

LAW ENFORCEMENT/EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING

Thursday, April 17, 2025 8:00 AM Meeting Minutes

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

Members Present: Pete Olson, Patti Anderson, Roberta Mosentine, Pete Schneider, Craig Turcott, Jamie McCready, Louie Okey, Stacey Wenzel

Members Appearing Virtually:

Members Absent:

Staff present: County Administrator Jeff French, County Board Supervisor Fran Langman, Sheriff Fitzgerald, Chief Deputy Jason Hagen, Captain Tim Evenson, Emergency Director Michael Judy, Deputy Jeff Wolfe, Deputy Anthony Weigand and Fiscal Manager Penny Pierce.

Staff Appearing Virtually:

Others Present: Bob Zientara, Barron News-Shield

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

Public Notification – Sheriff Fitzgerald stated the County’s compliance with open meeting laws.

Public Comment – None

8:05 – Zientara arrived.

Approve Agenda.

Motion: (Anderson/Wenzel) to approve the agenda as presented. Carried

Approve February 27, 2025, meeting Minutes.

Motion: (Wenzel/McCready) to approve minutes with the correction of the jail sally port project to \$2,151.08. Carried.

Review Voucher Edit Lists. Edit lists were reviewed.

ATV Road Access on Hwy 28 from 21st to the Wild Rivers Trail.

Motion: (Schneider/Turcott) to recommend opening ATV road access on Highway 48 from 20 ¼ Street/Hammond Avenue to the north junction of 21st Street to the Barron County Highway Committee. Carried.

Tour of Recreation Division. Committee did not leave the Emergency Operations Center. No action.

Jail Sally Port. No action.

Radio Communications Upgrade. No action.

Updates. No action.

Future Agenda Items: Facility tours.

Next meeting date: May 15, 2025

Adjourned by unanimous consent at 9:08 a.m.

Meeting minutes posted in draft form. Reviewed and approved on 4/17/25 by Craig Turcott. Minutes not official until approved at the next committee meeting.