



# ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY & ENERGY COMMISSION MEETING

July 8, 2025

7:00 PM

Fridley Civic Campus, 7071 University Ave N.E.

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## MINUTES

### **Call to Order**

Chair Klemz called the Environmental Quality and Energy Commission to order at 7:04 p.m.

### **Roll Call**

Present: Aaron Klemz  
Sam Stoxen  
Dustin Norman  
Emma Carter

Absent: Justin Foell  
Avonna Starck  
Mark Hansen

Others Present: Rachel Workin, Environmental Planner  
Jim Kosluchar, Director of Public Works  
Aiesha Osman, Resident

### **Approval of Agenda**

Motion by Commissioner Stoxen to approve the agenda. Seconded by Commissioner Norman. The motion carried unanimously.

### **Approval of Meeting Minutes**

1. Approval of May 13, 2025 Environmental Quality and Energy Commission Meeting Minutes

Motion by Commissioner Norman to approve the May 13, 2025 meeting minutes. Seconded by Commissioner Stoxen. The motion carried unanimously.

### **New Business**

2. 2024 Drinking Water Quality Report

Jim Kosluchar, Director of Public Works, shared the results of the 2024 Drinking Water Quality Report and provided information on issues relevant to the City's Drinking Water Treatment System.

**Old Business**

3. Energy Action Plan Updates

Ms. Workin shared that the City had done outreach on electric landscaping equipment.

4. Grant Updates

Ms. Workin shared that the City was supporting the Mississippi Branch in the development of a SHIP grant for a seed library.

5. Outreach and Event updates

Ms. Workin shared that the Household Hazardous Waste Collection event was successful. 309 Fridley households brought in materials. She also shared that the City was collecting books for a kid's book swap. Ms. Workin said that there would be a community planting event for the new pollinator area at Community Park on September 24. She also reminded commissioners to share their feedback on the community garden survey.

**Other Items**

6. Informal Status Reports

The Commissioners decided to cancel the September meeting and instead do a bike ride of new trails. The bike ride will start at 6:00 p.m at the Fridley Civic Campus.

**Adjournment**

Motion by Commissioner Stoxen to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Commissioner Carter. The Motion carried unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 8:28 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Rachel Workin  
Environmental Planner