



**LINCOLN COUNTY
MEETING AGENDA
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE**

LINCOLN COUNTY SERVICE
CENTER
BOARD CHAMBERS
ROOM 257
801 N SALES STREET
MERRILL, WI 54452

Wednesday, August 12, 2026

4:00 PM

Regular Agenda

Electronic Attendance: Persons wishing to attend the meeting electronically may enter the meeting prior to the start time indicated above using the following number or address:

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1. **Call to Order**
2. **Confirm Meeting Date and Time**
3. **Pledge of Allegiance**
4. **Approval of the Minutes**
 - a. **Approve Minutes From: July 8, 2026**
5. **Public Comment**
6. **Emergency Management**
 - a. **Year-to-Date Budget Report**
 - b. **Travel & Expense Report**
 - c. **Emergency Management Activity Report**
 - d. **Res. 2026-08-XX, Acceptance of FY25 Emergency Management Planning Grant (EMPG) Reimbursement from Wisconsin Emergency Management (WEM)**
 - e. **Res. 2026-08-XX, Acceptance of FY25 Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act (EPCRA) Grant Reimbursement from Wisconsin Emergency Management (WEM)**
 - f. **Res. 2026-08-XX, Acceptance of FY25 Computer and HAZMAT Response Equipment Grant (CHREG) Redistribution Funding**
 - g. **Res. 2026-08-XX, Resolution Authorizing the Issuance of a Purchasing Card for the Emergency Management Department**
7. **Coroner**
 - a. **Year-to-Date Budget Report**
 - b. **Travel & Expense Report**
 - c. **Coroner's Report**
 - i) **June Report**
 - ii) **July Report**

8. Judicial

- a. District Attorney and Victim Witness
 - i) Year-to-date Budget Report
- b. Clerk of Courts and Family Court
 - i) Year-to-date Budget Report
- c. Register in Probate and Circuit Court
 - i) Introductions and Preliminary Review of Security Assessment - Judge Jessica Fehrenbach
 - ii) Year-to-date Budget Report

9. Sheriff's Office

- a. Statistical Reports
 - i) Expense Budget, Revenue Budget (Year-to-date Report)
 - ii) Recreational Officer Activity Report
 - iii) 9-1-1 Supervisor's Report
 - iv) Jail Census Report
- b. Discussion and Possible Action to Reduce Lieutenant Positions in the Sheriff's Office to 5 Positions when a Vacancy Occurs.
- c. Resolution 2026-XX-XX - Acceptance of Bierman Family Foundation Donation for K-9 Program

10. Emergency Medical Services

- a. Tomahawk Report
 - i) Res 2026-05-xx Resolution Authorizing the Installation of Forward-Facing Cameras and GPS Tracking Systems in Lincoln County - Tomahawk Ambulances
- b. Merrill Report
- c. Monthly Charge Report, Write-offs, and Collections
- d. YTD Budget
- e. 2027 EMS Budget Proposal Review (pending negotiation outcome)

11. Adjourn**12. Tour of Lincoln County Coroner's Building**

Committee Members: Greg Hartwig – Chair, Laurie Thiel, Dana Miller, Angela Cummings, and Marguerite Lyskawa. Administrative Coordinator, Other County Board Supervisors, Department Heads, Family Court Commissioner – Wachsmuth, Judge Bayne-Allison – Branch 1, Judge Russell – Branch 2, Merrill Fire Chief Klug, Kelly Thomsen – Victim Witness, Bob Kirkley – Tomahawk EMS

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Christopher J. Marlowe
County Clerk