

BEMIDJI SUSTAINABILITY COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

Thursday, August 14, 2025

City Hall – 317 4th Street NW
3:30 PM



- 1) **CALL MEETING TO ORDER**
- 2) **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**
- 3) **APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES**
 - A) July 10, 2025
- 4) **OLD BUSINESS**
 - B) Proposed Bylaws Amendment - Citizen Comment Period
- The rules, procedures, and limitations established for addressing Bemidji's Sustainability Commission include stating one's name and address for the record, refraining from profane and disparaging language about any individual or group, and limiting ones remarks to three (3) minutes.
"Anyone who wishes to address the Sustainability Commission at any meeting thereof, shall do so according to the same rules, procedures, and limitations as those established for addressing the Bemidji City Council. Such address shall happen at the designated agenda time for public comments."
 - C) Recap July 28th work session (Jordan, Charles, Linda)
 - D) Comprehensive Planning
 - a. Recap of Nymore Community Picnic (Anna)
 - b. Other
 - E) Planning Board (September 8th) meeting & MCAP (Linda)
 - F) Tree Inventory Update (Charles)
- 5) **NEW BUSINESS**
 - G) Citizen request to encourage Council to adopt water surface use management (Jordan)
Resources:
[MPR reporting research out of the U of M about the impacts of large wakesurf boats upon lakes.](#)
MNDNR's Water Surface Use Packet (attached)
- 6) **ADJOURN**