
Sponsor: Board of Commissioners

Meeting Date: 1/6/2026

Title: Appointments to Outside Boards and Committees for 2026

File Number: 2026-007

Background and Rationale:

The Annual Organizational Meeting is the time established to approve appointment of Ramsey County Commissioners to various outside boards, committees and commissions. The appointments to outside boards, committees and commissions for 2026 are as follows:

ACTIVE LIVING RAMSEY COMMUNITIES

McGuire

ASSOCIATION OF MINNESOTA COUNTIES (AMC) - BOARD APPOINTED

Board of Directors: McMurtrey (representative); Xiong, (alternate); McGuire (Past President)

District X Committee: Jebens-Singh, McGuire, McMurtrey, Miller, Moran, Ortega, Xiong

COUNTY-COURT JOINT COMMITTEE

- McGuire
- McMurtrey
- Moran

CRIMINAL JUSTICE COORDINATING COMMITTEE

Moran

Jebens-Singh, alternate

GENERATION NEXT

- McMurtrey

GOLD LINE JOINT POWERS BOARD

- Xiong
- Miller, alternate

GREATER MSP REGIONAL PARTNERSHIP

McMurtrey

Ortega, alternate

HEADING HOME RAMSEY - CONTINUUM OF CARE

Moran

Miller, alternate

INTERAGENCY EARLY INTERVENTION COMMITTEE

Jebens-Singh

JOINT PROPERTY TAX ADVISORY COMMITTEE

McMurtrey

Moran
Xiong

LAW LIBRARY TRUSTEE

Jebens-Singh
McMurtrey, alternate

METROPOLITAN CONSERVATION DISTRICTS JOINT POWERS BOARD

- Miller
- McGuire, alternate

METROPOLITAN EMERGENCY SERVICES BOARD (MESB)

McMurtrey (2 votes)
Miller (2 votes)
Vacant, alternate

METROPOLITAN LIBRARY SERVICES AGENCY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

McGuire
Jebens-Singh, alternate

METROPOLITAN MOSQUITO CONTROL DISTRICT BOARD

McMurtrey
Miller
Moran

METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY BOARD

Xiong
McGuire, alternate

MINNESOTA LANDMARKS BOARD

Ortega
Jebens-Singh

MINNESOTA ASSOCIATION OF WORKFORCE BOARDS

- Miller

NORTHEAST YOUTH AND FAMILY SERVICES BOARD

- Miller

PARTNERSHIP ON WASTE AND ENERGY

McGuire
Miller, alternate

RAMSEY COUNTY CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH COLLABORATIVE

Xiong
Jebens-Singh, alternate

RAMSEY COUNTY DISPATCH/800 MHz SUBSYSTEM POLICY COMMITTEE

McMurtrey
Miller

RAMSEY COUNTY EXTENSION COMMITTEE

McGuire
McMurtrey
Jebens-Singh, alternate

RAMSEY COUNTY LEAGUE OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS

- McGuire
- Jebens-Singh, alternate

RECYCLING & ENERGY BOARD

McGuire
Miller
Ortega
Xiong, alternate

REGIONAL HAULERS LICENSING BOARD

Miller
McGuire, alternate

REGIONS HOSPITAL BOARD

- Ortega

RE-THINKING I-94 COMMITTEE

McMurtrey
Moran, alternate

RICE - LARPENTEUR ALLIANCE

- McMurtrey

SAINT PAUL CHILDREN'S COLLABORATIVE

Moran
Xiong

SAINT PAUL DOWNTOWN ALLIANCE

- Ortega

SAINT PAUL PROMISE NEIGHBORHOOD

- Moran
- Xiong, alternate

STATE COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Moran
Jebens-Singh, alternate

SUBURBAN RAMSEY FAMILY COLLABORATIVE JOINT POWERS BOARD

Jebens-Singh
McGuire, alternate

TCAAP/RICE CREEK COMMONS JOINT DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

Jebens-Singh, Vice-Chair
McGuire
Miller, alternate

WILLOW LAKE NATURE PRESERVE FOUNDATION BOARD OF DIRECTOR

- Jebens-Singh

WORKFORCE INNOVATION BOARD

Miller
Xiong, alternate

YOUTH JUSTICE TRANSFORMATION

- Moran
- Xiong
- Jebens-Singh, alternate

In addition to the formal appointments made by the Ramsey County Board of Commissioners, Ramsey County Commissioners actively participate on other boards, committees, associations and commissions, including participation in the Association of Minnesota Counties and the National Association of Counties as follows:

ASSOCIATION OF MINNESOTA COUNTIES:

- Board of Directors: McMurtrey (representative); Xiong (alternate); McGuire (Past President)
- Environment & National Resources Policy Committee: Jebens-Singh, Miller
- General Government Policy Committee: Xiong
- Health & Human Services Policy Committee: Jebens-Singh; Moran
- Public Safety Policy Committee: McGuire
- Transportation & Infrastructure Policy Committee: Ortega
- Tribal Relations Committee: Miller (Chair)
- Housing, Economic Workforce Development Committee: Xiong - Presidential Appt
- District X Committee: Jebens-Singh, McGuire, McMurtrey, Moran, Miller, Ortega, Xiong

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES:

- Board of Directors: McGuire (Past President)
- Arts & Culture Commission: Jebens-Singh, McGuire
- Community, Economic & Workforce Development Steering Committee: McMurtrey
- Environment, Energy & Land Use Steering Committee: Miller
- Health Steering Committee: Jebens-Singh
- Healthy Counties Initiative Advisory Board: McGuire
- Human Services & Education Steering Committee: Xiong
 - Education, Children and Families Subcommittee: Xiong (Vice-chair)
- IT Committee: Miller
- Justice & Public Safety Committee: Moran
 - Courts and Corrections Subcommittee: Moran (Vice-chair)
- Large Urban County Caucus (LUCC): Jebens-Singh, McGuire, McMurtrey, Miller, Moran, Ortega, Xiong
- Large Urban County Caucus (LUCC) Steering Committee: McGuire, McMurtrey, Miller,

Moran, Ortega, Xiong

- Programs and Services Standing Committee: McGuire
- Resilient Counties Advisory Board: Jebens-Singh
- Transportation Steering Committee: Ortega

Recommendation:

The Ramsey County Board of Commissioners resolved to:

Approve appointments of commissioners to various outside boards, committees and commissions for the year 2026.

A motion to approve was made by Commissioner McMurtrey, seconded by Commissioner Miller.

Motion passed.

Aye: - 7: Jebens-Singh, McGuire, McMurtrey, Miller, Moran, Ortega, and Xiong

By: 
Jason Yang, Chief Clerk - County Board