

BOARD OF HEALTH MINUTES

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Board of Health Meeting Friday, August 22, 2025, Noon Snow Miller Conference Room at the Citizens Service Center 1675 W. Garden of the Gods Road, Colorado Springs, Colorado

President Dave Donelson, called the meeting to order at 12:21p.m.

Board of Health Member Roll Call

Present:

President Dave Donelson, Colorado Springs City Council Member Vice President Doris Ralston, MPA
Carrie Geitner, El Paso County Commissioner
Lauren Nelson, El Paso County Commissioner
Todd Dixon, Mayor of Green Mountain Falls
Hunter Barnett, MBA
Debora Chan, M.D., M.P.H., FACOG
Cortney Salt

Present later:

Richard Vu, M.D.

Approval of Agenda

President Donelson entertained a motion to approve the agenda for the August 22, 2025, Board of Health Meeting.

BOH ACTION: moved by Mayor Dixon, seconded by Board Member Barnett to approve the agenda for the August 22, 2025, Board of Health meeting.

MOTION CARRIED (8-0-1). Dr. Vu absent.

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Board of Health Comments

Board Member Barnett expressed gratitude to the staff for coordinating interviews for the position of executive director.

Public Comment on Items not Scheduled on the Agenda

No comments presented.

Executive Session

Executive session pursuant to C.R.S. §§ 24-6-402(4)(b), (e)(I), and (f) for a conference with the County Attorney's Office for the purposes of receiving legal advice on specific legal questions pertaining to the recruitment and hiring of a Public Health Director; determining positions relative to matters that may be subject to negotiations, developing strategies for negotiations, and instructing negotiators; and to discuss personnel matters concerning the recruitment and hiring of a Public Health Director.

President Donelson entertained a motion to move into Executive Session.

BOH ACTION: moved by Mayor Dixon, seconded by Commissioner Nelson to move into Executive Session.

MOTION CARRIED (9-0-0).

The Board of Health meeting moved into Executive Session at 12:28 p.m.

The Board of Health concluded Executive Session and reconvened at 2:38 p.m.

Adjournment

President Donelson adjourned the meeting at 2:39 p.m.

Next Board of Health meeting

The next Board of Health meeting will be: Wednesday, August 27, 2025 8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

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