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**LA CROSSE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MONTHLY MEETING
PROCEEDINGS; THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 2026**

The La Crosse County Board of Supervisors Monthly Meeting was held on Thursday, March 19, 2026 in the Administrative Center, Room 1700. The County Clerk, Ginny Dankmeyer, took attendance. 29 supervisors were present when Chair Tina Tryggestad called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M. and those otherwise present, excused or absent are noted in the roll call detail:

District Name	Attendance
1 Leibold, Kelly	Present
2 Geary, Ralph	Present
3 Pierce, David	Present
4 Freedland, Maureen	Present
5 Anderson, Emily	Present
6 Mathu, Grant	Present
7 Padesky, Gary	Present
8 Isola, Peg	Present
9 Wacek, Dawn	Present
10 Cable, Kim	Present
11 Scheller, Patrick	Present
12 Erickson, Randy	Present
13 Tryggestad, Tina	Present
14 Larson, Margaret	Present
15 Kruse, Monica	Present
16 Ferries, Dan	Present
17 Pogreba, Jack	Present
18 Baroni, Mike	Present
19 Cornforth, Rick	Present
20 Doyle, Steve	Excused at 06:33 PM, Present at 07:20 PM
21 Balduzzi, Dave	Present
22 Kovacevich, Joe	Present
23 Elam, Travis	Excused
24 Tweed, Kristie	Present
25 Jacobsen, Dennis	Present
26 Hundt, David	Present
27 Wuensch, Paul	Present
28 Rothering, Ron	Present
29 Schlimgen, Ken	Present
30 Mader, Dillon	Present

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

**COMMUNICATIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:
County Board Chair Report - Tina Tryggestad**

- Chair Tryggestad reminded supervisors that the last meeting for the current board is the Planning Meeting on April 13, 2026 and the new board will be sworn in on Tuesday, April 21, 2026.
- Supervisor Conference Reports

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- Supervisor Schlingen attended the WTA meeting in February to speak about the Board of Adjustment and the town's role on that and announced that it is National Agricultural Week in Wisconsin.
- Supervisor Mathu attended the 2nd annual "I Am Not Invisible" campaign held at WTC for woman who served in the military.

Administrator Report - Jane Klekamp

APPOINTMENT

Motion by G. Mathu/R. Cornforth to appoint Rachel King as the Health Director passed on a unanimous voice vote with 29 ayes, 1 excused - T. Elam.

- Human Services Overview
 - The Human Services Department has six service divisions over 30 individual programs. They deliver services directly with over 300 employees through over 100 subcontracts and serves 1 in 6 La Crosse County residents. The six service divisions are Aging and Disability Resource Center, Community Services, Economic Support, Family and Children, Integrated Support and Recovery, and Justice Support Services. For fiscal year 2025, La Crosse County led Western Region for Economic Assistance achieved a FoodShare active error rate of .67%. Through 2025, the Youth System of Care has achieved an 86% success rate in preventing at-risk youth from entering the youth justice system. Pathways home housed 193 individuals/families with a 90% housing retention rate. In 2025, La Crosse County was the second entity in the state to be approved for Medicaid funding reimbursement for housing assessments and navigation under 1915i. The ADRC team members provided testimony to the Speaker's Task Force which encouraged the Assembly to pass a bill supporting grants to expand the approach developed in La Crosse County "embedding" economic support workers into ADRCs. The Human Services budget has gone down 1.5% since 2011. Park Lane Studios was created from an unused section of the Hillview long-term care campus and renovated into 10 studio apartments that opened in December of 2025. Six tenants came directly from unsheltered conditions and 4 transitioned from temporary shelter settings.
- General Update
 - Park Lane Studios will have an open house on May 1st from 4-5:30pm for the life center and May 5th from 3-6pm for the assisted living facility and nursing home; Deputy Carsten Jahr pulled a victim from a burning car in February and received a life saving award from the Sheriff; Governor Evers signed a bill expanding Medicaid from 60 days to one year for new mothers and babies; the federal government cut snap food assistance by 20% and shifted those costs to states and to avoid penalties Wisconsin added funds to Department Health Services budget to achieve and maintain an error rate below 6%; on April 7th there will be a well water testing event from 3:30-8pm; Flock cameras are law enforcement tools used for specific situations like amber or silver alerts and La Crosse County has 3 cameras within the county; last weekend had all the snow plows out for the major snow event that happened; look for a survey on county services and accessibility being launched with UWL; there is an election on April 7th.

