

Extension/Land Conservation Committee
Tuesday, May 3, 2022, 7:30 A.M.
Barron County Government Center
Room 2151
335 East Monroe Avenue, Barron, WI

Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Acknowledgement of Public Posting Requirements
3. Public comment
4. Approval of Agenda
 - Approval of Minutes of Previous Meeting
 - Edit List
 - Announcements –
5. Approval of Feedlot Relocation: Gary Workman – action item
6. Approval of SWCD Equipment Rental Rate Increase – action item
7. Staff Reports – NRCS, FSA, SWCD, and UWEX (10 minutes) information only
 - Executive Committee Report
 - Fair Board Report
8. Set date for the next meeting (action required)
9. Adjourn

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(All times are estimated)

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cc: Gores, McRoberts, G. Nelson, Huth, Okey (alt.), County Clerk, County Administrator, Webmaster, Public postings

EXTENSION-LCC COMMITTEE MEETING

Thursday, April 7, 2022, 8:30 a.m.

Room 2151

Members present: Oscar Skoug, Kirsten Huth, Jerry McRoberts, and Russ Rindsig. Staff present: Tyler Gruetzmacher, Dave Gifford, Bronson Thalacker, Justin Everson, Lori Baltrusis, Missy Bablick and Kim Collins.

Absent: Don Horstman Jim Gores and Gary Nelson.

Vice Chair McRoberts called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. and Collins confirmed proper posting of meeting. No public comment or announcements.

Vice Chair noted the day on the agenda states Tuesday rather than Thursday although the date is correct and called for a motion to amend and approve the agenda. **Motion: (Skoug/Rindsig)** to approve the agenda as amended; carried 4-0. **Motion: (Rindsig/)** to approve the minutes of February 1, 2022 meeting; as Skoug was absent in February, the minutes will be presented at the next meeting. No questions on edit lists.

Item #5. Gruetzmacher explained that an FSA Representative is no longer allowed per USDA FSA but up to two citizen members can be appointed the Ext/LCC so Huth will remain as a citizen member.

Item #6. Gruetzmacher presented the 2021 SWCD Report to DATCP, highlighting the number of projects completed and additional acres under a nutrient management plan.

Item #7. Gruetzmacher presented the 2022 LWRMP and discussed future projects. Highlights include the groundwater study and demo farm establishment.

Item #8. Gruetzmacher provided an update on the MVD program.

Item #9. Staff Reports –

NRCS – No NRCS report.

FSA – Huth presented an overview of sign-up opportunities, stating the FSA office will again do in-person appointments soon.

UWEX – Baltrusis discussed the quarterly report in the packet and Bablick updated the committee on the various parenting classes she administers.

SWCD – See Items 5 – 8.

Executive Committee – No Executive Committee report.

Fair Board –Rindsig said Fair planning is under way and there will be fencing and electrical upgrades using grant funding.

Next meeting is set for May 3, 2022 at 7:30 a.m.

Motion: (Huth/Skoug) to adjourn; McRoberts declared the meeting adjourned at 9:35 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Kim Russell-Collins
Administrative Secretary, Land Services

Minutes are not official until approved by the Extension/LCC Committee at the next meeting.

