The nationally recognized Regional Council of Mayors (RCM) was formed in 2004 and is a nonpartisan platform focused on building civic trust through relationships, inquiry, partnerships and action. It is a voluntary opportunity for regional mayors to convene around issues of regional significance. 2018 priorities include: Minnesota Mayors Together, supporting a full range of housing choices, economic vitality, building resilient communities, and investing in our region’s mobility. The RCM is supported by the Urban Land Institute Minnesota (ULI MN).

RCM CO-CHAIRS

Mayor James Hovland
City of Edina

Mayor Mike Maguire
City of Eagan

MEETINGS

Held the second Monday of each month and hosted by Dorsey & Whitney. Mayors are encouraged to participate on a consistent basis.

Dorsey & Whitney
50 South 6th Street
Suite 1500
Minneapolis, MN 55402

GOVERNANCE

The RCM operates without a formal legal structure. It is guided by two co-chairs who serve two year, staggered terms. A RCM Executive Committee, (current and former chairs and the ULI MN Executive Director), set agendas and recommend leadership positions.

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

There are no dues. The RCM is supported by contributions from Target, BlueCross and BlueShield MN and the Family Housing Fund; parking, lunch and staff support are provided. RCM mayors are encouraged to join ULI as individual members or under the public agency package program.

ACTIONS

The RCM, as an informal organization, will not take actions that obligate or act on behalf of participating mayors or their city. From time to time, Mayors and/or their cities will lend their support on matters of regional significance, which have been vetted by the RCM, through resolutions, testimony or letters.

The RCM offers an immediate opportunity to meet and establish relationships with regional mayors. While each RCM city is unique, the collective sharing of resources, ideas, and experiences helps everyone. Mayors and cities are being asked to take on more in this time of new localism. The collaboration, rapport, trust, and support from other mayors, along with content experts provided by ULI Minnesota, is invaluable. We can accomplish so much more when we work together.
# 2020 Regional Council of Mayors

## RCM Co-Chairs
- Mayor James Hovland, Edina
- Mayor Mike Maguire, Eagan

## RCM Executive Committee
- Mayor Doug Anderson, Lakeville
- Mayor Elizabeth Kautz, Burnsville, RCM Founder
- Mayor Rhonda Pownell, Northfield
- Mayor Jake Spano, St. Louis Park
- Mayor Janet Williams, Savage

## RCM Members
- Mayor Marylee Abrams, City of Maplewood
- Mayor Jim Adams, Crystal
- Mayor Kirt Briggs, Prior Lake
- Mayor Anne Burt, Woodbury
- Mayor Tim Busse, Bloomington
- Mayor Melvin Carter, Saint Paul
- Mayor Ron Case, Eden Prairie
- Mayor Sean Dowse, Red Wing
- Mayor William Droste, Rosemount
- Mayor Mike Elliott, Brooklyn Center
- Mayor Jo Emerson, White Bear Lake
- Mayor Jimmy Francis, South Saint Paul
- Mayor Jacob Frey, Minneapolis
- Mayor Mary Gaasch, Lauderdale
- Mayor Jason Gadd, Hopkins
- Mayor Mary Hamann-Roland, Apple Valley
- Mayor Shep Harris, Golden Valley
- Mayor Kathi Hemken, New Hope
- Mayor Courtenay Johnson, Carver
- Mayor Marvin Johnson, Independence
- Mayor Joe Julius, Elko New Market
- Mayor Jerry Koch, Coon Rapids
- Mayor Jaci Lindstrom, Minnetonka Beach
- Mayor Chris Lund, Hamburg
- Mayor Dan Lund, Newport
- Mayor Scott Lund, Fridley
- Mayor Jeffrey Lunde, Brooklyn Park
- Mayor Julie Maas-Kusske, Maple Plain
- Mayor Judson Marshall, Mahtomedi
- Mayor Sandy Martin, Shoreview
- Mayor Tim McNeil, Dayton
- Mayor Charlie Miner, Long Lake
- Mayor Regan Murphy, Robbinsdale
- Mayor Kim Norton, Rochester
- Mayor Mike Pearson, Lake Elmo
- Mayor Duane Poppe, Osseo
- Mayor Maria Regan Gonzalez, Richfield
- Mayor Paul Reinke, Oakdale
- Mayor Dan Roe, Roseville
- Mayor Elise Ryan, Chanhassen
- Mayor Tom Ryan, Blaine
- Mayor Mark Steffenson, Maple Grove
- Mayor Randy Stille, St. Anthony Village
- Mayor George Tourville, Inver Grove Heights
- Mayor Julie Trude, Andover
- Mayor Lisa Whalen, Minnetrista
- Mayor Brad Wiersum, Minnetonka
- Mayor Ken Willcox, Wayzata
- Mayor Jeff Wosje, Plymouth
- Mayor Scott Zerby, Shorewood

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**FROM 8 MAYORS IN 2004**

**TO 58 MAYORS IN 2020**