APPOINTMENT

Motion by P. Isola/G. Mathu to appoint Adam Wright to the Land Information Council for the remainder of a term to expire March 30, 2028 passed on a unanimous voice vote with 28 ayes, 2 excused - S. Doyle and T. Elam.

CONSENT AGENDA

Motion by J. Pogreba/G. Padesky to approve the minutes of the La Crosse County Board of Supervisors monthly meeting held February 19, 2026 passed on a unanimous voice vote with 28 ayes, 2 excused - S. Doyle and T. Elam.

ORDINANCE NO. 230-3/26 TO AMEND S. 7.08 OF CHAPTER 7 OF THE GENERAL CODE OF LA CROSSE COUNTY, WISCONSIN REGARDING ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES

The County Board of supervisors of the County of La Crosse does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1.

7.08

ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES.

- (1) STATE ALL-TERRAIN/UTILITY-TERRAIN LAWS ADOPTED. For purposes of this ordinance, all references to all-terrain vehicles (ATV) shall include utility-terrain vehicles (UTV) as defined by statute. Except as otherwise specifically provided in this Chapter, the statutory provisions in section 23.33, chapters 340 to 348, and chapter 350 Wis. Stats., describing and defining regulations with respect to all-terrain vehicles, exclusive of any provisions therein for which the statutory penalty is a fine or term of imprisonment, are hereby adopted by reference and made part of this section as if fully set forth herein. Acts required to be performed or prohibited by such statutes are required by this section.
- (2) APPLICABILITY OF RULES OF THE ROAD TO ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES. The operator of an all-terrain vehicle upon a roadway shall, in addition to the provisions of section 23.33, Wis. Stats., also be subject to the rules of the road as provided in s. 346.02(11), Wis. Stats.
- (3) OPERATION ON COUNTY PROPERTY. No person shall operate any all-terrain vehicle on lands owned by the County except where the use is authorized by posted notice or County permit.
- (4) APPROVED ATV ROUTES

As of February 1, 2026, the following routes have been approved as ATV routes:

1. CTH A entire length from CTH C to STH 162
2. CTH AE entire length from CTH A to CTH TA
3. CTH B from Bangor Village Limit to CTH J & West Salem Village Limit to STH 162 & CTH M to CTH O
4. CTH C entire length from STH 108 north to south and West Salem Village Limit to CTH M
5. CTH D from CTH C to the Holmen Village Limit
6. CTH DD entire length from CTH T to CTH D
7. CTH DE entire length from STH 16 to CTH C
8. CTH E entire length from STH 16 to CTH DE
9. CTH EE entire length from STH 162 to CTH T
10. CTH FO entire length from CTH OA to CTH F
11. CTH G entire length from STH 33 to CTH P
12. CTH H entire length from STH 33 to County Line
13. CTH I entire length from CTH M to STH 33
14. CTH II entire length from STH 162 to CTH I
15. CTH J from Rockland Village Limits to Monroe County Line
16. CTH JB entire length from STH 162 to STH 33
17. CTH JJ entire length from STH 162 to CTH J
18. CTH M from CTH Q to West Salem Village Limit and (south end) West Salem Village Limit to STH 14
19. CTH MH from CTH XX east to Holmen Village Limit
20. CTH N entire length from 162 to STH 14
21. CTH NN entire length from CTH M to STH 162
22. CTH O entire length from CTH B to CTH M
23. CTH OA entire length from CTH O to STH 33
24. CTH P entire length south and east to County Lines
25. CTH PI entire length STH 162 to County Line
26. CTH Q entire length from CTH V to STH 108
27. CTH T entire length from STH 162 to STH 53
28. CTH TA entire length from CTH T to CTH A
29. CTH TT entire length from CTH T to CTH V
30. CTH U from the eastern Bangor Village Limit to the western Rockland Village Limit

