



**SPECIAL ORDERS SESSION
COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MEETING MINUTES
TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 2026**

A. Call to Order

Chairman Thomas Egan called the meeting of the Winnebago County Board of Supervisors to order at 6:00 P.M. from the Winnebago County Courthouse, 415 Jackson Street, Oshkosh, Wisconsin and virtually by TEAMS.

B. Roll Call

The following Supervisors were present: 31 – Laux, Ulbricht, Lutz, Hancock-Cooke, Wise, Nussbaum, Paterson, Gabert, Binder, Swan, Gilbertson, Mueller, Ponzer, Belville (Via TEAMS), Macho, Hinz, Zellmer, Pluchinsky, Buck, Powers, Hanson, Cox, Gustafson, Bureau (arrived at 6:11 p.m.), Farrey (Via TEAMS), Harrison, Frassetto (VIA TEAMS), Egan, O'Brien, Nelson and Miller; Excused: 3 – Stafford, Holt, Reinke; Absent: 2 – Dowling, Halbur.

C. Pledge of Allegiance

The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

D. Invocation

The invocation was given by Supervisor Powers.

E. Adopt Agenda

Motion by Supervisor Cox, seconded by Supervisor Hinz, to adopt the agenda for tonight's meeting. CARRIED BY VOICE VOTE.

F. Public Comments

No public comments were made.

G. Communications from the County Clerk

No communication was shared.

H. Reports from Committees, Commissions and Boards

Supervisor Binder attended the 2026 NACo Legislative Conference in Washington DC last week and gave highlights of what he learned.

Supervisor Paterson reminds everyone that the Veterans Service Commission will not meet this month due to a lack of quorum.

I. County Board Chair's Report and Appointments

1. Excused County Board Supervisors

Supervisors Farrey, Stafford, Frassetto, Holt, Reinke are excused from tonight's meeting.

2. County Board Chair's Report

Chairman Egan tells the Board that public speakers are allowed to speak for two minutes during public comments. It is important to remember that everyone needs to be respectful and not interrupt while someone is speaking.

J. Presentations

1. ICE Update — Sheriff John Matz

Sheriff Matz gave a presentation on ICE and explained how the 287(g) agreement has been in place since the 1990s and how it works.

Captain Amber Rozek explained the training that certain deputies, known as Warrant Service Officers, go through and how ICE detainees work. Captain Rozek also gave a statistics update on ICE detainees for their inmates.

Sheriff Matz wants to reiterate the Sheriff's Office operates with public safety in mind.

Sheriff Matz and Captain Rozek then took questions from the Board.

2. EMS Study Update

Gordon Hintz, County Executive, gave a presentation on the history of the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) project since before he took office and where it's at now. There is currently a third-party ambulance service for Southern Winnebago EMS.

Executive Hintz then took questions from the Board.

3. Airport Hangar Rates

Jim Schell, Airport Director, gave a presentation on the proposed ordinance pertaining to Airport Hangar Rental fees that will be coming to the Board at the next Business Meeting.

Executive Hintz and Director Schell then took questions from the Board.

4. Design and Engineering of an Addition to the Highway Facility in accordance with the Winnebago County Facility Master Plan

Mike Elder, Facilities Director, gave a presentation on current issues at the Highway building and presented two options available through the Facilities Master Plan. The Facilities Master Plan will be discussed at the March ARPA meeting.

Executive Hintz and Director Elder then took questions from the Board.

K. Adjourn

Motion by Supervisor Gustafson, seconded by Supervisor Lutz, to adjourn until the Board's next meeting on Tuesday, March 17, 2026, at 6:00 p.m.

CARRIED BY VOICE VOTE. The meeting was adjourned at 8:23 p.m.

Submitted by:

Tori Kinderman, Winnebago County Deputy Clerk

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I, Tori Kinderman, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Journal of the Winnebago County Board of Supervisors for their Special Orders Session held March 3, 2026.

Tori Kinderman, Winnebago County Deputy Clerk

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