

## NOTICE OF MEETING

**COMMITTEE:** JOINT ONEIDA COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS, PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT AND LABOR RELATIONS & EMPLOYEE SERVICES

**PLACE:** ONEIDA COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT  
730 W. KEMP STREET, RHINELANDER, WI

**DATE:** THURSDAY, JANUARY 23, 2020 **TIME: 8:00 AM**

A quorum may be present consisting of members of the Labor Relations & Employee Services Committee and/or the Planning & Development Committee. No governing body will exercise any responsibilities, authority or duties except for the Public Works Committee.

### **AGENDA:**

#### CALL THE MEETING TO ORDER & ROLL CALL

1. Approve agenda
2. Approve the minutes of the Public Works Committee meeting held on January 9 and January 13, 2020
3. Chairman's announcements
  - Employee Certificate of Recognition
  - Wisconsin Counties Highway Association Winter Road School Report

#### SOLID WASTE DEPARTMENT

4. General Business Discussion/Act:
  - A. Solid Waste vendor vouchers

#### HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

5. General Business Discussion/Act:
  - A. Highway Department vendor vouchers
  - B. Out of County Travel for:
    - a. Previously Approved Attendance for Commissioner for the North Central Region Commissioner Meeting
    - b. Wisconsin County Highway Association 2020 Commissioner's Spring Training Conference, March 17-18, 2020 in Eau Claire, Wisconsin for Commissioner.
6. Discussion/Act on Resolution for County A Right of Way Release to James Lakes Farms
7. Discussion/Act on Revised Five-Year Road Plan
8. Discussion/Act Upgrades to Oneida County Highway Department Fuel Management System
9. Discussion/Act on Annual Dues for Transportation Development Association
10. Discussion/Act on Rhinelander Facility Office Remodel
11. Discussion/Act on Closed Session: It is anticipated the committee will go into closed session pursuant to Wisconsin Stats. § 19.85(1)(c) considering employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which this body has jurisdiction or responsibility (Topic: Operator Mechanic Compensation)
12. Discussion/Act: The Committee will return to open session and may ratify any matter(s) discussed in closed session
13. Commissioner Report/Discussion:
  - Operations Report
14. Future Meeting Dates:
  - February 13, 2020
  - February 27, 2020
  - March 12, 2020
  - March 26, 2020
15. Future Agenda Items:
  - Commissioners Six Month Review
16. Public comments
17. Adjourn

### NOTICE OF POSTING

TIME: 4:00 PM DATE: 01/21/2020 PLACE: COURTHOUSE/HIGHWAY/SOLID WASTE

### ROBB JENSEN, CHAIRMAN

Notice posted by Dan Gleason, Highway Department

Additional information on a specific agenda item may be obtained by the highway department at (715) 369-6184.

### NEWS MEDIA NOTIFIED BY FAX/EMAIL/MAIL DATE: 01/21/2020 TIME: 4:00 PM

Northwoods River News Lakeland Times North Star Journal Tomahawk Leader  
WHDG Radio Station WJFW Channel 12 WXPR Radio Station WRJO Radio Station

Notice is hereby further given that pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act reasonable accommodations will be provided for qualified individuals with disabilities upon request. Please call Dan Gleason (715) 369-6184 with specific information on your request allowing adequate time to respond to your request.

**See reverse side of this notice for compliance checklist with the Wisconsin Open Meeting Law**

**GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:**

1. Must be held in a location which is reasonably accessible to the public.
2. Must be open to all members of the public unless the law specifically provides otherwise.

**NOTICE REQUIREMENTS:**

1. In addition to any requirements set forth below, notice must also be in compliance with any other specific statute.
2. Chief presiding officer or his/her designee must give notice to the official newspaper and to any members of the news media likely to give notice to the public.

**MANNER OF NOTICE:**

Date, time, place and subject matter, including subject matter to be considered in a closed session, must be provided in a manner and form reasonably likely to apprise members of the public and news media.

**TIME FOR NOTICE:**

1. Normally, a minimum of 24 hours prior to the commencement of the meeting.
2. No less than 2 hours prior to the meeting if the presiding officer establishes there is good cause that such notice is impossible or impractical.
3. Separate notice for each meeting of the governmental body must be given.

**EXEMPTIONS FOR COMMITTEES & SUBUNITS**

Legally constituted sub-units of a parent governmental body may conduct a meeting during the recess or immediately after the lawful setting to act or deliberate upon the subject which was the subject of the meeting, provided the presiding officer publicly announces the time, place and subject matter of the sub-unit meeting in advance of the meeting of the parent governmental body.

**PROCEDURE FOR GOING INTO CLOSED SESSION:**

1. Motion must be made, seconded and carried by roll call majority vote and recorded in the minutes.
2. If motion is carried, chief presiding officer must advise those attending the meeting of the nature of the business to be conducted in the closed session, and the specific statutory exemption under which the closed session is authorized.

**SYNOPSIS OF STATUTORY EXEMPTIONS UNDER WHICH**

**CLOSED SESSIONS ARE PERMITTED:**

1. Concerning a case which was the subject of Judicial or quasi-judicial trial before this governmental body Sec. 19.85(1)(a)
2. Considering dismissal, demotion or discipline of any public employee or the investigation of charges against such person and the taking of formal action on any such matter; provided that the person is given actual notice of any evidentiary hearing which may be held prior to final action being taken and of any meeting at which final action is taken. The person under consideration must be advised of his/her right that the evidentiary hearing be held in open session and the notice of the meeting must state the same. Sec. 19.85(1)(b).
3. Considering employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which this body has jurisdiction or responsibility. Sec. 19.85(1)(c).
4. Considering strategy for crime detection or prevention. Sec. 19.85(1)(d).
5. Deliberating or negotiating the purchase of public properties, the investing of public funds, or conducting other specified public business whenever competitive or bargaining reasons require a closed session. Sec. 19.85(1)(e).
6. Considering financial, medical, social or personal histories or disciplinary data of specific person, preliminary consideration of specific personnel problems or the investigation of specific charges, which, if discussed in public, would likely have a substantial adverse effect on the reputation of the person referred to in such data. Sec. 19.85(1)(f), except where paragraph 2 applies.
7. Conferring with legal counsel concerning strategy to be adopted by the governmental body with respect to litigation in which it is or is likely to become involved. Sec. 19.85(1)(g).
8. Considering a request for advice from any applicable ethics board. Sec. 19.85(1)(h).

**PLEASE REFER TO CURRENT STATUTE SECTION 19.85 FOR FULL TEXT**

**CLOSED SESSION RESTRICTIONS:**

1. Must convene in open session before going into closed session.
2. May not convene in open session, then convene in closed session and thereafter reconvene in open session within twelve hours unless proper notice of this sequence was given at the same time and in the same manner as the original open meeting.

3. Final approval or ratification of a collective bargaining agreement may not be given in closed session.
4. No business may be taken up at any closed session except that which relates to matters contained in the chief presiding officer's announcement of the closed session.
5. In order for a meeting to be closed under Section 19.85(1)(f) at least one committee member would have to have actual knowledge of information which he or she reasonably believes would be likely to have a substantial adverse effect upon the reputation involved and there must be a probability that such information would be divulged. Thereafter, only that portion of the meeting where such information would be discussed can be closed. The balance of that agenda item must be held in open session.

**BALLOTS, VOTES AND RECORDS:**

1. Secret ballot is not permitted except for the election of officers of the body or unless otherwise permitted by specific statutes.
2. Except as permitted above, any member may require that the vote of each member be ascertained and recorded.
3. Motions and roll call votes must be preserved in the record and be available for public inspection.

**USE OF RECORDING EQUIPMENT:**

The meeting may be recorded, filmed, or photographed, provided that it does not interfere with the conduct of the meeting or the rights of the participants.

**LEGAL INTERPRETATION:**

1. The Wisconsin Attorney General will give advice concerning the applicability or clarification of the Open Meeting Law upon request.
2. The municipal attorney will give advice concerning the applicability or clarification of the Open Meeting Law upon request.

**PENALTY:**

Upon conviction, any member of a governmental body who knowingly attends a meeting held in violation of Subchapter IV, Chapter 19, Wisconsin Statutes, or who otherwise violates the said law shall be subject to forfeiture of not less than \$25.00 nor more than \$300.00 for each violation.

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