



Un-Approved Minutes
Public Safety Committee
Tuesday, August 1, 2023 – 6:00 pm
Zoom Video-Conference
Law Enforcement Center – Room 101
109 E. Leffler Street
Dodgeville, Wisconsin

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- 1 Chair Masters called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.
- 2 Roll Call. Members present: Supervisors Masters, Lease, Richter, Stevens, and Meyers. **Excused Absence**
Supervisor Alan.
- Others Present: County Administrator Larry Bierke, Supervisor Dan Nankee, Emergency Management Director Keith Hurlbert, Attorney Zachary Leigh, Iowa County Coroner Wendell Hamlin, Deputy Coroner Josh Taylor, Deputy Coroner Josh Garvey, Deputy Nate Kennicker and K-9 Deputy Sam, Chief Deputy Austin Durst and Sheriff Peterson.
- 3 Meeting Agenda: Sup Richter moved, Sup Lease seconded to approve the agenda for August 1, 2023. Motion carried.
- 4 Meeting Minutes: Sup Lease moved, Sup Stevens seconded to approve the meeting minutes for June 6, 2023. Motion Carried. With a note of a minor change to mark Supervisor Alan as an excused absence.
- 5 Reports: Supervisor Masters noted a tour of the Law Enforcement Center roof to see the solar panels and usage of a shed at the Old County Farm as an impound yard. Supervisor Nankee mentioned an increase in funding for Law Enforcement Training grants. Iowa County District Attorney Zachary Leigh thanked the committee for funding an intern for the District Attorney's Office.
- 6 Emergency Management Report: Director Keith Hurlbert presented a report for June and July 2023 and answered questions.
- 7 Iowa County Coroner's Report: Iowa County Coroner Wendell Hamlin, Deputy Coroner Josh Taylor and Deputy Coroner Josh Garvey were present. Coroner Hamlin gave a brief summary of his department's activities to the committee.
- 8 Iowa County Child Support Office Report: Director Wendy Doescher was excused from the meeting for a personal matter.
- 9 Sheriff's Department Update/Report: Sheriff Peterson gave an agency update including progress with the kitchen staffing. Deputy Nate Kennicker and K9 Sam were introduced to the committee.
- 13 Next Meeting: Set for September 5, 2023 at 6:00 PM.
- 14 Adjourn: Sup Meyers moved, Sup Richter seconded to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried at 6:40 PM.

Minutes by Austin Durst