

**Chippewa County
County Board of Supervisors
Regular Meeting
February 10, 2026
Chippewa County Courthouse, Room 302
6:00 PM**

1. Call to Order

The Chair called the meeting to order at 06:00 PM

2. Pledge of Allegiance and Moment of Silence

3. Roll Call

Members Present:

County Board Supervisor - District 19 Chuck Hull
County Board Supervisor - District 7 Jason Bergeron
County Board Supervisor - District 1 James Flater
County Board Supervisor - District 2 Pam Guthman
County Board Supervisor - District 3 Duane Shoebridge
County Board Supervisor - District 4 Peter Gehring
County Board Supervisor - District 8 James Ericksen
County Board Supervisor - District 9 Joel Seidlitz
County Board Supervisor - District 10 Matthew Peterson
County Board Supervisor - District 11 Karen Lotts
County Board Supervisor - District 12 Charles Bomar
County Board Supervisor - District 13 Joseph Roshell
County Board Supervisor - District 14 David Kelly
County Board Supervisor - District 16 Rocky Kempe
County Board Supervisor - District 17 George Rohmeyer, Jr.
County Board Supervisor - District 21 Kari Ives

Members Absent:

County Board Supervisor - District 5 Dennis Bachman
County Board Supervisor - District 6 Timothy Goettl
County Board Supervisor - District 15 Lee Hennick
County Board Supervisor - District 18 Brian Flynn
County Board Supervisor - District 20 James Meinen

Others Present:

Andy Albarado, Leah Simington, Chris Elstran, Erik Schuelke, Chief Deputy Curt Dutton, Brady Seidlitz, Lynda Schweikert, Ren :Yohnk, Todd Pauls, Traci Bremness, Sheriff Travis Hakes, Doug Clary and Jaclyn Sadler

4. Approval of Agenda

Motion:	Approved
Result:	(16 - 0)
Mover:	Pam Guthman
Second:	Joseph Roshell
Ayes:	Chuck Hull, Jason Bergeron, James Flater, Pam Guthman, Duane Shoebridge, Peter Gehring, James Ericksen, Joel Seidlitz, Matthew Peterson, Karen Lotts, Charles Bomar, Joseph Roshell, David Kelly, Rocky Kempe, George Rohmeyer, Jr., Kari Ives
Nays:	None
Absent:	Dennis Bachman, Timothy Goettl, Lee Hennick, Brian Flynn, James Meinen

5. Members of the Public Wishing to Be Heard

(Comments will be limited to 5 minutes per speaker.)

Wade Asher, spoke on Resolution 05-26 and Ordinance 01-26.

Jeff Bowe, spoke on Resolution 05-26 and Ordinance 01-26.

Craig Brenner, spoke on Resolution 05-26 and Ordinance 01-26.

Pete Roth, spoke on Resolution 05-26 and Ordinance 01-26.

Jackie Holumb, spoke on Resolution 05-26 and Ordinance 01-26.

Jamie Lehto, spoke on complaints he has with the Sheriff's Department and submitted two documents to the Clerk to be entered into the record. The documents are on file in the County Clerk office.

6. Consent Agenda

(Unless separation of an item is requested, all items will be adopted under one motion.)

Motion:	Approved
Result:	(16 - 0)
Mover:	James Flater
Seconder:	Karen Lotts
Ayes:	Chuck Hull, Jason Bergeron, James Flater, Pam Guthman, Duane Shoebridge, Peter Gehring, James Ericksen, Joel Seidlitz, Matthew Peterson, Karen Lotts, Charles Bomar, Joseph Roshell, David Kelly, Rocky Kempe, George Rohmeyer, Jr., Kari Ives
Nayes:	None
Absent:	Dennis Bachman, Timothy Goettl, Lee Hennick, Brian Flynn, James Meinen

1. Approve the Minutes - January 13, 2026
2. Schedule Next Meeting Date - March 10, 2026

7. Reports

1. County Administrator Review and Update
2. Department Reports
 - A. Monthly Statements of Claim Filed - Jaclyn Sadler

County Clerk, Jaclyn Sadler, informed the board there was one new claim filed since the last County Board meeting.

- B. CIP Project Update 2023-2026 - Leah Simington

Finance Director, Leah Simington, provided an update on the County CIP projects to the board.

