



# Dane County

## Minutes - Final Unless Amended by Committee

### Food Council Regional Agriculture and Food Sovereignty Work Group

*Consider:*

*Who benefits? Who is burdened?*

*Who does not have a voice at the table?*

*How can policymakers mitigate unintended consequences?*

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Friday, April 29, 2022

5:30 PM

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phone.

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#### A. Call To Order

**Present** 3 - Chair SHEENA TESCH, NAN FEY, and NICHOLAS LEETE

*All others Present: Yimmuaj Yang, Jim Welsh, Jess Guffey Calkins, Philip Kauth,  
Rebecca Kemble, Nou Thao*

#### B. Consideration of Minutes

#### C. Public Comment on Items not on the Agenda

#### D. Reports to Committee

*Business Reports*

- Local market development*
- Land for cultivation*

*City ag leases – an update on this project was provided.*

*Farmland Preservation Task Force – A discussion was held on the next steps for  
preparing for the task force.*

*Project work team breakouts – were not held.*

#### E. Announcements

#### F. Future Meeting Items and Dates

#### H. Such Other Business as Allowed by Law

#### I. Adjourn

A motion was made by LEETE, seconded by TESCH, that the Meeting be  
adjourned. The motion carried unanimously 3-0.

*Minutes respectfully submitted by Jess Guffey Calkins, pending council approval*