COUNTY OF BARRON
 Payment Request Edit
 On-Line Vouchers
 LAND SERVICES DEPT

Vendor No/Name	Line#	voucher#	Account Desc	Date	Description	Amount
65358 COUNTRY TODAY	1	C0080539	SUBSCRIPTIONS	04/14/22	LS-2022 SUBSCRIPTION	52.00
167 AYRES ASSOCIATES INC	1	C0080540	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	04/14/22	LIO-1968 IMAGERY	32,000.00
74101 LEICA GEOSYSTEMS INC	1	C0080541	LAND INFORMATION - SURVEY EQUIP	04/14/22	LIO-REPAIRS/SURVEY EQUIPMENT	2,359.22
182613 BULL DOZIN INC	1	C0080542	COST SHARE (CLIENT) PAYMENTS	04/14/22	SWCD-CARLSON PARK ROCK PROJECT	1,062.50
22632 RICE LAKE PRINTERY INC	1	C0080543	EDUCATIONAL MATERIAL	04/14/22	SWCD-POSTER CONTEST CALENDARS	591.50
263869 SEILER INSTRUMENT & MFG CO INC	1	C0080544	OFFICE SUPPLIES	04/14/22	SWCD-PENMAP TRAINING	1,000.00
113468 US DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE	1	C0080545	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	04/14/22	SWCD-WILDLIFE DAMAGE,1ST QUARTE	4,386.00
922 WIEHES HARDWARE HANK	1	C0080546	REPAIR & EXPENSE	04/14/22	SWCD-SUPPLIES FOR MULCHER	80.96
274259 APG MEDIA OF WISCONSIN LLC	1	C0080547	PUBLICATIONS	04/14/22	ZA-PUB NOT/LUO, #3902	93.92
426 BELL PRESS INC	1	C0080548	PUBLICATIONS	04/14/22	ZA-PUB NOT/LUO,KAUFFMAN	92.15
289493 BUREAU OF CORRECTIONAL ENTERPRISE	1	C0080549	ADDRESS SIGNING	04/14/22	ZA-RURAL ADDRESS FEES	266.00
1015 CUMBERLAND ADVOCATE	1	C0080550	PUBLICATIONS	04/14/22	ZA-LUO PUB NOTICES	91.00
3565 SAFETY AND BUILDINGS DIVISION	1	C0080551	DUE TO STATE - SANITATION FEES	04/14/22	ZA-STATE SAN FEES/MARCH 2022	900.00
Totals:						42,975.25

MANUAL VOUCHERS/JOURNAL ENTRIES

DEPT	NAME	ACCOUNT	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
LS	BC HIGHWAY DEPT	220-12-53400-332-000	FUEL 2/19 - 3/18/22	\$347.07

MANUAL VOUCHERS TOTAL: \$347.07

GRAND TOTAL: \$43,322.32

 Dept Approval

 Admin Approval

Land Services Total: \$399.07
 Land Information Total: \$34,359.22
 Soil & Water Conservation Total: \$7,120.96
 Zoning Administration Total: \$1,443.07

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Payment Request Edit

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On-Line Vouchers

LAND SERVICES DEPT

Vendor No/Name	Line#	voucher#	Account Desc	Date	Description	Amount
256048 DSPS - TRADES CREDENTIALING	1	C0080614	EMPLOYEE EDUCATION & TRAINING	04/19/22	LS-POWTS CERTIFICATION/GIFFORD	40.00
76945 APPLIED DATA CONSULTANTS INC	1	C0080615	OTHER PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	04/19/22	LIO-ANNUAL MAINT, 1968 IMAGERY	3,433.32
167 AYRES ASSOCIATES INC	1	C0080616	ASSIGNED RES - 2020 BASE BUDGET	04/19/22	LIO-ONLINE LIDAR	661.93
167 AYRES ASSOCIATES INC	2	C0080616	OTHER PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	04/19/22	LIO-ONLINE LIDAR	1,838.07
266639 AB SEEDS & CONSULTING INC	1	C0080617	SUPPLIES	04/19/22	SWCD-41 BAGS/WATERWAY SEED	2,337.00
10057 LAURA'S LANE NURSERY	1	C0080618	TREE PURCHASES	04/19/22	SWCD-TREES/2022 TREE PROGRAM	7,462.00
17795 PETTY CASH	1	C0080619	TREE PURCHASES	04/19/22	SWCD-PETTY CASH/2022 TREE PROGR	250.00
744 CHETEK ALERT INC	1	C0080620	PUBLICATIONS	04/19/22	ZA-NR135,HITT,HOVER,LUO PUB NOT	148.23
Totals:						16,170.55

