



MISSISSIPPI RIVER REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

1707 Main Street, Suite 435
La Crosse, WI 54601
Phone: (608) 785-9396
Email: plan@mrrpc.com
Website: mrrpc.com

James Kuhn, Cashton, WI
Chairman
Margaret Baecker, Independence, WI
Vice Chairman
Vicki Burke, Onalaska, WI
Secretary & Treasurer
Dave Bonifas, La Crosse, WI
Director

MISSISSIPPI RIVER REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION BIMONTHLY MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

10:00 AM, Wednesday, October 14, 2020 at AmericInn, 1835 Rose Street, La Crosse, WI 54603

Note: We will be meeting in person. Masks must be worn during the meeting. Tables will be arranged for social distancing. If you are uncomfortable with attending in person, you can attend by Zoom.

Direct Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84045674374?pwd=STBrU3I3aE5YTzRHVGFqM3ZKUHDqdz09>

Go to: Zoom.us, click on join a meeting
Meeting ID: 840 4567 4374 | Passcode: 346690

< MRRPC BIMONTHLY MEETING AGENDA >

1. Roll call and guest introductions
2. Decision on August 12, 2020 Bimonthly Meeting Minutes
3. Decision on Treasurer's Report: (a) August 2020, September 2020 Account Balance, Revenue and Expense Reports. (b) Revolving Loan Fund Reports: (1) Business Capital Fund, (2) Crawford, Monroe Vernon - CMV Growth Development Fund (3) La Crosse County Loan Fund, (4) Pierce County Loan Fund, (6) Disaster Recovery Microloan Fund. VB/DB
4. Presentation on Connect 2050, Alex Gramovot, Transportation Planner, Wisconsin DOT.
5. Decision Resolution regarding revised CARES Act RLF Administration Plan Addendum. DB
6. Decision on CARES Act RLF bank selection, signature card, and funds to open CARES Act RLF bank account. DB
7. Update on CARES Act Supplemental Funding. DB
8. Decision on structure of Committees for the selection of consultants for: a) SMRT Bus marketing plan; b) website development and small business online marketing assistance; and c) location-based data acquisition projects. DB
9. CARES Act Supplemental Funding RFPs. BG
 - a. SMRT Bus Marketing Plan
 - b. MRRPC Website Redesign and small business online marketing assistance.
 - c. Location based data acquisition project
10. BUILD Grant. BG
11. Decision Resolution regarding the WI DOT 2021 Work Program. BG
12. Update of the EDA grant to fund economic recovery planning for the communities of Ontario, La Farge, Viola and Readstown with MRRPC serving as the applicant and grant administrator. DB
13. Update on the City of Westby Industrial Park EDA grant administration. AN
14. Decision on Town of Hamilton Comprehensive Plan update Contract. DB
15. Update on EDA application for the relocation of La Farge's electrical substation. BG
16. Update on T. Campbell and T. Holland Comprehensive Plan Updates. AN
17. Buffalo County Outdoor Recreation Plan Update. AN

18. Commissioners' questions and comments on the following projects or subjects listed in the written staff report:
 - a. Mondovi Industrial Park EDA application. DB
 - b. Jackson County Hazard Mitigation Plan Update. AN
 - c. La Crosse County Hazard Mitigation Plan Contract. AN
 - d. Buffalo County Hazard Mitigation Plan Update grant application. DB
 - e. Scenic Mississippi Regional Transit (SMRT) bus serving Crawford, Monroe, La Crosse, and Vernon counties. BG
 - f. Vernon County Outdoor Recreation Plan update. AN
 - g. DOT Contract Work update. BG
 - h. T. Campbell Comprehensive Plan update. AN
19. Old Business
20. New Business
21. Adjourn

Commissioners

| | | |
|---|---|--|
| Buffalo County Mary Anne McMillan Urell Del Twidt John Schlesselman | La Crosse County Vicki Burke Sharon Hampson Robin Schmidt | Pierce County Richard Purdy William Schroeder Greg Place |
| Crawford County Dennis Pelock Gerald Krachey James Czajkowski | Monroe County Sharon Folcey James Kuhn Cedric Schnitzler | Trempealeau County Margaret Baecker Ernest Vold Phillip Borreson |
| Jackson County Ron Carney Brad Chown Vacant | Pepin County John Andrews Chris Kees Winkler James Kraft | Vernon County Herb Cornell Jo Ann Nickelatti Nancy Jaekel |

Staff
Dave Bonifas, Director
Abbey Nicewander, Senior Planner
Bob Gollnik, Senior Planner
Sarah Ofte, Administrative Assistant

Non-Discrimination Policy Statement. The MRRPC operates its employment, programs, and services without regard to race, color, age, sex, disability, low income, limited English proficiency, and national origin in accordance with the Title VI of the Civil Rights Act. If you have a disability and need assistance participating in the meeting, please contact Sarah Ofte at 608.785.9396 or at plan@mrrpc.com at least twenty-four hours prior to the meeting.

Providing Planning and Economic Development Services to Improve the Environment, Economy and Quality of Life

- Land Use Planning and Zoning Assistance •Transportation Planning •Economic Development Planning •Recreation Planning •Business Lending •GIS Mapping
- Grant Writing •Economic Data Dissemination •Assist Local Interests in Responding to State, Federal and Private Programs
- Advise on Local and Regional Planning Issues •Coordinating Programs and Activities •Advocate on Issues Affecting the Region