



Agenda: Age-Friendly Minnesota Council

Date: 6/18/2025 – Time: 9:00 AM – 10:30 AM

9:00 AM - Call the Meeting to Order

Chair Sherrie Pugh

- Welcome and Roll Call

9:05 AM – Featured Community Grantee – Round Table Rx – Domain 3

Tim Casey, PharmD.

- Roundtable Rx collects surplus medications from healthcare facilities, pharmacies, and individuals and redistributes them to needy Minnesotans. This project funds a consultant to expand donor partnerships and establish partnerships with pharmacies that serve underserved populations, particularly older adults in priority groups.
- <https://www.roundtablerx.org/>

9:25 AM – Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development (DEED)

Mike Lang Director of Workforce Strategies and Innovation

- Job Club
- Employer Services
- Employee Programs
- Awareness of AFMN
- DEED Strategic Planning
- [Older Workers \(Senior Community Service Employment Program\) / Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development](#)
- https://mn-careerforce-prod-files.s3.us-gov-west-1.amazonaws.com/files/2025-04/How%20DEED%20helps%20employers%20handout%202025_ACC.pdf

9:45 AM - Legislative Update and Group Discussion

Farah Baig PhD.

- Legislative Update for Aging

Sherrie Pugh and group

- Never too early to think about next session
 - What are some legislative proposals to pursue for AFMN?
 - What do you want us to push for in the next session? How can we help you?
 - What timelines are the state agencies for next session? (Due in August)

10:10 AM – Community and TAP Grants Updates

Mike Saindon

- Trellis
- Community Grantees Round One and Two
- Community Grants Map - [AFMN Community Grantees - Google My Maps](#)

10:15 AM – Age-Friendly University Day

Rajean Moone, PhD

- Monday June 23, 2025 – University of Minnesota, Minneapolis

10:20 AM – Mission and Vision (See handout – mission and vision examples)

Sherrie

- Minnesota Board on Aging <https://mn.gov/board-on-aging/about-us/mission/>
- Minnesota Arts Board <https://www.arts.state.mn.us/about/vision.htm>
- Starbucks <https://about.starbucks.com/mission/>