



MISSISSIPPI RIVER REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

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MISSISSIPPI RIVER REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION BIMONTHLY MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

10:00 AM, Wednesday, October 14, 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 August 12, 2026, Bimonthly Meeting Minutes
3. Decision on Treasurer's Report: (a) August - September 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 Karl Green, UW- Extension – Data Centers
5. Presentation by Rebecca Giroux, WHEDA – Housing Programs
6. Decision on Accounting Proposal from McCoy Accounting Services LLC
7. Decision on Auditing Proposal from Engelson & Associates Ltd.
8. Decision on Jackson County Hazard Mitigation Plan Contract
9. EDA Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS) Update
10. MRRPC Comprehensive Plan Update
11. Update Clean Cities Grant
12. Placer.ai Update
13. Update on La Crosse County HMP
14. Update on Transportation Activities
15. Update on WEDC SBDG Grant
16. Reports from Commissioners
17. Director's Report
18. Old Business
19. New Business
20. Adjourn

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