

TO BE APPROVED AT THE OCTOBER 20, 2026 COUNTY BOARD MEETING

GREEN LAKE COUNTY

BOARD PROCEEDINGS

SEPTEMBER 15, 2026

The Green Lake County Board of Supervisors met in regular session, Tuesday, September 15, 2026 at 4:30 PM via remote access and in person access for the regular meeting of the Board.

The Board was called to order by County Board Chair David Abendroth. Roll call taken – Present (in person) – 16, Absent – 1 (Buss), Vacant – 2 (District 7, District 15)

<u>Supervisor</u>	<u>Supervisor Districts</u>
Nancy Hoffmann	1
Andy Brendemihl	3
David Abendroth	4
Mike Skivington	5
Brian Floeter	6
Nancy Hiestand	8
Bill Boutwell	9
LuAnn Mirr-Frank	10
Harley Reabe	11
Charlie Wielgosh	12
Don Lenz	13
Dennis Mulder	14
Joe Gonyo	16
Robert Grim	17
Sarah Allen	18
Gene Thom	19

READING OF THE CALL

The Green Lake County Board of Supervisors will convene via virtual communication and in person at the Government Center in the City of Green Lake, Wisconsin on Tuesday the 15th day of September, 2026 at 4:30 PM for the meeting of the Board. Business to be transacted includes:

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

READING OF THE CALL

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPOINTMENT OF SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 7 AND POSSIBLE ACTION BY THE BOARD

MINUTES OF 08/18/2026 MEETING

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

APPEARANCES

- Monthly update from County Manager Jason Jerome
- Report from Register of Deeds - Fidler
- Green Lake Town Square – Kris Anderson

PUBLIC COMMENT (3 minute limit)

DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING WINNEFOX LIBRARY 5-YEAR AGREEMENT RESOLUTIONS

- Resolution 15-2026 Establishing 2027 Annual Budgeted Allocation for Employee Wage Increase
- Resolution 16-2026 Resolution Creating One Additional FTE (35 HR Full Time Employee) Direct Support Professional, Program Aide at FRI in Health & Human Services
- Resolution 17-2026 Upgrading and Reclassifying One Health & Human Services Unit Manager Position to Include Health & Human Services Deputy Director Job Responsibilities
- Resolution 18-2026 Resolution Creating One Additional FTE Children's Long-Term Support (CLTS) Services Facilitator in the Health and Human Services – Behavioral Health Unit
- Resolution 19-2026 Resolution to Restructure the Land Use Planning & Zoning Department
- Resolution 20-2026 Resolution Eliminating Three LTE (Limited Term Employee) and Creating One Additional FTE (Full Time Employee) Maintenance Repairperson in the Maintenance & Parks Department
- Resolution 21-2026 Resolution Altering the Position of Fleet & Warehouse Superintendent (Further known as Shop Foreman) and Creating a Parts and Facilities Manager
- Resolution -2026 Roadway Functional Classifications

ORDINANCES

- Ordinance 15-2026 Ordinance Amending Chapter 338, Shoreland Zoning

BUDGET ADJUSTMENT

- Green Lake Campground Tower Entrance Paving Project

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

DEPARTMENTS TO REPORT ON OCTOBER 20, 2026

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS FOR ACTION & DISCUSSION

ADJOURN

Given under my hand and official seal at the Government Center in the City of Green Lake, Wisconsin this 4th day of September, 2026.

Samantha M. Stobbe
Green Lake County Clerk

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

1. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was recited.

APPOINTMENT OF SUPERVISOR DISTRICT 7 AND POSSIBLE ACTION BY THE BOARD

2. Chairman Dave Abendroth introduce Mike Starshak as the candidate for District 7.
Motion/second (Boutwell/Hiestand) to appoint Mike Starshak for the District 7 vacancy on the Green Lake County Board of Supervisors.

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3. Mike Starshak was sworn in and seated.

