

**Chippewa County
Agriculture & Extension Committee
Regular Meeting
February 5, 2026
Chippewa County Courthouse, Room 302
7:45 AM**

1. Call to Order

The Chair called the meeting to order at 07:45 AM

2. Roll Call

Members Present:
Kari Ives, Matthew Peterson, Pam Guthman
Members Absent:
Joel Seidlitz, Timothy Goettl
Others Present:
Ryan Sterry, Jeanne Walsh, Margaret Murphy, Jerry Clark, Kristen Bruder, Sandy Tarter, Garret Zastoupil, Jordan Blue, Amber Gilles, Emma, Andy Albarado and Jaclyn Sadler

3. Members of the Public Wishing to Be Heard

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

There were no members of the public wishing to be heard.

4. Consent Agenda

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

Motion:	Approved
Result:	(3 - 0)
Mover:	Matthew Peterson
Second:	Pam Guthman
Ayes:	Kari Ives, Matthew Peterson, Pam Guthman
Nays:	None
Absent:	Joel Seidlitz, Timothy Goettl

1. Approve the Agenda
2. Approve the Minutes - December 4, 2025
3. Schedule Next Meeting Date - June 4, 2026

5. Reports

1. Educator Reports

Each Educator spoke on the reports in the agenda packet.

- A. Crops and Soils - Jerry Clark
- B. Livestock - Ryan Sterry
- C. Community Development - Garret Zastoupil

- D. Health and Well-Being - Sandy Tarter
- E. Horticulture - Margaret Murphy
- F. Human Development and Relationships - Jeanne Walsh
- G. Positive Youth Development - Jordan Blue

2. Area Extension Director Report - Kristen Bruder

6. Business Items

There were no business items.

7. Agenda Items for Future Consideration

8. Adjourn

The meeting adjourned at: 08:48 AM

Result:	(3 - 0)
Mover:	Pam Guthman
Seconder:	Matthew Peterson
Ayes:	Kari Ives, Matthew Peterson, Pam Guthman
Absent:	Joel Seidlitz, Timothy Goettl