3. General Reports

8. Business Items

1. Res. 03-26: Resolution to Support Sustainable Transportation Funding — Chris Elstran

Motion:	Approved
Result:	(16 - 0)
Mover:	George Rohmeyer, Jr.
Seconder:	James Flater
Ayes:	Chuck Hull, Jason Bergeron, James Flater, Pam Guthman, Duane Shoebridge, Peter Gehring, James Ericksen, Joel Seidlitz, Matthew Peterson, Karen Lotts, Charles Bomar, Joseph Roshell, David Kelly, Rocky Kempe, George Rohmeyer, Jr., Kari Ives
Nayes:	None

Absent:	Dennis Bachman, Timothy Goettl, Lee Hennick, Brian Flynn, James Meinen
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2. Res. 04-26: Resolution to Approve Governance Agreement for the Western Region Recovery and Wellness Consortium - Andy Albarado/Brady Seidlitz

Motion:	Approved
Result:	(15 - 1)
Mover:	Kari Ives
Second:	Pam Guthman
Ayes:	Chuck Hull, Jason Bergeron, James Flater, Pam Guthman, Duane Shoebridge, James Ericksen, Joel Seidlitz, Matthew Peterson, Karen Lotts, Charles Bomar, Joseph Roshell, David Kelly, Rocky Kempe, George Rohmeyer, Jr., Kari Ives
Nayes:	Peter Gehring
Absent:	Dennis Bachman, Timothy Goettl, Lee Hennick, Brian Flynn, James Meinen

3. Res. 05-26: Resolution to Waive Invoice Charges to Chippewa Valley Musical Festival for Law Enforcement Services Performed in 2025 - Andy Albarado

Motion:	Approved
Result:	(12 - 4)
Mover:	Joel Seidlitz
Second:	David Kelly
Ayes:	Chuck Hull, Jason Bergeron, Pam Guthman, Duane Shoebridge, James Ericksen, Joel Seidlitz, Karen Lotts, Charles Bomar, Joseph Roshell, David Kelly, Rocky Kempe, Kari Ives
Nayes:	James Flater, Peter Gehring, Matthew Peterson, George Rohmeyer, Jr.
Absent:	Dennis Bachman, Timothy Goettl, Lee Hennick, Brian Flynn, James Meinen

4. Ord. 01-26: Ordinance to Amend Chapter 14, Article III. of the Chippewa County Code of Ordinances Regarding Large Assemblies - First Reading - Andy Albarado

Motion:	Motion to Amend 14-68(a)(25) to read "An approved and signed contract with the county approved by the County Board that addresses the security services and all other services provided by the county during the event.
Result:	(16 - 0)
Mover:	Jason Bergeron
Second:	Rocky Kempe
Ayes:	Chuck Hull, Jason Bergeron, James Flater, Pam Guthman, Duane Shoebridge, Peter Gehring, James Ericksen, Joel Seidlitz, Matthew Peterson, Karen Lotts, Charles Bomar, Joseph Roshell, David Kelly, Rocky Kempe, George Rohmeyer, Jr., Kari Ives
Nayes:	None
Absent:	Dennis Bachman, Timothy Goettl, Lee Hennick, Brian Flynn, James Meinen

5. Ord. 02-26: Ordinance to Amend Chapter 62, Article III, Division 2 of the Chippewa County Code of Ordinances Regarding Recycling - First Reading - Renee Yohnk
6. Ord. 03-26: Ordinance to Amend Section 80-1 of the Chippewa County Code of Ordinances Regarding Adoption of the Chippewa County Comprehensive Plan - First Reading - Doug Clary
7. Ord. 04-26: Ordinance to Amend Chapter 3 of the Chippewa County Code of Ordinances Regarding Records Retention - First Reading - Andy Albarado/Brady Seidlitz

9. County Board Chair Appointments

10. County Administrator Appointments

1. County Administrator Appointment - Child Support Director (Shannen Householder) - Andy Albarado

Motion:	Approved
Result:	(16 - 0)
Mover:	Charles Bomar
Second:	Karen Lotts
Ayes:	Chuck Hull, Jason Bergeron, James Flater, Pam Guthman, Duane Shoebridge, Peter Gehring, James Ericksen, Joel Seidlitz, Matthew Peterson, Karen Lotts, Charles Bomar, Joseph Roshell, David Kelly, Rocky Kempe, George Rohmeyer, Jr., Kari Ives
Nayes:	None
Absent:	Dennis Bachman, Timothy Goettl, Lee Hennick, Brian Flynn, James Meinen

11. Agenda Items for Future Consideration

12. Adjourn

The meeting adjourned at: 8:03 PM

Result:	(16 - 0)
Mover:	James Ericksen
Second:	David Kelly
Ayes:	Chuck Hull, Jason Bergeron, James Flater, Pam Guthman, Duane Shoebridge, Peter Gehring, James Ericksen, Joel Seidlitz, Matthew Peterson, Karen Lotts, Charles Bomar, Joseph Roshell, David Kelly, Rocky Kempe, George Rohmeyer, Jr., Kari Ives
Absent:	Dennis Bachman, Timothy Goettl, Lee Hennick, Brian Flynn, James Meinen