

MANITOWOC COUNTY
LAND CONSERVATION COMMITTEE
Meeting Minutes

October 15, 2026
Manitowoc County Office Complex, Rm 300

LCC Vice Chairman, Greg Riederer called the meeting to order at 4:38 p.m.

Roll Call: Greg Riederer, Scott Schiesl, Jill Pope and Gregg Wolf were present. Larry Bonde, Justin Otto and Ted Hoffman were excused.

Also, in attendance: Eric Oppermann (SWCD), Tyler Martell (County Executive).

Agenda: Motion to approve agenda by Jill Pope was seconded by Scott Schiesl. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Minutes: Minutes from the September 17, 2026 LCC meeting were reviewed. **Motion** to approve minutes by Scott Schiesl was seconded by Gregg Wolf. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Public Comment: No Public Comment.

SWCD 2027 Proposed Executive Budget: Eric Oppermann (SWCD) shared options of the departments various proposed 2027 budget sheets. Supervisors were able to review and discuss these options with County Executive Martell. **Motion** by Scott Schiesl to request amending the executives proposed budget page 289 line 41110 shown as \$378,413 to \$401,913, was seconded by Jill Pope. **Motion carried unanimously.**

SWCD Cost-Share Contracts/Amendments/Agreements: Eric Oppermann shared the breakdown of various cost-share practices included in the agreements list submitted for review and approval. 4 contracts totaling \$18,511.35 in requested cost-share for cover crops and a grass waterway were presented to the LCC. **Motion** by Scott Schiesl to approve the cost-share contracts was seconded by Jill Pope. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Next Meeting Date(s) & Time: November 19, 2026, at 4:45 p.m.

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn by Gregg Wolf was seconded by Scott Schiesl at 4:48 p.m. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Respectfully submitted,
David Wetenkamp
Department Director

Minutes recorded: Eric Oppermann, Written: David Wetenkamp