



Prince George's County Council

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1301 McCormick Dr
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Meeting Minutes - Draft Sitting as the Board of Health

Monday, November 10, 2025

9:30 AM

Council Hearing Room

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9:30 A.M. - BOARD OF HEALTH - (COUNCIL HEARING ROOM)

The meeting was convened by Chair Edward P. Burroughs III at 9:40 a.m. with three members present at roll call. Council Members Fisher and Ivey arrived at 9:50 a.m. Council Member Watson arrived at 10:00 a.m. Council Member Harrison arrived at 10:03 a.m. Council Member Hawkins arrived at 10:10 a.m. Council Members Olson and Dernoga arrived at 10:20 a.m.

Present: 10 - Council Member Sydney Harrison
Council Member Wala Blegay
Council Member Thomas Dernoga
Council Member Wanika Fisher
Council Member Calvin S. Hawkins
Council Member Eric Olson
Council Member Ingrid Watson
Vice Chair Krystal Oriadha
Chair Edward Burroughs
Council Member Jolene Ivey

Absent: Council Member Shayla Adams-Stafford

BRIEFING – (COUNCIL HEARING ROOM)

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MATERNAL & INFANT HEALTH ASSESSMENT

Dr. Diane Young

Prince George's County Health Department

Attachment(s): [Maternal and Infant Health Presentation BOH 11102025](#)

The briefing convened at 9:40 a.m. Council Chair Burroughs recognized Council Member Blegay who introduced Dr. Diane J. Young, Division Director Family Health Services, Prince George's County Health Department, and Dr. Sheila Carrette-McCrae, Program Evaluator Family Health Services, Prince George's County Health Department. Dr. Young and Dr. Carrette-McCrae facilitated a Powerpoint Presentation titled, "Maternal and Infant Health in Prince George's County: Progress, Partnership, and Promise". The presentation highlighted the following: Epidemiological Landscape; The Human Story: From Data to Impact; Persistent Disparities; Drivers of Disparity; MCH Programmatic Portfolio; Our 2022 Commitments; Jasmine's Story: The Human Cost of Bias in Maternal Health; FHS Spotlight: Postpartum Hypertension Collaborative; RHRC Cheverly and MCH Laurel; Improving Patient Experience Through Innovation; Shared Responsibility: Our Partners; Partner Opportunities; Centering Representation, Opportunity, Belonging (ROB); Data Modernization; Look Ahead: 2026 and Beyond Possibilities; Call to Action for the Board of Health; and Closing Message. Dr. Young and Dr. Carrette-McCrae then responded to questions from Council Members.

This Briefing was held.

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THIS MEETING ADJOURNED AT 10:28 A.M.

A motion was made by Council Member Watson, seconded by Council Member Ivey, that this meeting be adjourned. The motion carried by an unanimous vote.

Prepared by:

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Submitted by:

Donna J. Brown, Clerk of the Council