



Carver County Board of Commissioners
March 24, 2026
Work Session

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- 9:00 a.m. 1. **CONVENE**
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UPCOMING MEETINGS

March 25, 2026	5:00 p.m.	Highway 5 Public Open House (MacMillan Auditorium, 3675 Arboretum Dr. Chaska)
April 7, 2026	9:00 a.m.	Board Meeting
	1:30 p.m.	Highway 5 Improvements Groundbreaking (Highway 5 Project Corridor, Carver County)
April 21, 2026	9:00 a.m.	Board Meeting
April 28, 2026	9:00 a.m.	Board Work Session
May 5, 2026	9:00 a.m.	Board Meeting
May 19, 2026	9:00 a.m.	Board Meeting
May 26, 2026	9:00 a.m.	Strategic Planning Meeting (Paradise Commons, 8170 Paradise Commons, Waconia)
June 02, 2026	9:00 a.m.	Board Meeting
June 09, 2026	9:00 a.m.	Board Meeting
June 16, 2026	9:00 a.m.	County Board of Equalization
June 23, 2026	9:00 a.m.	Board Work Session
June 23, 2026	1:00 p.m.	County Board of Equalization (if needed)



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Request for Board Action

Agenda Item Name: License Centers Update
RBA Number: 2026-328
Department: Property & Financial Services
Contact:
Presenter: David Frischmon, Property and Finance Division
Director
Contract Name & Number:
Meeting Date: March 24, 2026
Item Type: Presentation

Strategic Initiative:
Taxpayer Value and Customer Service: Providing the best value and optimal customer service.

Background/Justification:
Annual update on the budget and operations for the County's two License Centers.

Action Requested:

Fiscal Impact:	
Funding:	Amount Budgeted:

Related Fiscal/FTE Comments:



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Agenda Item Name: Chaska Library
RBA Number: 2026-275
Department: Public Services
Contact: Jodi Edstrom, Library Director, 952-361-1432
Presenter: Jodi Edstrom, Library Director
Contract Name & Number:
Meeting Date: March 24, 2026
Item Type: Presentation

Strategic Initiative:

Taxpayer Value and Customer Service: Providing the best value and optimal customer service.

Background/Justification:

The existing Chaska Library is undersized and no longer able to fully support the service, space, and programmatic needs of Chaska's growing community and surrounding areas. As use continues to increase, the facility faces limitations related to collection space, meeting and study areas, technology, and accessibility. To address these needs, the City of Chaska has initiated planning for a new library facility and is preparing to launch a structured design and engagement process. During the Work Session, City staff will provide a project overview and outline the proposed timeline, committee structure, and public engagement approach, as well as anticipated milestones that will require coordination between the City and Carver County. This overview will help frame upcoming roles, responsibilities, and decision points as the project moves forward.

Action Requested:

Provide input on the upcoming process.

Fiscal Impact:



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Agenda Item Name: 2050 County Comprehensive Plan
RBA Number: 2026-303
Department: Public Services - Planning & Water Management
Contact: Paul Moline, Deputy Division Director - Public Services, 952-361-1825
Presenter: Paul Moline, Deputy Division Director - Public Services
Contract Name & Number:
Meeting Date: March 24, 2026
Item Type: Presentation

Strategic Initiative:
Taxpayer Value and Customer Service: Providing the best value and optimal customer service.

Background/Justification:
As part of the Metropolitan Council's regional planning cycle and MN State Statute requirements, Carver County is required to update its Comprehensive Plan by December 31, 2028. Staff presented a broad overview of the required plan content, significant changes from the current plan, stakeholder engagement, and a process timeline at a work session in November 2025. Staff will update the Board on the upcoming next steps, requested land use input from the townships and the schedule of township meetings in 2026, metropolitan council updates, and other process updates. Staff is seeking general input from the Board at this time.

Action Requested:
Input on 2026 Comp Plan process and next steps

Fiscal Impact:	