

PUBLIC SAFETY & JUDICIAL COMMITTEE

August 13th, 2026

The meeting of the Public Safety & Judicial Committee was called to order by Vice Chair Gene Thom on Thursday, August 13th, 2026, at 9:00AM, in the County Board Room and via remote access format at the Government Center, Green Lake, WI. The requirements of the open meeting law were certified as being met. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Present: Joe Gonyo 3:09 PM
Nancy Hiestand
Don Lenz
Gene Thom

Absent: Sarah Allen

Other County Employees Present: Pam Dykstra, Deputy County Clerk; Mark Podoll, Sheriff; Matt Vande Kolk, Chief Deputy; Jason Jerome, County Manager; Angie Smit, Circuit Court; Jeff Mann Corporation Council; Mitzi Putzke, Paralegal/Office Manager; Gerise Laspisa, District Attorney; Dave Cornelius – Emergency Management Director; Kayla Yonke, Finance Director (remote)

PUBLIC COMMENT – Victoria Hill, Berlin, Wisconsin, regarding the opposition of the use of Flock Cameras in the county.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – 07/08/2026

Motion/second (Hiestand/Lenz) to approve the minutes of the 07/08/2026 meeting with no additions or corrections. Motion carried with no negative vote.

DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON RECOMMENDATION FROM GLSO FOR THE PSAP GRANT CONSOLE PROPOSALS

Cornelius presented the information in the packet regarding the awarded grant. Discussion held.

Motion/second (Hiestand/Lenz) to approve the grant and utilize the proposal from Watson to purchase the new equipment. Motion carried with no negative vote.

Vice Chair Thom stepped down and Chair Gonyo took over the meeting at 3:10 PM.

APPROVAL OF COUNTY CREDIT CARDS

Motion/second (Thom/Lenz) to approve the issuance of three county credit cards. Motion carried with no negative vote.

2027 BUDGETS

- Sheriff's Office – Sheriff Podoll presented budget. Discussion held.
- Clerk of Courts – Budget found in packet. No discussion held.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

Reports found in packet. No discussion.

EXPENSE & REVENUE REPORTS

Reports found in packet. No discussion.

COMMITTEE DISCUSSION

- **Future meeting date: September 10th, 2026**
- **Future agenda items for action & discussion:**

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Gonyo adjourned the meeting at 3:15 PM

Submitted by,

Pamala Dykstra
Deputy County Clerk