



DU PAGE COUNTY

Strategic Planning Committee

Final Summary

421 N. COUNTY FARM ROAD
WHEATON, IL 60187
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Tuesday, June 10, 2025

12:00 PM

Room 3500A

**** 12:00 PM or immediately following Legislative ****

1. CALL TO ORDER

12:00PM meeting was called to order by Chair Saba Haider at 12:35PM.

2. ROLL CALL

Other Board Members present: Member Paula Deacon Garcia

Staff in Attendance: Jeremy Custer (Senior Advisor); Renee Zerante (Assistant State's Attorney); Mary Keating (Director of Community Services); Laura Flamion (Administrator, Animal Control); Sarah Hunn (Director of Stormwater Management); Stephen Travia (Director of Transportation)

PRESENT	Cronin Cahill, Haider, Honig, and Rutledge
ABSENT	Krajewski, and LaPlante

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

No public comments were offered.

4. CHAIRWOMAN'S REMARKS - CHAIR HAIDER

Chair Haider welcomed all present to the second meeting of the Strategic Planning Committee for 2025. The purpose of this meeting, and subsequent meetings of the committee throughout the year, is to focus on the progress being made on implementing the six strategic priorities identified in the DuPage County Strategic Plan adopted by the County Board on March 26, 2024. Today's meeting will focus on the strategic priorities of Community Well-Being and Safe Communities. Chair Haider thanked Senior Advisor Jeremy Custer for his efforts in working with the various County departments to provide the updates pertaining to these two strategic priorities. She also expressed her thanks to each department represented at this meeting for their work.

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

5.A. [25-1425](#)

Strategic Planning Committee - Regular Meeting - Tuesday, March 25, 2025

RESULT:	APPROVED
MOVER:	Cynthia Cronin Cahill

SECONDER: Andrew Honig

6. PRESENTATION**6.A. Community Well-Being and Safe Communities Strategic Priorities**

Staff updates were provided for the following County departments: Community Services (Mary Keating, Director); Transportation (Stephen Travia, Director); Animal Services (Laura Flamion, Administrator); Stormwater (Sarah Hunn, Director); OHSEM (Jeremy Custer, Senior Advisor).

Each department highlighted their year-to-date project and activity milestones, comparing their current performance metrics with the specific objectives set by the 2024-2029 Strategic Plan for the Community Well-Being and Safe Communities initiatives.

At the conclusion of the presentation, Chair Haider received questions and comments from committee members.

7. OLD BUSINESS

No old business was discussed.

8. NEW BUSINESS

No new business was discussed.

9. ADJOURNMENT

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned.



Minutes

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Tuesday, March 25, 2025

11:30 AM

Room 3500A

**** 11:30 AM or Immediately following Board ****

1. CALL TO ORDER

11:30AM meeting was called to order by Chair Saba Haider at 11:30AM.

2. ROLL CALL

Other Board members present: Member Yeena Yoo

Staff in attendance: Jeremy Custer (Senior Advisor); Renee Zerante (Assistant State's Attorney); Barbara Reynolds (Deputy Chief Assistant State's Attorney)

PRESENT	Cronin Cahill, Haider, Honig, LaPlante, and Rutledge
ABSENT	Krajewski

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

No public comments were offered.

4. CHAIRWOMAN'S REMARKS - CHAIR HAIDER

Chair Haider welcomed the committee members, visiting County Board members and staff, and thanked them for attending the first Strategic Planning Committee meeting of 2025. She noted that the Strategic Plan for 2024-2029, which was approved and adopted by the County Board on March 26, 2024, won the 2024 NACo (National Association of Counties) award for excellence in strategic planning.

Chair Haider concluded by noting the importance of working collaboratively to ensure that we follow the guidelines of the strategic plan and reach our target goals.

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

5.A. [25-0777](#)

Strategic Planning Committee - Regular Meeting - Tuesday, May 21, 2024

RESULT:	APPROVED
MOVER:	Sheila Rutledge
SECONDER:	Cynthia Cronin Cahill

6. PRESENTATION**6.A. [25-0782](#)**

Tracking Progress of the Strategic Plan

Chair Haider stated that throughout fiscal year 2025 it will be important to track how successfully the six key strategic priorities identified in the plan are being implemented: Community Well-Being; Fiscal Responsibility; Thriving Economy; Safe Community; Environmental Stewardship; and Mobility. To review the progress being made in these key areas, the Strategic Planning Committee has scheduled three follow-up meetings during the year focusing on two strategic initiatives each:

June 10, 2025 - Community Well-Being and Safe Community; September 9, 2025 - Fiscal Responsibility and Thriving Economy; and October 28, 2025 - Environmental Stewardship and Mobility.

Following the presentation overview, Chair Haider opened the floor for discussion and questions from members.

7. OLD BUSINESS

No old business was discussed.

8. NEW BUSINESS

No new business was discussed.

9. ADJOURNMENT

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned.