



MARATHON COUNTY PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE AGENDA WITH MINUTES

Date & Time of Meeting: **Tuesday, August 6, 2024, at 1:30pm**

Meeting Location: **Courthouse Assembly Room, Courthouse, 500 Forest Street, Wausau WI 54403**

Brent Jacobson	Present
Jean Maszk	Present
Deb Hoppa	Present
Al Opall	Present
Tim Sondelski	Present
Jason Wilhelm	Present
Yee Leng Xiong	Present (W)

Staff Present: Lance Leonhard, Kim Trueblood, Theresa Wetzsteon, Kyle Mayo, Judges Moran, O'Neill, Strasser, and Cveykus, Kelly Schremp, Laura Yarie, Jessica Blahnik, Tim Burkholder, Ruth Heinzl, Shad Harvey, Garrett Pagel, Chad Billeb, Bill Milhausen, Nikki Delatolas, Abbie Schroeder
Others Present: Jane Graham Jennings, Randy Westgate, Supervisor Robinson

[Meeting Recording](#)

1. **Call Meeting to Order**
2. **Pledge of Allegiance**
3. **Public Comment** – None
4. **Approval of the June 11, 2024, Public Safety Committee Meeting Minutes** – Motion by Second by to approve the minutes as presented. Motion carried on a voice vote unanimously.
5. **Policy Issues Discussion and Potential Committee Determination**
 - A. Discussion regarding 2025 Annual Budget Development and Policy recommendations from the committee, including Review of the Mandatory / Discretionary Program documents and discussion of Rates and Fees
 1. Consideration to continue funding for the Women's Community service contract in the 2025 Annual Budget (educational presentation to be provided) (:02) – Motion by Maszk, Second by Hoppa to continue to fund the Women's Community in the 2025 Annual Budget. Motion carried on a voice vote unanimously.
 2. Consideration to continue funding for the Judicare mediation service contract in the 2025 Annual Budget (educational presentation to be provided) (:13) – Motion by Wilhelm, Second by Maszk to continue to fund Judicare mediation services in the 2025 Annual Budget. Motion carried on a voice vote unanimously.
6. **Operational Functions Required by Statute, Ordinance, Resolution, or Policy**
 - A. Discussion and Possible Action by the Public Safety Committee - None
 - B. Discussion and Possible Action by the Public Safety Committee to Forward to County Board for Consideration
 1. Abolish 1 FTE DA Investigator and create 1 FTE Deputy Sheriff position within Sheriff's Office by way of an Interagency Agreement between the District Attorney's Office and Sheriff's Office (:31) – Motion by Opall, Second by Maszk to forward this request to the Human Resources, Finance, and Property Committee for its consideration and then to the full board. Motion carried on a voice vote unanimously.
7. **Educational Presentations and Committee Discussion**
 - A. Update from DA's Office on Deflection / Diversion Grant applications (:35)
 - B. Marathon County Assemblies Ordinance (12.04): Review of Draft Update (:42)
 - C. Review of 2024 2nd Quarter Budget to Actual reports for departments of oversight
8. **Next Meeting Date & Time, Announcements and Future Agenda Items:**
 - A. Committee members are asked to bring ideas for future discussion.
 - B. Next meeting: Tuesday, September 10, 2024, at 1:30pm
9. **Adjournment** – Motion by Second by to adjourn. Motion carried on a voice vote unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 3:00 p.m.