

LAW ENFORCEMENT/EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING

Friday, January 5, 2024 8:00 AM Meeting Minutes

Barron County Justice Center, Emergency Operations Center, 1420 State Hwy 25 North, Barron, WI 54812

Members Present: Stan Buchanan, Craig Turcott, Robert Anderson and Louie Okey.

Members Appearing Virtually:

Members Absent: Pete Olson, Roberta Mosentine

Staff present: County Administrator Jeff French, Sheriff Fitzgerald, Chief Deputy Jason Hagen, Captain Darren Hodek, Captain Tim Evenson, Emergency Services Director Michael Judy and Fiscal Manager Penny Pierce.

Others Present: Aaron Jenneman, GenComm; Bob Zientara, Baron News-Shield

Call to order by Chairman Buchanan at 8:00 a.m.

Public Notification – Penny Pierce stated the County’s compliance with open meeting laws.

Public Comment – None

Approve Agenda

Motion: (Turcott/Okey) to approve the agenda as presented. Carried

Approve December 18, 2023, meeting Minutes.

Motion: (Okey/Turcott) to approve minutes as presented. Carried.

Review Voucher Edit Lists. Edit lists were reviewed.

Radio Communications Upgrade.

8:05 a.m. – Zientara arrived at the meeting.

Motion: (Turcott/Anderson) to approve the radio communications project as presented to not exceed 1.5M and to forward to the Barron County Board of Supervisors. Carried.

8:50 a.m. – Jenneman left the meeting.

Jail Sally Port. No action taken.

9:10 a.m. – Zientara left the meeting.

Updates. No action.

Future Agenda Items: Court Security Position, Jail Sally Port Project

Next meeting date: 1/25/24

Adjourned by unanimous consent at 9:21 a.m.

Meeting minutes posted in draft form. Reviewed and approved on 1/7/24 by Craig Turcott. Minutes not official until approved at the next committee meeting.