



# GREEN LAKE COUNTY

## Land Conservation Department

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### **Land Conservation Committee Meeting Notice**

**Date: October 10, 2019 Time: 9:00 AM**  
**Committee Room #0903, Green Lake County Government Center**  
**571 County Rd A, Green Lake WI**

### **AGENDA**

#### **Committee Members**

*Robert Schweder*  
*Chair*  
*Katie Mehn*  
*Vice-Chair*  
*Patricia Garro*  
*Bill Boutwell*  
*Andrew Bender,*  
*FSA Member*

1. Call to Order
2. Certification of Open Meeting Law
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Approval of September 12, 2019 Minutes
5. Public Comments (3 min limit)
6. Appearances
7. Twin Lakes/Grand Lake Update
8. Monthly Staff Report & Upcoming Projects
9. Lake and River Report
10. DATCP/County Cost-Share Contracts
11. Farmland Preservation Program
12. Well Testing Program
13. Conservation Awareness Poster Contest
14. Legislative Issues
15. Committee Discussion
  - Future Meeting Date: November 14, 2019 at 9:00 AM
  - Future Agenda items for action & discussion
16. Adjourn

Kindly arrange to be present, if unable to do so, please notify our office.  
All line items are subject to any and all action by this committee, unless noted.

Please note: Meeting area is accessible to the physically disabled. Anyone planning to attend who needs visual or audio assistance should contact the Land Conservation Office at 294-4051 not later than Noon on the day preceding the meeting.

***"Our highest responsibility is to protect and enhance land and water resources that will sustain current and future generations."***

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**Land Conservation Committee**  
**October 10, 2019 Monthly Staff Report**

**September Projects**

1. Complete the installation of a farmable diversion in the Town of Green Lake.
2. Completed the design for a grassed diversion for residential area in the Town of Green Lake on north side of Green Lake.
3. Complete construction of clay sub-liner and gravel base for a manure storage in the Town of Green Lake.
4. Complete concrete pour of waste storage facility floor and footings in the Town of Green Lake.
5. Complete As-Built documentation for all installed practices.
6. Complete the construction of a grassed waterway in the Town of Green Lake in a residential area by Little Green Lake.
7. Site visit to two properties to measure and document erosion concerns and begin designs of grassed waterways.
8. Begin design for diversion and rock-lined waterway for landowner in Town of Berlin.
9. Complete calculations and design for an Access Road in the Town of Brooklyn.
10. Survey Green Lake dam elevations for GIS Specialist.
11. Review NMP's submitted – 7 landowners
12. Work on Waste Transfer design – LWRMP Funding
13. Assist landowner with DNR Permit Application, Plan, and Documentation for Wetland Scrape.
14. Planning for Crop Management Systems training in December.
15. Work on Buffer Areas and Contract for landowner.
16. Attend NM Workshop, Oshkosh
17. Attend EQIP Local Work Group meeting, Green Lake
18. Webinar – Water Quality in WI.
19. Webinar – More than Honey, Beekeeping Sustainability and How it Influences Agriculture and Food Supplies (1.0 CEU for CCA Certification)
20. Webinar – Manure and Cover Crops
21. Reviewed CSEC&SWM permit applicability, applications and monitoring; issued and monitored permits.
22. Evaluated inquiries, complaints, land disturbance sites, land and conditional use permits, and rezone and variance requests and approvals for CSEC&SWM solutions and permit applicability.
23. Conducted crop-tillage-yield (transect) survey follow-up.
24. Disseminated conservation, educational and tax credit opportunities information to the public.
25. Estimated volume of waste oil and anti-freeze collected at 2019 Clean Sweep.
26. Introduced landowner to FPP, located and provided information.
27. Discussed SWM code applicability with LCD staff of neighboring county.
28. Attended field walk on and read about cover crop management and soil health.

**October Project Focus**

1. Complete the construction of 1 clean-water diversion in the Town of Green Lake.
2. Complete manure storage facility wall concrete and then complete the new concrete lot slab and L-wall.
3. Begin design for a grassed waterway in the Town of Green Lake.
4. Complete the seeding and erosion control mat for a grassed waterway in the Town of Green Lake.
5. Make addition to the berm for a residential grassed diversion by Little Green Lake.
6. Complete a grassed waterway for the manure storage structure in the Town of Green Lake.

## **Lake and River Report**

Puckaway – Shoreland Erosion Site Visits, Dredgebank Survey

Twin Lakes – Weekly water sampling underway. Monitoring buoy/sensors installed. Invasive Species Monitoring underway. Water Level Meter Installed.

Spring Lake – No Updates.

Little Green – Shoreland Erosion Site Visits

Green Lake – Carp Trap Removal, Dakin Creek Trout Habitat Restoration, Bid Stream Work, Culvert Replacement Permits, Sediment Surveys

Grand Lake – No update



**LAND CONSERVATION COMMITTEE  
September 12, 2019 - MINUTES**

The meeting of the Green Lake County Land Conservation Committee was called to order by Robert Schweder, Chairman, at 9:00AM on September 12, 2019 in the Committee Room #0903 of the Green Lake County Government Center in Green Lake, WI. The requirements of the open meeting law were certified as being met. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Present:  
Robert Schweder  
Katie Mehn  
Patti Garro  
Bill Boutwell  
Andrew Bender, FSA Member

Excused:

Staff Present: Paul Gunderson

Others Present: Harley Reabe  
Stephanie Prellwitz

**MINUTES**

***Motion/second (Garrow/Boutwell)*** to approve and file the August 8, 2019 meeting minutes. Motion carried.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

None

**APPEARANCES**

None

**GREEN LAKE ASSOCIATION UPDATE**

Stephanie Prellwitz gave a power point presentation showing Green Lake Association's involvement in the various projects on Green Lake.

**MONTHLY STAFF REPORT & UPCOMING PROJECTS**

Written report was reviewed

**LAKE AND RIVER REPORT**

Written report was reviewed

### **CLEAN SWEEP**

Gunderson summarized the 2019 Clean Sweep data. There was a 60% increase in attendance from last year, resulting in a 70% increase in waste volume. The budget will be adjusted accordingly at the end of the year.

### **DATCP/COUNTY COST-SHARE CONTRACTS**

RAATZ, WALDVOGEL

*Motion/second (Garro/Schweder)* to approve cost-share contracts. Motion carried.

### **WELL TESTING PROGRAM**

Gunderson gave an update on the status of the grant from HHS. Well testing will be done in January and February. Additional meetings will determine the details of the collection procedure.

### **LEGISLATIVE ISSUES**

### **CORRESPONDENCE**

### **COMMITTEE DISCUSSION**

- Future Meeting Dates: October 10, 2019 at 9:00AM in the Committee Room #0903 of the Green Lake County Government Center in Green Lake.
- LWLWCA Fall Meeting/Tour September 20, 2019
- Future Agenda items for action & discussion

### **ADJOURN**

Meeting adjourned at 10:00 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Heidi Weishaar  
Recorder