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31. CTH V from CTH T to Holmen Village Limit
32. CTH VV entire length from CTH T to Jackson County Line
33. CTH X entire length CTH P to County Line
34. CTH XX from CTH O north to STH 35
35. CTH Y entire length from CTH J to the Monroe County Line
36. CTH YY entire length from CTH M to STH 33 and STH 33 to STH 14
37. CTH OT from STH 35 west through Midway to STH 35
38. CTH S from City of Onalaska limits to CTH M
39. CTH W from CTH D east to CTH D
40. CTH Z – All
41. CTH ZB – All
42. CTH ZM – All
43. CTH ZN – All
44. CTH ZZ – All

- (5) APPROVAL OF NEW ATV ROUTES. Pursuant to Wis. Stats. §23.33 a city, village or town may adopt a local ordinance authorizing or not authorizing ATV/UTV routes within their jurisdiction. If a city, village or town has passed an ordinance authorizing ATV/UTV routes within their jurisdiction, all County highways that are on the route authorized by the city, village or town, regardless of speed limits, are also authorized by the County. Where portions of County highways have shared jurisdiction, each city, village or town must authorize the route before the County highway is opened to ATV/UTV use. Cities, villages or towns that pass, modify or rescind any ordinance authorizing or not authorizing ATV/UTV routes must inform the County upon adoption.
- (6) SIGNAGE. Routes shall be marked with uniform ATV route signs in accordance with sec. NR 64.12 (7), Wisconsin Administrative Code. Cities, villages or towns that have opened ATV/UTV routes in their jurisdiction are responsible for signage. The County Highway department will install signage on county highways that are NOT designated as ATV/UTV routes.
- (7) DISCONTINUATION OF ROUTES. The La Crosse County Highway Department and the La Crosse County Sheriff shall have the authority to temporarily close any ATV/UTV route on the County Trunk Highway System, if the situation warrants. For permanent termination of a route on a County highway, this ordinance can be amended in the same manner as any other ordinance. Deletion or modification of existing routes must be introduced as an ordinance revision at the Committee level and then advanced to the full board pursuant to Board Rules.
- (8) CONDITIONS FOR THE PUBLIC USE OF ATV/UTV ROUTES
 - (a) All ATV/UTV operators must obey and not exceed the posted speed limit.
 - (b) All operators must ride single file.
 - (c) All operators shall operate only on the extreme right side of the paved portion of the roadway. Operation on the shoulder, ditch, or right-of-way is prohibited and illegal.
 - (d) No open containers of alcoholic beverages are allowed while the machine is in motion.
 - (e) Headlights and taillights must be on at all times. Brake lights are required.
 - (f) All machines must be registered with the DNR and display the proper decals.
 - (g) All operators and passengers under the age of 18 must wear a DOT approved helmet.
 - (h) All operators must follow the DNR regulations for safety certificates.
 - (i) ATV/UTV's may only be operated on County routes between the hours of 5:00 a.m and 10:00 p.m.

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- (9) ENFORCEMENT. This ordinance shall be enforced by any law enforcement officer authorized to enforce the laws of the State of Wisconsin.
- (10) PENALTIES. The Wisconsin ATV penalties as found in Wisconsin Statute 23.33(13) are adopted by reference.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect the day after passage and publication as required by law.

