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## MEETING MINUTES

**Committee:** Land Conservation/Solid Waste Committee  
**Date:** Monday, June 3, 2019  
**Time:** 9:00 AM  
**Location:** Wolf River Room, Resource Center, 837 Clermont Street, Antigo, WI

Land Conservation Committee			
Name	Role	Status	
David Solin	Chair	Present	
Joe Novak	Vice Chair	Present	
Carol Feller-Gottard	Member	Present	
Reinhardt Balcerzak	Member	Present	
Roger Buck	Member	Present	
Tom Schmidt	FSA Representative/Member	Present	

  

Non-Committee Members Present			
Name	Interest	Name	Interest
Chris Arrowood	Land Conservation Technician	Molly McKay	LCD Conservationist
Becky Rank	Deputy County Clerk/ Recording Sec.	Alix Bjorklund	TIP
Fred Heider	North Central Regional Planning	Duane Haakenson	Zoning Administrator

The following discussion was held by the Committee at the meeting detailed above:

1. Meeting called to order at 9:00 a.m. by Committee Chairman Solin.
2. The Committee recited the Pledge of Allegiance.
3. Approval of previous meeting minutes. Motion by Balcerzak, second by Novak to approve the previous meeting minutes of April 8, 2019. All ayes, motion carried.
4. A request was made for public comment on agenda items and the consideration of items to be added to future agendas. None
5. The following Non-Routine Business items were reviewed:
  - a. Land & Water Resource Management Plan. Fred Heider with North Central Regional Planning presented the Committee with a draft Langlade County Land and Water Resource Management Plan 2020-2029. Heider stated a public hearing will take place on July 1, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. Information only.
  - b. Project updates: Arrowood updated the Committee on the Conservation Cost-sharing Program in Langlade County. Arrowood stated the Conservation Cost-sharing Program is doing very well. Discussion on funding and how the projects are prioritized and approved. McKay shared with the Committee on a successful shoreland restoration project for a watering system. This project is doing so well the land owner has offered to let Langlade County use this project as a demonstration site. Information only.

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- c. Discuss groundwater testing program. Arrowood contacted other counties to see what programs are used for groundwater testing. Most counties contract with Stevens Point for water testing and education. Arrowood stated funding for projects has come through the health aspect and EPA funding. Chairman Solin stated he will be attending a meeting that will be discussing groundwater treatment and will bring the information back to the Committee. Chairman Solin will contact Public Health Nurse Steph Thiede to attend the next Land Conservation Meeting. Information only.
- d. Shoreland grant update: McKay updated the Committee stating new hire Hailey Lucas will start on June 10, 2019. McKay gave a brief background on Lucas. McKay stated Land Conservation just entered in a MOU with DNR on the use of a boat. Information only.
- e. Lake District representation: McKay stated Supervisor Buck will be representing the Rolling Stone Lake District.

McKay shared with the Committee that the Langlade Counties Waterway Association is in need of new members. McKay asked the Committee to share the need for new members during the Lake Association meetings. McKay stated the next Annual Meeting will be held on July 27, 2019 to celebrate 20 years. Information only.

Supervisor Balcerzak updated the Committee on Mary Lake Protection and Rehabilitation District. Information only.

- 6. Agency Reports: Alix Bjorklund, TIP, updated the Committee on Forrest Lampert, the new TIP Tech. Bjorklund stated Lampert started on May 20, 2019. Bjorklund stated TIP has been working on garlic mustard, surveying and treating the Springbrook Trail for wild parsnip and working in the Town of Rolling to treat wild parsnip. Information only.
- 7. Department update: McKay presented the Committee with a written report. Discussion held, report is attached. Information only.
- 8. Reports of events attended: Chairman Solin updated the Committee on the NCLWCA meeting which he attended on May 31, 2019. Chairman Solin also updated the Committee on the April 25, 2019 Lumberjack RC&D Meeting. Information only.
- 9. Upcoming events:
  - a. July 25 Lumberjack RC&D Meeting Lincoln County
- 10. Schedule next meeting date: July 1, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. at the Resource Center, Wolf River Room.
- 11. Adjourn meeting: Motion by Buck, second by Schmidt to adjourn the meeting at 10:04 a.m. All ayes, motion carried.

Minutes submitted<sup>i</sup> by:  
Becky Rank, Deputy County Clerk

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## Meeting Minutes (Continued)

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May 21, 2019

### LAND CONSERVATION DEPARTMENT UPDATE:

- Updates to landowner information in Farmland Preservation database
- Issuing updated Certificates of Compliance
- Reviewing 2019 nutrient management plans
- Revising Land and Water Resource Management Plan
- Checking manure complaints
- Breakfast Club appearances
  - Molly – Pollinator Program
  - Chris – Clean Boats, Clean Waters
- Screened and selected Shoreland Protection Specialist
  - Haley Lucas has been hired
  - Start date – June 10
- Established MOU with DNR for use of workboat for shoreland grant project
- Held Compost Education Workshop (27 people attended)
- Held Compost Bin Sale (36 bins sold)
- Held Clean Boats Clean Waters Workshop (5 people attended)
- Held Pollinator Workshop (25 people attended)
- Presentation to 4H group on Invasive Species
- Project design/planning/installation
  - 15 projects in some stage of planning
  - Chris has been on several site visits with Stacy Dehne from DATCP
- Preparing to host North Central Wisconsin Land and Water Conservation Assoc. meeting
  - May 31 at Timberhaven Bar & Grill
- Working to develop shoreland stabilization booklet with multi-county group
- Events/training attended:
  - Molly & Chris – Lumberjack RC&D Council Meeting
  - Molly – AIS Grant Meeting
  - Chris – Road Stream Crossing Tour