



# Dane County

## Minutes - Final Unless Amended by Committee

### UW Extension 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.*

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Monday, July 28, 2025

5:00 PM

Hybrid meeting - 5201 Fen Oak Dr. Madison, WI -  
Moraine Conference Room and Zoom

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#### A. Call To Order

**Present:** 5 - MICHELE DOOLAN, BRENDA YANG, JEFFREY KRONING, MICHELE RITT and  
TOMMY RYLANDER

**Excused:** 1 - SARAH SMITH

**Absent:** 1 - ANTHONY GRAY

Others present: Claire Strader, Alison Pfau, Will Fulwider and Carrie Edgar

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

None

#### C. Consideration of Minutes

[2025](#) UW Extension Committee Minutes 2025.06.23  
[MIN-200](#)

**Attachments:** [2025 MIN-200](#)

Motion by Doolan. Motion carried (5-0)

#### D. Presentations

Camelina compromise: a new cover crop to reduce yield losses before corn? -  
Will Fulwider, Regional Crops & Soils Educator presented on field research he  
has been working on in the area.

[2025  
PRES-086](#)

Crops 7\_28\_25 Ext Committee Presentation

**Attachments:** [2025 PRES-086](#)

Dairy farmers training programs - Alison Pfau, Regional Dairy Educator provided an overview of her programming for the Latino dairy workforce and upcoming events.

[2025  
PRES-087](#)

Extension Committee Presentation Alison Pfau July 2025

**Attachments:** [2025 PRES-087](#)

## E. Reports

Director Report - Carrie Edgar provided an update on the elimination of federal funding for the FoodWise program and the impact on the Dane County program specifically. The program that has been serving Dane County youth, families, and seniors will end on Sept 30, 2025. More than 1700 youth and over 450 adults participate in program annually. Edgar also shared the June Program Summary report and encouraged the committee to review the impact report included on the TEAMs program.

[2025  
RPT-236](#)

Dane UW Extension Program Report June 2025

**Attachments:** [2025 RPT-236](#)

## F. Announcements/Discussion

Next meeting - Move August meeting to the 11 at 6:30 pm or 18 at 5pm to approve the 2025/2026 cohort in time for orientation.

- August 18th at 5 pm was decided. Edgar will send out calendar invites.

## G. Such Other Business as Allowed by Law

None

## H. Adjourn

Motion by Doolan to adjourn. Motion carried. (5-0)

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Minutes respectfully submitted by Carrie Edgar, pending UW Extension Committee