

**MINUTES
OF THE EDINA CITY COUNCIL
WORK SESSION
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL
TUESDAY, JANUARY 4, 2022
5:30 P.M.**

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Hovland called the meeting to order at 5:33 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Answering roll call were Members Anderson, Jackson, Pierce, Staunton, and Mayor Hovland.

Staff in attendance: Scott Neal, City Manager; Lisa Schaefer, Assistant City Manager; Risi Karim, City Management Fellow; and Sharon Allison, City Clerk.

Also in attendance: Senator Melisa Franzen (virtual); Representative Heather Edelson; Representative Steve Elkins; Gary Carlson and Daniel Lightfoot, The League of Minnesota Cities (virtual); Patricia Nauman, Metro Cities (Association of Metropolitan Municipalities); and Tom Poul, Municipal Legislative Commission.

2022 STATE LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION MEETING

City Council and staff met with Edina's legislative delegation, The League of Minnesota Cities, Metro Cities, and Municipal Legislative Commission to discuss Edina's 2022 state legislative topics. Senator Franzen, Representative Elkins and Representative Edelson, reviewed the issues in front of them in 2022, which included the State Budget, Transportation, Public Safety, Mental Health, and Housing challenges. Mr. Poul, Ms. Nauman, Mr. Carlson and Mr. Lightfoot shared their 2022 priorities.

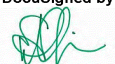
The Council asked questions and provided feedback.

ADJOURNMENT

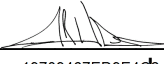
Mayor Hovland adjourned the meeting at 6:39 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Minutes approved by the Edina City Council, January 4, 2021.

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James B. Hovland, Mayor