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4. ***Motion/second (Lenz/Allen)*** to approve the minutes of the August 18, 2026 County Board meeting with the follow change. Motion carried with no negative vote.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

5. The next meeting of the County Board will take place on October 20, 2026 at 4:30 PM.

APPEARANCES

6. County Manager, Jason Jerome gave a brief overview of the report included in the packet. Discussion held.
7. Register of Deeds, Renee Thiem-Korth discussed the role her office plays in County government followed by a presentation by Clint Heitz of Fidler. Discussion held.
8. Kris Anderson from the Green Lake Town Square gave a presentation. Discussion held.

PUBLIC COMMENT (3 minute limit)

9. Victoria Hill, 142 N. Wisconsin St., Berlin, WI – spoke against the use of flock cameras.
10. Rochelle Ford, N4493 Birch Lane, Princeton, WI – spoke against the use of flock cameras.
11. Jared Swyter, N3167 Oak Rd, Markesan, WI – spoke against the use of flock cameras.
12. Josh Madrigano, W2237 Spring Lake Rd, Markesan, WI – spoke against the use of flock cameras.
13. Denise Garcia, W2354 State Road 23, Trailer 201, Green Lake, WI – spoke against the use of flock cameras.
14. Josh Goldberg, W2142 Spring Lake Rd, Markesan, WI – spoke against the use of flock cameras.
15. Linda Wilkins, W872 Leslie Lane, Green Lake, WI – spoke against the use of flock cameras.
16. Rebecca Elliman, 450 Morris St., Berlin, WI – spoke against the use of flock cameras.
17. Dave Radke, Rockford, Il – spoke for the use of clock cameras.
18. Brad Haight, 116 E. Ann St., Kingston, WI – spoke against the use of flock cameras.
19. Kurt Wilkins, W872 Leslie Lane, Green Lake, WI – spoke against the flock cameras.
20. Rochelle Ford spoke regarding the Sheriff's position.

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21. Josh Madrigano spoke again on the flock camera issue.

DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING WINNEFOX LIBRARY 5 YEAR AGREEMENT

22. **Motion/second (Skivington/Boutwell)** approve the Winnefox Library agreement. Motion carried with no negative vote.

RESOLUTIONS

23. Chuck Buss was present online.
24. Resolution 15-2026 Resolution Establishing 2027 Annual Budgeted Allocation for Employee Wage Increase. **Motion/second (Lenz/Mulder)** to adopt Resolution 15-2026. County Manager Jason Jerome explained the resolution. Discussion held. Roll call vote on the Resolution 15-2026. Ayes – 17, Nays – 0, Absent – 0, Abstain – 1 (Starshak), Vacant – 1 (District 15). Resolution 15-2026 passed as adopted.
25. Resolution 16-2026 Resolution Creating One Additional FTE (35 HR Full Time Employee) Direct Support Professional, Program Aide at FRI in Health & Human Services. **Motion/second (Skivington/Brendemihl)** to adopt Resolution 16-2026. Discussion held. Roll call vote on Resolution 16-2026. Ayes – 17, Nays – 0, Absent – 0, Abstain – 1 (Starshak), Vacant – 1 (District 15). Resolution 16-2026 passed as adopted.
26. Resolution 17-2026 Resolution Upgrading and Reclassifying One Health & Human Services Unit Manager Position to Include Health & Human Services Deputy Director Job Responsibilities. **Motion/second (Skivington/Allen)** to adopt Resolution 17-2026. Roll call vote on Resolution 17-2026. Ayes – 17, Nays – 0, Absent – 0, Abstain – 1 (Starshak), Vacant – 1 (District 15). Resolution 17-2026 passed as adopted.
27. Resolution 18-2026 Resolution Creating One Additional FTE Children's Long-Term Support (CLTS) Services Facilitator in the Health and Human Services – Behavioral Health Unit. **Motion/second (Brendemihl/Grim)** to adopt Resolution 18-2026. Discussion held. **Motion/second (Thom/Allen)** to change from Pay Group 1 to Pay Group 11. Roll call on the amendment. Ayes – 18, Nays – 0, Absent – 0, Abstain – 0, Vacant – 1 (District 15). Roll call vote on original motion Resolution 18-2026. Ayes – 17, Nays – 0, Absent – 0, Abstain – 1 (Starshak), Vacant – 1 (District 15). Resolution 18-2026 passed as amended.
28. Resolution 19-2026 Resolution to Restructure the Land Use Planning & Zoning Department. **Motion/second (Boutwell/Mirr-Frank)** to adopt Resolution 19-2026. Discussion held. **Motion/second (Thom/Floeter)** to allow Matt Kirkman to speak regarding the resolution. Motion carried with no negative vote. Roll call vote on Resolution 19-2026. Ayes – 17, Nays – 0, Absent – 0, Abstain – 1 (Starshak), Vacant – 1 (District 15). Resolution 19-2026 passed as adopted.
29. Resolution 20-2026 Resolution Eliminating Three LTE (Limited Term Employee) and Creating One Additional FTE (Full Time Employee) Maintenance Repairperson in the Maintenance & Parks Department. **Motion/second (Skivington/Reabe)** to adopt Resolution 20-2026. Roll call vote on Resolution