TINA TRYGGESTAD, COUNTY BOARD CHAIR
GINNY DANKMEYER, COUNTY CLERK

PUBLIC WORKS AND INFRASTRUCTURE

Motion by J. Kovacevich/J. Pogreba to approve. Discussion ensued. Corporation Counsel Megan DeVore responded to questions from the Board. Motion to approve passed on a roll call vote with 20 ayes, 8 nays - E. Anderson, K. Cable, R. Cornforth, M. Freedland, M. Larson, D. Mader, G. Mathu and K. Tweed, 2 excused - S. Doyle and T. Elam.

ORDINANCE NO. 229-3/26 TO AMEND S. 7.04(5) OF CHAPTER 7 OF THE GENERAL CODE OF LA CROSSE COUNTY, WISCONSIN REGARDING SPEED LIMITS

The County Board of supervisors of the County of La Crosse does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1.

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(5) 45 MILES PER HOUR. The speed limit on the following streets or portion of streets shall be 45 m.p.h.:

- (a) County Trunk "B" from a point .04 miles West of Wolf Ridge Ct to CTH M
- (b) County Trunk "D" from a point .17 miles East of 2nd Ave to a point .04 miles East of Granum St
- (c) County Trunk "F" from a point .07 miles East of Trailer Park to a point .22 miles West of Nolop Rd
- (d) County Trunk "M" from a point .48 miles West of Russlan Coulee Rd to a point .14 miles East of CTH "O"
- (e) County Trunk "M" from CTH "O" to a point .02 miles North of Logging Rd
- (f) County Trunk "M" from Village of West Salem limits North to Gills Coulee Road
- (g) CTH "M" from the Village of West Salem limits South to CTH "C"
- (h) County Trunk "MM" from a point .59 miles East of Trailer Park to STH 14
- (i) County Trunk "O" from CTH "B" to a point .02 miles West of Fox Hollow Dr
- (j) County Trunk "OA" from a point .14 miles South of Drectrah Rd to CTH "O"
- (k) County Trunk "OT" from CTH "SN" to a point .10 miles South of Corporate Dr
- (l) County Trunk "V" from a point .21 miles North of Juniper Ln to a point .27 miles North of Keppel Rd
- (m) County Trunk "XX" from a point .22 miles North of old NA to STH 35
- (n) County Trunk "YY" from a point 1.35 miles South of CTH "M" to CTH "M"
- (o) County Trunk "Z" from Dump Turnaround to a point .20 miles West of Forest Dr
- (p) County Trunk "Z" from CTH "ZM" to a point .08 miles West of CTH "ZM"
- (q) County Trunk "Z" from CTH "ZB" to a point .20 miles east of Elm Drive
- (r) County Trunk "NN" from CTH "M" to STH 162

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect the day after passage and publication as required by law.

TINA TRYGGESTAD, COUNTY BOARD CHAIR
GINNY DANKMEYER, COUNTY CLERK

PUBLIC WORKS AND INFRASTRUCTURE

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Motion by J. Kovacevich/P. Wuensch to approve. Discussion ensued. The motion to approve passed on a unanimous voice vote with 27 ayes, 1 absent at vote – P. Scheller, 2 excused - S. Doyle and T. Elam.

RESOLUTION NO. 41-3/26 RE: APPROVAL OF BIDS FOR THE SALE OF PROPERTY TAKEN BY TAX FORECLOSURE

WHEREAS, La Crosse County advertised for sale, 4 separate parcels of property, which were the subject of a prior tax foreclosure action; and, **WHEREAS**, sealed bids were received for the 4 parcels no later than 12:00 PM on Friday, February 27, 2026 and opened by the County Treasurer on the same date at 1:00 PM, which bid results are attached hereto; and, **WHEREAS**, the sale and appraised value of the real estate was advertised by publication as required by law pursuant to s. 75.69, Wis. Stats.; and, **WHEREAS**, the highest responsive bids were accepted by the Public Works & Infrastructure Committee for the 4 parcels; and, **NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the La Crosse County Board approves the sale of the parcels for which responsive bids were accepted by the Public Works & Infrastructure Committee. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the County Board Chair and County Clerk are hereby authorized to execute any legal documents necessary to accomplish the sale of said properties, after approval of Corporation Counsel. **FISCAL NOTE:** The revenue from the sale of tax delinquent property will be applied toward satisfying outstanding taxes, interest, penalty, and fees. Any surplus funds will be distributed pursuant to state statutes.

