

MANITOWOC COUNTY  
LAND CONSERVATION COMMITTEE  
Meeting Minutes

April 17, 2025

Manitowoc County Office Complex, Rm 300

LCC Chairman, Ryan Phipps called the meeting to order at 4:30 p.m.

**Roll Call:** Ryan Phipps, Lee Engelbrecht, Tim Jadowski and Scott Schiesl were present. Larry Bonde, Michael Slattery and Ted Hoffman were excused.

**Also, in attendance:** David Wetenkamp (SWCD) and Kevin Behnke

**Agenda: Motion** to approve the April 17, 2025 agenda made by Lee Engelbrecht was seconded by Tim Jadowski. **Motion carried unanimously.**

**Minutes:** Minutes from the March 20, 2025 LCC meeting were reviewed. **Motion** to approve minutes by Lee Engelbrecht was seconded by Tim Jadowski. **Motion carried unanimously.**

**SWCD Cost Share Contracts/Amendments/Agreements:** 5 contracts totaling \$62,429.93 were presented to the LCC for a grass waterway system, 8.9 acres of harvestable buffers and 1900 lin.ft. of streambank protection control using a combination of Surface Water Grant and Multi-Discharge Variance Program (MDV) funds. Project location and components being installed were discussed. Landowner will be required to pay 30% of waterway project costs. Funds being allocated are not county levy funds. **Motion** by Scott Schiesl to approve contracts was seconded by Lee Engelbrecht. **Motion carried unanimously.**

**Livestock Facility Licensing & AWO Reviews & Permits:** Soil & Water Director shared a list of the 6 current projects being reviewed under Chapter 26 & 28 Ordinances. The LCC was addressed by Supervisor Behnke that he has a client concerned with the process of requiring 5-year manure agreements for livestock facility license expansions. Director will present information on this process and what other counties are doing at the next meeting.

**Next Meeting Date(s) & Time:** May 15, 2025 at 4:45 p.m.

**Adjournment: Motion** to adjourn by Lee Engelbrecht was seconded by Tim Jadowski at 4:42 p.m. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Respectfully submitted,  
David Wetenkamp  
Department Director

Minutes recorded: David Wetenkamp