



Dane County

Minutes - Final Unless Amended by Committee

Land Conservation Committee

Consider:

Who benefits? Who is burdened?

Who does not have a voice at the table?

How can policymakers mitigate unintended consequences?

This meeting is being conducted on land now known and recognized as Dane County, Wisconsin. We acknowledge that this land is at the same time the ancestral, traditional, & contemporary land of the Ho-Chunk, Sauk & Kickapoo nations.

Thursday, July 23, 2026

5:15 PM Attend in person at 5201 Fen Oak Drive Moraine Room;
attend virtually via zoom.

See below for additional instructions on how to attend the meeting and provide public testimony.

A. Call To Order

Chair Blazewicz called the LCC meeting to order at 5:15 pm.

Staff Present: Piaget, Hicklin, Minks, Rowe, McNally

Present: 7 - DAN BLAZEWICZ, PAULA BRANDMEIER, MICHELE DOOLAN, PATRICK DOWNING, HENRY FRIES, KERRY MARREN and BRIAN BROWN

B. Consideration of Minutes

[2026](#)
[MIN-111](#)

Minutes of the June 11, 2026 Land Conservation Committee

Attachments: [LCC 06-11-26](#)

A motion was made by BRANDMEIER that the Minutes be approved. The motion carried by a voice vote. MC 7/0

C. Fund Transfers

D. Referrals (Resolutions & Ordinance Amendments)

E. Items Requiring Committee Action

[2026](#)
[ACT-059](#)

LAND CONSERVATION FEE SCHEDULE

Attachments: [LCDFeeschedule-DRAFT](#)

A motion was made by MARREN that the Action Item be approved. The motion carried by a voice vote. Brown and Doolan abstained from voting. MC 4/1

F. Presentations

[2026](#) OVERVIEW OF COST-SHARE PROGRAMS
[PRES-073](#)

Attachments: [Cost-share Programs LCC 2026](#)

Piaget presented an overview of the cost-share programs offered by the Land Conservation Division to private landowners in Dane County.

G. Reports to Committee

[2026](#) APPROVED CONTRACTS REPORT - JULY 2026
[RPT-205](#)

Attachments: [Approved Contracts July 2026](#)

Piaget reported on the cost-share contracts approved since the last LCC meeting.

[2026](#) APPROVED PAYMENTS REPORT - JULY 2026
[RPT-206](#)

Attachments: [Approved Payment July 2026](#)

Piaget reported on the cost-share payments approved since the last LCC meeting.

H. Future Meeting Items and Dates

August 20, 2026 or by call of the chair

I. Public Comment on Items not on the Agenda

J. Such Other Business as Allowed by Law

Chair Blazewicz announced he is stepping down as Chair of LCC. Vice Chair Fries will take over the Chair role. An election for vice chair will be held at the next LCC meeting.

K. Adjourn

A motion was made by MARREN that the LCC meeting be adjourned. The motion carried unanimously. MC 7/0

The meeting adjourned at 5:57 pm.

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