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Motion by J. Kovacevich/R. Erickson to approve passed on a unanimous voice vote with 28 ayes, 2 excused - S. Doyle and T. Elam.

RESOLUTION NO. 42-3/26 RE: APPROVAL OF CHIEF ELECTED OFFICIALS CONSORTIUM AGREEMENT OF THE WESTERN WISCONSIN WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT AREA

WHEREAS, pursuant to the federal Workforce Innovations and Opportunities Act (WIOA), federal funds are provided to states to provide job skills education and training and to help individuals find employment; and **WHEREAS**, Wisconsin receives such funds through 11 Workforce Development Areas, and La Crosse County is in Workforce Development Area (WDA) 9 with seven other counties; and **WHEREAS**, the federal WIOA requires that each region create a consortium formed by the counties contained within each region and that each consortium establish certain operating procedures, duties and responsibilities; and **WHEREAS**, the consortium is required to appoint and oversee a Workforce Development Board (which oversees job centers and employment and training programs, etc.) and be responsible for program planning and oversight, including financial oversight; and **WHEREAS**, the last consortium agreement was approved by the counties in 2015; and **WHEREAS**, the State of Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development is requiring a review/update of all governance documents in Workforce Development Area 9; and **WHEREAS**, the attached agreement forms the Western Wisconsin Counties Consortium (WWCC) and contains the operating procedures, duties and responsibilities of the WWCC. **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the La Crosse County Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the county's WWCC board appointee to sign the attached "Chief Elected Officials Consortium Agreement of the Western Wisconsin Workforce Development Area." **FISCAL NOTE:** No fiscal impact.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Motion by K. Cable/P. Isola to approve. Discussion ensued. Corporation Counsel DeVore responded to questions from the Board. The motion to approve passed on a voice vote with 23 ayes, 5 nays - D. Balduzzi, D. Jacobsen, G. Padesky, J. Pogreba and K. Schlimgen, 2 excused - S. Doyle and T. Elam.

RESOLUTION NO. 43-3/26 RE: ELECTED OFFICIALS' SALARIES FOR NEXT TERM 2027-2030, CLERK OF COURTS AND SHERIFF

WHEREAS, the County Board has reviewed and considered modifications of the salary for the elected positions of Clerk of Courts and Sheriff pursuant to the Wisconsin State Statutes, which must be set before the first day that candidates can take out nomination papers beginning on April 15, 2026, and; **WHEREAS**, salaries for the County Clerk, County Treasurer and Register of Deeds were increased by 3% in 2026 and 4% in 2027 and 2028. **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the following elected officials shall be paid at the annual rates set forth on the following schedule for 2027-2030 term commencing January 4, 2027 and for the subsequent years of the term, shall be effective January 1st for 2028, 2029 and 2030.

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	2026 Current Rate	2027 Annual Rate 3% Increase	2028 Annual Rate 3% Increase	2029 Annual Rate 3% Increase	2030 Annual Rate 3% Increase
Clerk of Courts	\$97,543	\$100,469	\$103,483	\$106,588	\$109,786
Sheriff	\$135,396	\$139,458	\$143,642	\$147,951	\$152,389

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the elected officials shall be eligible for voluntary health, dental and life insurance subject to the same terms and conditions as full-time non-represented La Crosse County employees. **FISCAL NOTE:** The estimated increased cost of salary for 2027 is \$6,988 and fringe benefits (WRS, FICA, Medicare) of \$1,346.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Motion by K. Cable/K. Schlimgen to approve passed on a unanimous voice vote with 28 ayes, 2 excused - S. Doyle and T. Elam.

