

MEETING OF THE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
MANITOWOC COUNTY, WISCONSIN

Tuesday, August 18th, 2026

6:00 P.M.

Pursuant to Wis. Stats. 59.04, the County Board of Supervisors of Manitowoc County, Wisconsin convened in open session at the Heritage Center, in the City of Manitowoc, being the 18th day of August 2026, for the purpose of transacting business as a Board of Supervisors.

Chairman Phipps called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Supervisor Bonde gave the invocation, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag by the entire assemblage.

Roll call: 25 members were present: Lillibridge-1, Wolf-2, Metzger-3, Heilman-4, Pope-5, McDonell-6, Schiesl-7, Hacker-8, Sitkiewitz-9, Zimmer-10, Dallas-11, Behnke-12, Neils-13, Bonde-14, Hammel-15, Busse-16, Maresh-17, Riederer-18, Sortwell-19, Schwerma-20, Phipps-21, Grambow-22, Klein-23, Weiss-24, and Shimulunas-25.

PUBLIC COMMENT – OPPORTUNITY FOR CITIZENS TO PRESENT THEIR VIEWS

Chairman Phipps declared public comment open at 6:13 p.m.

No one else present wished to speak, subsequently Chairman Phipps closed public input at 6:13 p.m.

CONSENT AGENDA

Chairman Phipps called the consent agenda and questioned if any supervisor wished to withdraw any items. Supervisor Sitkiewitz moved, seconded by Supervisor Neils to approve Consent Agenda Items A, B1a, B2a, B3a, B4a, C1a, C1b, C1c, and C1d. Upon vote, the motion carried unanimously.

A. Approve July 21, 2026 County Board Minutes.

B1a. Appoint Todd Olig to the Joint Dispatch Board for a two-year term expiring August 2028.

B2a. Appoint Jill Pope to the Land Information Council for a two-year term expiring September 2028.

B3a. Appoint Alyssa Schmidt to the Manitowoc-Calumet Library System Board of Trustees to fill a vacancy for a term expiring December 2028.

B4a. Appoint Lee Engelbrecht to the Wisconsin Counties Utility Tax Association to fill a vacancy for a term expiring April 2028.

C1a. Ordinance 2026/2028-35 Amending Zoning Map (Tom and Mary Cisler).

C1b. Ordinance 2026/2028-36 Amending Zoning Map (Bradley and Chris Englebert).

C1c. Ordinance 2026/2028-37 Amending Zoning Map (James and Jodi Krim).

C1d. Ordinance 2026/2028-38 Amending Zoning Map (Steve Miller Properties LLC).

COMMITTEE REPORTS, RESOLUTIONS, ORDINANCES

Aging and Disability Board: Supervisor Shimulunas gave a report.

Board of Health: Supervisor Metzger gave a report.

Expo-Ice Center Board: Supervisor Behnke gave a report.

Finance Committee: Supervisor Grambow gave a report.

Supervisor Grambow moved, seconded by Supervisor Hacker to adopt Resolution 2026/2028-39 Awarding the Sale of \$2,450,000 General Obligation Promissory Notes, Series 2026. Upon vote, the motion carried with 24 ayes and 1 no. Supervisor Klein voted no.

Highway Committee: Supervisor Hammel gave a report.

Human Services Board: Supervisor Klein gave a report.

Personnel Committee: Supervisor Maresh gave a report.

Planning and Park Commission: Supervisor Zimmer gave a report.

Public Safety Committee: Supervisor Dallas gave a report.

Supervisor Dallas moved, seconded by Supervisor Schiesl to adopt Resolution 2026/2028-40 Authorizing Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) Grant Application. Upon vote, the motion carried unanimously.

Public Works Committee: Supervisor Sitkiewitz gave a report.

Transportation Coordinating Committee: Supervisor Hacker gave a report.

ADJOURNMENT

Supervisor Maresh moved to adjourn, seconded by Supervisor Zimmer and the motion was adopted by acclamation. The meeting adjourned at 6:43 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Jessica Backus, Manitowoc County Clerk