MANUAL VOUCHERS/JOURNAL ENTRIES

DEPT	NAME	ACCOUNT	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
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Dept Approval

Admin Approval

MANUAL VOUCHERS TOTAL: \$0.00

GRAND TOTAL: \$16,170.55

Land Services Total: \$40.00
 Land Information Total: \$5,933.32
 Soil & Water Conservation Total: \$10,049.00
 Zoning Administration Total: \$148.23

ATCP 50.81 Relocating or abandoning animal feeding operations.**(1) DEFINITIONS.** In this section:

- (a) "Abandonment" means discontinuing an animal feeding operation in order to prevent surface water or groundwater pollution from that animal feeding operation.
- (b) "Animal feeding operation" means a feedlot or facility, other than a pasture, where animals are fed, confined, maintained or stabled for 45 days or more in any 12-month period. Two or more animal feeding operations under common ownership or common management constitute a single animal feeding operation if any of the following apply:
 1. The operations are adjacent.
 2. The operations use common plans, acreage, or systems to landspread manure or other wastes.
 3. Manure, barnyard runoff, or other wastes are commingled in a common storage facility prior to landspreading.
- (c) "Relocation" means discontinuing an animal feeding operation at one site and commencing that operation at a suitable alternate site in order to minimize the amount of surface water or groundwater pollution from that animal feeding operation.

(2) COST-SHARE ELIGIBILITY. A cost-share grant under s. ATCP 50.40 may reimburse costs incurred for the permanent relocation or abandonment of an animal feeding operation if all of the following conditions are met:

- (a) The department or the county land conservation committee finds that relocation or abandonment is the most practical and cost-effective way to achieve compliance with state or local regulations.
- (b) The department approves the relocation or abandonment plan.
- (c) The landowner agrees, in a covenant that runs with the land, that no person may reestablish an animal feeding operation at that site unless the department determines that the reestablished operation complies with s. ATCP 50.04. The department may waive this requirement if the department finds that the covenant is unnecessary.
- (d) The covenant under par. (c) is recorded in the office of the register of deeds for each county in which the property is located.

(3) ELIGIBLE COSTS. A cost-share grant under s. ATCP 50.40 may reimburse any of the following costs to relocate or abandon an animal feeding operation:

- (a) Costs to install manure management systems and other conservation practices under this subchapter at a new site, as authorized under this chapter.
- (b) Costs to abandon and rehabilitate the current site, including costs for any of the following:
 1. Removing concrete paving, fencing, bunks, livestock housing structures, livestock feeding structures, and other obstructions.
 2. Grading and establishing vegetation on the site.
 3. Excluding livestock from the site.
 4. Abandoning wells on the site.
- (c) Costs to move buildings and other structures.
- (d) Costs to transport animals to a site in this state that is not on the same farm, up to a maximum of \$5,000.
- (e) Costs for livestock buildings and associated facilities needed to maintain the transferred livestock at the new site if all of the following apply:
 1. The department determines that the relocation is necessary to comply with s. ATCP 50.04 and is cost-effective.
 2. The cost-share grant does not exceed the appraised value of the buildings and associated facilities at the current site, or 70% of the costs of the replacement buildings and associated facilities, whichever is less.
 3. The relocation will not cause a violation of s. ATCP 50.04.

Note: Cost-share grants under this section are subject to the limitations specified in s. ATCP 50.42.

- (4) **INELIGIBLE COSTS.** A cost-share grant under s. ATCP 50.40 may not reimburse any costs to reestablish an animal feeding operation that has been abandoned under this section.
- (5) **DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, AND MAINTENANCE.** A cost-share grant may not reimburse the cost of relocating or abandoning an animal feeding operation unless all of the following apply:
 - (a) The relocation or abandonment complies with the NRCS technical guide standards for the conservation practices in this subchapter.
 - (b) The landowner agrees to maintain the relocated operation, if any, for 10 years unless farming operations on the affected

Relocated
Feedlot

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Waterway



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