RESOLUTION NO. 44-3/26 RE: ADOPTION OF COMPENSATION PLAN

WHEREAS, in August of 2024, the La Crosse County Board of Supervisors adopted a strategic plan which includes an outcome measure for the Strategic Direction of "Investing in Staff and Growing Future Leaders" of having wages "at or above market rate for all positions by 2029"; and **WHEREAS**, in April of 2025, the Executive Committee approved a request for proposal and contract with Segal, a national consulting firm, to provide a compensation market study; and **WHEREAS**, over the intervening months, Segal has analyzed job descriptions and questionnaires submitted by all staff; conducted reviews to develop internal and external consistency in job titles and families; identified comparable employers in the public and private sector; and compared and analyzed market data; and **WHEREAS**, Segal has presented their findings along with the budgetary impact and designed a recommended salary schedule, recommended job titles and recommended pay grade assignments ["Compensation Matrix" attached]; and **WHEREAS**, upon adoption of the proposed Compensation Matrix all employees will be at market rate, with a mechanism for market data to be considered and reviewed on an annual basis to ensure wages remain competitive; and **WHEREAS**, the Compensation Matrix provides many benefits and improvements including: exempt and non-exempt employees are now on one matrix; pay scales and steps are consistent across the matrix; a consistent process for updating pay scales and addressing issues of salary compression; **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the County Board of Supervisors hereby approves the attached Compensation Matrix; **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the County Board of Supervisors also approves a one-time supplement in pay for individuals employed on April 26, 2026 at the following amounts: \$1,000 for full time staff, \$800 for part time staff, and \$200 for those employed less than part time but are not part of the following categories: County Board, Administrator, Elected Officials, Seasonal, State Employees, and the Drug Task Coordinator (MEG) as the pay for these employees is determined outside of the compensation matrix; **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Finance and Human Resources Department are authorized to take the necessary actions and appropriate budget adjustments to implement the newly adopted Compensation Matrix effective April 13, 2026. **FISCAL NOTE:** The estimated salary and fringe cost for 2026 is \$2,392,322. The 2026 budget is sufficient to cover this expense. 2026 budgeted personnel costs total \$95,251,915.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Motion by K. Cable/M. Kruse to approve. Discussion ensued. Administrator Klekamp responded to questions from the Board. The motion to approve passed on a roll call vote with 26 ayes, 3 nays - D. Hundt, G. Padesky and K. Schlimgen, 1 excused - T. Elam.

ZONING ORDINANCE NO. Z468-3/26 RE: PETITION NO. 2092 FILED BY MARK ROESLER O/B/O ROESLER CREEKSIDE ADDITION LLC TO REZONE FROM THE EXCLUSIVE AGRICULTURE DISTRICT TO THE RURAL DISTRICT FOR A FUTURE SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENCE IN THE TOWN OF SHELBY

The La Crosse County Planning, Resources and Development Committee, having considered Petition No. 2092 to amend the La Crosse County Zoning Ordinance filed by: Mark Roesler o/b/o Roesler Creekside Addition LLC, W5556 US Highway 14/61, La Crosse, WI 54601 and having held a public hearing on Monday, March 2, 2026 for a ZONING PETITION to rezone from the Exclusive Agriculture District to the Rural District for a future single-family residence in accordance with La Crosse County Ch. 17.21 Ordinance text amendments and zoning map amendments in the Town of Shelby and described as

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follows: NE-NE, Sec. 23, T.15N, R.7W. Tax parcel 11-1767-0. Property address: W5554 US Highway 14/61, Town of Shelby. And pursuant to s. 59.69(5)(e)2. Wis. Stats. and s. 17.21 Zoning Code: the Committee did publish and receive proof of a Class II notice of the hearing; did receive receipts of mailing of the notices to the affected Town Clerk(s); did hold a public hearing to hear testimony or correspondence from the people; and, did receive and consider action from the affected Town Board(s). The Committee, under s. 59.69(5)(e)4., Wis. Stats., along with the affected Town Board(s), under s.59.69(5)(e)3., Wis. Stats., have the authority to approve or to disapprove of the application. Having considered the entire record, the Committee's recommendation is to: By a vote of SIX (6) in favor (Schlimgen, Scheller, Isola, Tweed, Pierce, Jacobson), ZERO (0) in opposition, and ONE (1) excused (Rothering), the committee recommended Approval of ZONING PETITION No. 2092 subject to no conditions. THE COUNTY BOARD took the following action this 19th day of March, 2026. Approved subject to conditions as outlined.

