lead 67 – Day Employee (B23, Step 1). (Page 25, Parker)
- 3) Accept resignation from Amy Sylling, Deputy Auditor Treasurer, effective October 2, 2026. (Parker)
- 4) Review and approve payments. (Page 23, Lapham)

ACTION ITEMS

- 1) Consider discussing the Budget / Levy. (Page 25, Parker)
- 2) Consider adopting Resolution No. 26-25 Adopting 2026 Proposed Levy. (Page 25, Parker)
- 3) Consider adopting Resolution No. 26-26 Adopting 2026 Proposed Budget. (Page 25, Parker)

- 4) Consider adopting Resolution No. 26-27, a resolution declaring a state of emergency for conditions resulting from the severe storms, heavy rains, and flooding of September 19, 2026. (Olson)

DISCUSSION ITEMS

- 1) Coordinator Updates
- 2) Board Updates (Board Chairman)
- 3) Commissioner Reports and Comments

CLOSING PUBLIC COMMENT

ADJOURN

REMINDERS

The Minnesota Department of Revenue is hosting a series of public discussions called Engaging Minnesota to Help Property Taxpayers. Comments can be sent to the Department of Revenue anytime between now and November 1st, 2026, at

<https://www.revenue.state.mn.us/contact-us-form?destination=/node/6816&optionId=2511>.

People can sign up for email notification/new about upcoming tax reform information and meetings at https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/MNREV/subscriber/new?topic_id=MNREV_336.

Houston County Public Health is asking residents to take our Community Health Survey. Your input helps shape local programs, services, and priorities that support a healthier future for everyone.

Take the quick, anonymous survey at www.compassnow.org.

Houston County Public Health Presents: 55 Plus Day with Information Tabling and Flu Vaccine Thursday, October 8th, 2026, 306 South Marshall St. Houston County Justice Center Lower Level Conference Room from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sterling Pharmacy will be offering flu vaccines at this event. Please bring your insurance card.

Houston County Public Health Growing Together Community Baby Shower honoring prenatal to two years of age. Saturday, November 7, 2026, 9-11 a.m. at 231 East Main Street, Caledonia. RSVP at 507-725-5810 x2254.

The Board of Adjustment and Planning Commission typically meet on the 4th Thursday each month at 5:00 pm in the County Board Room 222. (Meetings only occur if an applicant requests a hearing and may be moved to another week if the regular meeting date falls on a holiday.) Agendas are posted on the County website one week prior to meetings.