



MISSISSIPPI RIVER REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

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MISSISSIPPI RIVER REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION BIMONTHLY MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

10:00 AM, Wednesday, June 10, 2026

Altra Federal Credit Union Operations Building, 1700 Oak Forest Dr., Onalaska, WI 54650

Note: We will be meeting in person.

If you are unable to attend in person, you can also attend via Zoom.

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1. Roll call and guest introductions – including online attendees
2. Decision on April 8, 2026, Bimonthly Meeting Minutes
3. Decision on Treasurer’s Report: (a) April - May 2026 Account Balance, Revenue and Expense Reports. (b) Revolving Loan Fund Reports: (1) Business Capital Fund, (2) Crawford, Monroe, Vernon - CMV Growth Development Fund, (3) CARES Act RLF. VB/JB
4. Presentation by Kathryn Schmeling, Viaro Health
5. Decision on Election of Officers, Del Twidt, Chair Nominating and Bylaws Committee
6. Decision on Approval of MOU for WI Northern Grain Belt Ports between MRRPC, Joint Harbor Commission (LC city/county), City of Prairie Du Chien, Prairie Du Chien Chamber of Commerce and the La Crosse Area Chamber of Commerce
7. Update Clean Cities Grant
8. Update AWRPC Summit and AWRPC Annual meeting
9. Placer.ai Update
10. Update on La Crosse County HMP and Jackson County HMP
11. Decision on Trempealeau County Outdoor Recreation Plan Contract
12. Decision on partnering with 7 Rivers Alliance on Regional Study of Industrial Parks and Sites
13. Update on Transportation Activities
14. Update on WEDC SBDG Grant (Business Plan & Pitch Contest)
15. Reports from Commissioners
16. Director’s Report
17. Old Business
18. New Business
19. Adjourn

Commissioners

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Jackson County Ron Carney Brad Chown Tom Cooper	Pepin County John Andrews Chris Kees Winkler Kim Seipel	Vernon County Charlie Jacobson Jo Ann Nickelatti Nancy Jaekel

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