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20-2026. Ayes – 17, Nays – 0, Absent – 0, Abstain – 1 (Starshak), Vacant – 1 (District 15). Resolution 20-2026 passed as adopted.

30. Resolution 21-2026 Resolution Altering the Positioning of Fleet & Warehouse Superintendent (Further known as Shop Foreman) and Creating a Parts and Facilities Manager. **Motion/second (Lenz/Reabe)** to adopt Resolution 21-2026. Roll call vote on Resolution 21-2026. Ayes – 17, Nays – 0, Absent – 0, Abstain – 1 (Starshak), Vacant – 1 (District 15). Resolution 21-2026 passed as adopted.

31. Resolution 22-2026 Resolution Roadway Functional Classifications. **Motion/second (Mulder/Boutwell)** to adopt Resolution 22-2026. **Motion/second (Buss/Mulder)** to allow Highway Commissioner Derek Mashuda to speak. Discussion held. Roll call vote on Resolution 22-2026. Ayes – 17, Nays – 0, Absent – 0, Abstain – 1 (Starshak), Vacant – 1 (District 15). Resolution 22-2026 passed as adopted.

ORDINANCES

32. Ordinance 15-2026 Amending Chapter 338, Shoreland Zoning. **Motion/second (Thom/Boutwell)** to enact Ordinance 15-2026. **Motion/second (Thom/Lenz)** to allow Planning and Zoning Director Matt Kirkman to speak. Discussion held. Roll call vote on motion to enact Ordinance 15-2026. Ayes – 16, Nays – 1 (Brendemihl), Absent – 0, Abstain – 1 (Starshak), Vacant – 1 (District 15). Ordinance 15-2026 passed as enacted.

BUDGET ADJUSTMENT

33. **Motion/second (Mulder/Allen)** to approve the additional funds to be transferred from contingency to the radio tower outlay fund in the amount of \$7,537.50. Motion carried with no negative vote. Roll call vote – Ayes - 17, Nays – 0, Absent – 0, Abstain – 1 (Starshak), Vacant – 1 (District 15), Abstain - 0. Motion carried

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

34. Chair Abendroth recommended appointments within the packet with the Board's approval:

35. **Motion/second (Thom/Boutwell)** to approve the appointment as presented. Motion carried with no negative vote.

DEPARTMENTS TO REPORT ON OCTOBER 20, 2026

36. Members of the Board who attend the WCA conference in September will be giving reports in October.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS FOR ACTION AND DISCUSSION

37. None

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ADJOURN

38. County Board Chairman Abendroth adjourned the meeting at 6:15PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
Samantha M. Stobbe
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County Clerk

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