

MINUTES  
KENOSHA COUNTY LAND & WATER CONSERVATION COMMITTEE  
Wednesday, February 11, 2026, at 5:00 PM  
Kenosha County Center  
Planning & Development Conference Room  
19600 - 75th Street  
Bristol, Wisconsin 53104

Members Present: Frederick Brookhouse, John Holloway, Keith Gray, Dave Daniels.

Agency Advisors Present: None

Guests: None

Staff Present: Shelly Billingsley, Director of Public Works, Andy Buehler, Planning and Development Director & Paul Tollard, County Conservationist

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m. by Vice-Chairperson Brookhouse.

**1. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS**

Chairperson Brookhouse welcomed everyone to the meeting.

**2. CITIZEN'S COMMENTS**

No citizens present

**3. APPROVAL OF DECEMBER 10<sup>TH</sup> , 2025 LWCC MEETING MINUTES**

Motion by Gray, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Daniels to approve minutes as written. Motion passed unanimously.

**4. RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT FEDERAL FLOODPLAIN ENHANCEMENT & RECOVERY ACT LEGISLATION**

Tollard explained to the committee that a resolution to support the legislation needed to come from a standing committee. Motion by Gray, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Daniels for a recommendation letter to be sent to the Planning Development and Education Committee to forward a resolution in support of the Federal Floodplain Enhancement & Recovery Act Legislation. Motion passed unanimously.

**5. DATCP SWRM - ANNUAL REPORT**

Tollard provided a copy of the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection's 2025 annual survey for Kenosha County.

**6. 2026 SWRM Annual Work Plan**

Tollard presented information on how a typical Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) report by the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources is developed. Tollard discussed how the Kenosha County TMDL Road Map is a multi-year planning document that prepares Kenosha County for the implementation of the TMDL report for the Fox-Des Plaines watersheds. Tollard further discussed that the annual 2026 Land & Water Conservation workplan includes activities that are also identified in the Kenosha County TMDL Road Map. The 2026 Annual Workplan needs to be submitted to the Wisconsin Department of Ag, Trade, and Consumer Protection by April 15<sup>th</sup> with the 2027 Soil and Water Resource Management Grant application.

**7. 2027 SOIL & WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT GRANT**

Tollard reviewed the 2027 Soil and Water Resource Management Grant application with the

committee. The 2027 Soil & Water Resource Management Grant needs to be submitted to the Wisconsin Department of Ag, Trade, and Consumer Protection by April 15<sup>th</sup>.

**8. CHAIRMAN/COMMITTEE MEMBERS/STAFF COMMENTS**

John Holloway commented that Alcivia Coop has sold agronomy to United Cooperative that is based out of Beaver Dam, WI. Racine County has reached out to John regarding drainage districts. The Paris town hall is available on April 9<sup>th</sup> for the Nutrient Management Planning Workshop.

**9. Next LWCC Meeting Date and Time**

Next meeting is scheduled for April 1st at 5pm in the Kenosha County Planning and Development Conference Room.

**10. ADJOURNMENT**

Motion by Gray, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Daniels to adjourn. Motion passed unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 6:27pm.

Meeting minutes prepared by Paul Tollard