

State of Illinois
Counties of St. Clair
East Side Health District
Monday April 13, 2026

Proceedings of the Board of Health

A regular meeting of the Board of the East Side Health District in the City of East St. Louis, County of St. Clair, State of Illinois, was held on Monday April 13, 2026.

1. Call to order:

The meeting was called to order by Mark Kern at 10:35am. Quorum was not present. Informal discussion occurred until additional members arrived. A quorum was established at 10:38 a.m., and the board proceeded with official business.

2. Attendance:

Present at roll call- Mark Kern; Curtis Mc Call Jr
Arrived later- Rickie Thomas (10:37am), Roy Mosley (10:43am)
Absent: Vanessa Chapman

Also Present: Atty. Phil Rice, Bhagya Kolli, Assist. Administrator

3. Approval of Minutes from March, 2026

Motion: Motion to approve minutes was made and seconded. Upon Roll Call-
Vanessa Chapman- Absent; Curtis McCall, Jr.-Yes; Roy Mosley, Jr - Late
Rickie Thomas. – Yes; Mark Kern- Yes. The Motion carried.

4. Administrators Report

- FY 2025 Audit completed and submitted to state
- Annual report for 2025 done & presented to the board.
- Grant Update: WIC, FCM and STD grant have been awarded.
- Employment opportunities- 2 new staff were hired last month- nurse and a sanitarian. A custodian left. Current open positions- Custodian, Nutritionist & Nurses
- Agency Birthday is on April 16th, ESHD is hosting an employee training day on 04/17.
- Healthy Street 2026 is on July 25th and we have an overwhelming response from the community to participate.

Motion: Motion to approve administrator report was made and seconded. Upon Roll Call-
Vanessa Chapman- Absent; Curtis McCall, Jr.-Yes; Roy Mosley, Jr - Late;
Rickie Thomas. – Yes; Mark Kern- Yes. The Motion carried.

5. Finance Committee Report

- a. Disbursements for March 2026

Motion: Motion to approve disbursements was made and seconded. Upon Roll Call-
Vanessa Chapman- Absent; Curtis McCall, Jr.-Yes; Roy Mosley, Jr - Yes; Rickie
Thomas. – Yes; Mark Kern- Yes. The Motion carried.

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6. **Attorneys Report** – The attorney provided an update on the ongoing lawsuit involving a nightclub in Washington Park. The EH Director is required to appear for a deposition as part of the proceedings.
7. Board Comments - None
8. Motion to adjourn until Monday, May 11, 2026

Motion: Motion to approve and seconded. Upon Roll Call-
Vanessa Chapman- Absent; Curtis McCall, Jr.-Yes; Roy Mosley, Jr - Yes;
Rickie Thomas. – Yes; Mark Kern- Yes. The Motion carried.