MINUTES

MANITOWOC COUNTY

Extension Education and Agriculture Committee

DATE: Thursday, April 18, 2024

TIME: 4:55 pm

PLACE: Manitowoc County Office Complex, 4319 Expo Drive, Manitowoc, WI

Committee Members:

- Supervisor Ryan Phipps, Chair
- Supervisor Larry Bonde
- Supervisor Lee Engelbrecht
- Supervisor Tim Jadowski
- Supervisor Scott Schiesl

Meeting called to order at 4:45 p.m. by Chair Ryan Phipps

Roll call: Present: Supervisor Larry Bonde, Supervisor Lee Engelbrecht, Supervisor Tim Jadowski, Supervisor Ryan Phipps, and Supervisor Scott Schiesl. Also present: UW Extension Director, Jayna Hintz; UW Extension Dairy Educator, Angie Ulness.

Absent: NONE

Approval of Agenda. Motion made by Supervisor Larry Bonde and seconded by Supervisor Lee Engelbrecht to approve the March 18, 2024, agenda. Motion carried all voting aye.

Public Comment – None

Minutes. Motion made by Supervisor Lee Engelbrecht and seconded by Supervisor Scott Schiesl to approve the February 14, 2024, meeting minutes. Motion carried all voting aye.

Correspondence – None

Program Highlight

 Angie Ulness, UW Extension Dairy Educator presented an overview of past and current Agriculture programs implemented in Manitowoc County. Ulness provided statistics around farming trends in the county that inform future areas of her work.

Department Director Report:

- 2024 budget review and progress to date were shared. Extension has stayed within budget; breakdown of each educator's budget use was shared.
- A newsletter highlighting educators' work was provided along with 2023 impact reports and area of work by each educator were called out.

Next Meeting: Thursday, June 20, 2024

Adjournment: Motion made by Supervisor Tim Jadowski and seconded by Supervisor Larry Bonde. Motion carried all voting aye.

Adjourned 5:27pm

Recorded by Jayna Hintz, UW Extension Department Director