

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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## **ELEFA to Host Public Meetings in November**

Meetings will introduce the Independent Evaluator to the public as we provide updates on implementation progress

November 07, 2024 (MINNEAPOLIS) Effective Law Enforcement For All (ELEFA) will host two public meetings, one on Nov. 13 and one on Nov. 14, to share updates on our role as the Independent Evaluator of the Minnesota Department of Human Rights (MDHR) settlement agreement with the City of Minneapolis. Community members are invited to attend and learn from ELEFA about the City of Minneapolis' and Minneapolis Police Department's (MPD) path to meet the requirements of the MDHR settlement agreement.

During these public information sessions, community members will be able to meet ELEFA's Independent Evaluator team, learn about our role in the settlement agreement, and receive updates on implementation progress with a focus on MPD's policies and training. ELEFA will also describe actions the City and MPD have taken so far and describe how ELEFA will monitor compliance. While this meeting will not be for public input regarding proposed reforms and policies, there will be opportunities for attendees to ask questions. Members of the media may also attend the event and ask questions at the designated time as members of the community.

Information about the public meetings is as follows:

## South Minneapolis area public information session

Date: Wednesday, Nov. 13

• Time: 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Place: Sabathani Community Center, 310 E 38th Street Suite 120, Minneapolis, MN 55409

## North Minneapolis area public information session

Date: Thursday, Nov. 14Time: 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Place: North Community High School, 1500 James Avenue, Minneapolis, MN 55409

For more information about ELEFA, our work, our evaluation plan for the MDHR settlement agreement, and future public forums, visit the ELEFA website at <a href="https://ele4a.org/minneapolis/">https://ele4a.org/minneapolis/</a>.

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