



Maricopa County  
Special Health Care District

Board of Directors  
Meeting

August 15, 2022  
3:30 p.m.

Agenda



<p><b><u>Board Members</u></b> Mary Rose Garrido Wilcox, Chairman, District 5 J. Woodfin Thomas, Vice Chairman, District 4 Mary A. Harden, RN, Director, District 1 Mark G. Dewane, Director, District 2 Susan Gerard, Director, District 3</p> <p><b><u>President &amp; Chief Executive Officer</u></b> Stephen A. Purves, FACHE</p> <p><b><u>Clerk of the Board</u></b> Melanie Talbot</p> <p><b><u>Meeting Location</u></b> Valleywise Health Medical Center 2601 East Roosevelt Street Phoenix, Arizona 85008</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>AGENDA – Meeting</u></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Maricopa County Special Health Care District Board of Directors</b></p> <p><b><u>Mission Statement</u></b> The Valleywise Health’s mission is to provide exceptional care, without exception, every patient, every time.</p>
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**Welcome**

The Board of Directors is the governing body for the Maricopa County Special Health Care District. Each member represents one of the five districts in Maricopa County. Members of the Board are public officials, elected by the voters of Maricopa County. The Board of Directors sets policy and the President & Chief Executive Officer, who is hired by the Board, directs staff to carry out the policies.

**How Citizens Can Participate**

Each meeting is open to the public and there is a “Call to the Public” at the beginning of each meeting. An individual may address the Board of Directors at this time or when the agenda item to be addressed is reached. If you wish to address the Board, please complete a Request to Speak form Speaker’s Slip and deliver it to the Clerk of the Board prior to the Call to the Public. If you have anything that you wish distributed to the Board and included in the official record, please hand it to the Clerk who will distribute the information to the Board members and Valleywise Health Senior Staff.

Speakers will be called in the order in which requests to speak are received. Your name will be called when the Call to the Public has been opened or when the Board reaches the agenda item which you wish to speak. As mandated by the Arizona Open Meeting Law, officials may not discuss items not on the agenda, but may direct staff to follow-up with the citizen.

**Public Rules of Conduct**

The Board Chair shall keep control of the meeting and require the speakers and audience to refrain from abusive or profane remarks, disruptive outbursts, applause, protests, or other conduct which disrupts or interferes with the orderly conduct of the business of the meeting. Personal attacks on Board members, staff, or members of the public are not allowed. It is inappropriate to utilize the Call to the Public or other agenda item for purposes of making political speeches, including threats of political action. Engaging in such conduct and failing to cease such conduct upon request of the Board Chair will be grounds for ending a speaker’s time at the podium or for removal of any disruptive person from the meeting room, at the direction of the Board Chair.

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Meeting will be held remotely. Please visit <https://valleywisehealth.org/events/board-of-directors-meeting-august-15-2022/> for further information.

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One or more of the members of the Board of Directors of the Maricopa County Special Health Care District may be in attendance telephonically or by other technological means. Board members attending telephonically, or by other technological means will be announced at the meeting.

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3), or any applicable and relevant state or federal law, the Board may vote to recess into an Executive Session for the purpose of obtaining legal advice from the Board's attorney or attorneys on any matter listed on the agenda. The Board also may wish to discuss any items listed for Executive Session discussion in General Session, or the Board may wish to take action in General Session on any items listed for discussion in Executive Session. To do so, the Board will recess Executive Session on any particular item and reconvene General Session to discuss that item or to take action on such item.

**Please silence any cell phone, pager, computer, or other sound device to minimize disruption of the meeting.**

### **Call to Order**

### **Roll Call**

### **Call to the Public**

*This is the time for the public to comment. The Board of Directors may not discuss items that are not specifically identified on the agenda. Therefore, pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.01(H), action taken as a result of public comment will be limited to directing staff to study the matter, responding to any criticism or scheduling a matter for further consideration and decision at a later date.*

## **ITEMS MAY BE DISCUSSED IN A DIFFERENT SEQUENCE**

### **General Session, Presentation, Discussion and Action:**

1. Discuss, Review and **Approve** Board Resolution No. 2022-8-15-001 Cancelling the November 8, 2022 General Election for the Maricopa County Special Health Care District Board of Directors Seats 3 and 4; and **Appointing** Kate Brophy-McGee as Director for District 3 effective December 5, 2022 and **Appointing** James Woodfin Thomas as Director for District 4 effective December 5, 2022

*Melanie Talbot, Chief Governance Officer; and Clerk of the Board*

### **Adjourn**



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Item 1.

Board Resolution  
2022-8-15-001

MARICOPA COUNTY SPECIAL HEALTH CARE DISTRICT

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-8-15-001

August 15, 2022

**DRAFT**

RESOLUTION CANCELLING THE ELECTIONS FOR THE MARICOPA COUNTY SPECIAL HEALTH CARE DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS, DISTRICTS 3 AND 4, AND APPOINTING KATE BROPHY-MCGEE AND JAMES WOODFIN THOMAS TO FILL THOSE POSITIONS UPON THE EXPIRATION OF THE CURRENT TERM OF OFFICE.

**WHEREAS** Kate Brophy-McGee was the only candidate to file nomination petition signatures for the election to fill the position of Maricopa County Special Health Care District Board of Directors, District 3, for which the current term of office is to expire on December 5, 2022; and

**WHEREAS** James Woodfin Thomas was the only candidate to file nomination petition signature for the election to fill the position of Maricopa County Special Health Care District Board of Directors, District 4, for which the current term of office is to expire on December 5, 2022; and

**WHEREAS** in accordance with A.R.S. § 48-5503(C), the Maricopa County Special Health Care District Board of Directors may cancel the election if only one person files a nominating petition to fill a position on the Board of Directors for which the term of office is to expire, and the Board of Directors may appoint the person who filed a nominating petition to fill the position.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the election for the Maricopa County Special Health Care District Board of Directors, District 3, is hereby cancelled; and

**BE IT RESOLVED FURTHER** that the election for the Maricopa County Special Health Care District Board of Directors, District 4, is hereby cancelled; and

**BE IT RESOLVED FURTHER** that Kate Brophy-McGee is hereby appointed to fill the position of Maricopa County Special Health Care District Board of Directors, District 3, which term shall begin upon the expiration of the current term of office on December 5, 2022; and

**BE IT RESOLVED FURTHER** that James Woodfin Thomas is hereby appointed to fill the position of Maricopa County Special Health Care District Board of Directors, District 4, which term shall begin upon the expiration of the current term of office on December 5, 2022.

DONE in open session on August 15, 2022.

Maricopa County Special Health Care District

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mary Rose Garrido Wilcox, Chair

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Melanie Talbot, Clerk of the Board