



Community Health Commission
Andy Katz, Chair
Kassandra Bacon, Vice-Chair
Kellie Knox, Staff Secretary

Community Health Commission
DRAFT MINUTES
Regular Meeting, Thursday, February 26, 2026

The meeting convened at 6:38 p.m. with Commissioner Katz presiding.

ROLL CALL

Present: Commissioners Bacon, Charney, Herzer-Baptiste, Katz, Reese, and Vasquez.

Absent: Commissioner Salve.

Excused: None.

Staff present: Kellie Knox, Dr. Noemi Doohan

Community Members: Manel Kappagoda

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC: None.

ACTION ITEM

1. M/S/C (Bacon/Reese): Motion to adopt minutes from the January 22, 2026 meeting.

Ayes: Commissioners Bacon, Charney, Reese and Katz.

Noes: None.

Abstain: Commissioners Herzer-Baptiste and Vasquez.

Absent from vote: Commissioner Salve.

Excused: None.

Motion Passed.

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ACTION ITEM

5. M/S/C (Herzer-Baptiste/Charney): Motion to adjourn meeting

Ayes: Commissioners Bacon, Charney, Herzer-Baptiste, Katz, Reese, and Vasquez.

Noes: None.

Abstain: None.

Absent from vote: Commissioner Salve.

Excused: None.

Motion Passed.

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

2. Public Health Officer's Report - Discussion
3. CHC Chair's Report – Discussion
4. Election of Officers - Discussion

Future Agenda Items

Election of Officers (March)

Presentation by PH Programs

Environmental Health Restaurant Inspection Update (March)

Long Term Care Facility Referral

Budget Process Engagement

Response to the Community Health Improvement Plan

This meeting adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

Minutes will be reviewed and approved on Thursday, March 26, 2026.

Respectfully submitted,

Kellie Knox, Commission Secretary _____