PLANNING, RESOURCES AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

Motion by K. Schlimgen/P. Wuensch to approve as recommended by the Committee passed on a unanimous voice vote with 29 ayes, 1 excused - T. Elam.

ZONING ORDINANCE NO. Z469-3/26 RE: PETITION NO. 2093 FILED BY MELISSA EMYR O/B/O YVONNE D GILSTER (LE) TO REZONE FROM THE GENERAL AGRICULTURE DISTRICT TO THE RESIDENTIAL A DISTRICT FOR A FUTURE SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENCE IN THE TOWN OF HAMILTON

The La Crosse County Planning, Resources and Development Committee, having considered Petition No. 2093 to amend the La Crosse County Zoning Ordinance filed by: Melissa Emry o/b/o Yvonne D Gilster (LE), N7128 Walnut St, Holmen, WI 54636 and having held a public hearing on Monday, March 2, 2026 for a ZONING PETITION to rezone from the General Agriculture District to the Residential A District for a future single family residence in accordance with La Crosse County Ch. 17.21 Ordinance text amendments and zoning map amendments in the Town of Hamilton and described as follows: CSM No. 93 Vol 20 Lot 7, Sec. 26, T.17N, R.6W. Tax parcel 7-930-5. Property address: Old Highway 16, Town of Hamilton. And pursuant to s. 59.69(5)(e)2. Wis. Stats. and s. 17.21 Zoning Code: the Committee did publish and receive proof of a Class II notice of the hearing; did receive receipts of mailing of the notices to the affected Town Clerk(s); did hold a public hearing to hear testimony or correspondence from the people; and, did receive and consider action from the affected Town Board(s). The Committee, under s. 59.69(5)(e)4., Wis. Stats., along with the affected Town Board(s), under s.59.69(5)(e)3., Wis. Stats., have the authority to approve or to disapprove of the application. Having considered the entire record, the Committee's recommendation is to: By a vote of SIX (6) in favor (Schlimgen, Scheller, Isola, Tweed, Pierce, Jacobson), ZERO (0) in opposition, and ONE (1) excused (Rothering), the committee recommended Approval of ZONING PETITION No. 2093 subject to no conditions. THE COUNTY BOARD took the following action this 19th day of March 2026. Approved subject to conditions as outlined.

PLANNING, RESOURCES AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

Motion by K. Schlimgen/K. Tweed to approve as recommended by the Committee passed on a unanimous voice vote with 29 ayes, 1 excused - T. Elam.

SUGGESTIONS FOR FUTURE AGENDA TOPICS

- Supervisor Geary asked for a report on the SMRT But with a breakdown of who paid what in 2025 and 2026.
- Supervisor Wuensch asked to see a more robust onboarding and training program for new supervisors.
- Supervisory Doyle asked for an update by Corporation Counsel on any litigation the county is involved in.
- Supervisor Hundt asked for an update on childcare.

ADJOURN

Motion by E. Anderson/G. Mathu to adjourn at 7:39 PM passed on a unanimous voice vote with 29 ayes, 1 excused - T. Elam.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN)

COUNTY OF LA CROSSE)

I, Ginny Dankmeyer , La Crosse County Clerk, in and for the County of La Crosse, Wisconsin, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of Proceedings of the La Crosse County Board of Supervisors at the La Crosse County Board of Supervisors Monthly Meeting held Thursday, March 19, 2026 and that it is the whole thereof. IN WITNESS THEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND AFFIXED THE OFFICIAL SEAL THIS DAY 20 OF MARCH 2026.