



PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

MEETING MINUTES
REGULAR MEETING
MAY 19, 2026

1. Call to Order

A regular meeting of the Public Safety Committee was held in room 101A at the Justice Center.

Present	Supervisor Rick Nelson, Supervisor Jeffrey Hansher, Supervisor Derek DeMent, Supervisor Connie Kincaide, Supervisor Tim Maguire
Absent	None
Excused	None

Staff present: County Administrator Dzwinel, District Attorney Lindsay (8:16 AM), Clerk of Circuit Court Mueller, Controller Mihalko (8:27 AM), Sheriff Knowles, Undersheriff Hermann, Medical Examiner Luecke, County Clerk Kretlow, Deputy County Clerk Reedy.

Others Present: Dan Benson - Ozaukee Press

2. Proper Notice

Chairperson Nelson called the meeting to order at 8:15 AM. The clerk noticed the meeting as required.

3. Staff and Committee Introductions

Committee members and staff introduced themselves and gave a brief overview of their duties and backgrounds.

4. Public Comments, Correspondence, Communications

There were none.

5. Approval of Minutes

November 18, 2025 and February 17, 2026

Motion:	Motion to approve the November 18, 2025 and February 17, 2026 minutes as submitted.
Result:	Passed
Moved by:	Tim Maguire
Seconded by:	Connie Kincaide
Ayes:	Rick Nelson, Jeffrey Hansher, Derek DeMent, Connie Kincaide, Tim Maguire
Nays:	None
Abstain:	None

6. Medical Examiner

- a. Management/Financial/Informational Reports

Update on staffing, financials, and autopsies.

7. District Attorney

- a. Management/Financial/Informational Reports

Discussed the staffing shortage in the Victim Witness division.

8. Clerk of Courts

- a. Action Items

1. 2026-27 Generous Juror Program

Clerk of Circuit Court Mueller provided an overview of Heaven's Gait Ranch, the suggested recipient of the 2026-2027 Generous Juror Program.

Motion:	Motion to approve Heaven's Gait Ranch as the recipient of the Generous Juror Program for the 2026 budget year.
Result:	Passed
Moved by:	Connie Kincaide
Seconded by:	Jeffrey Hansher
Ayes:	Rick Nelson, Jeffrey Hansher, Derek DeMent, Connie Kincaide, Tim Maguire
Nays:	None
Abstain:	None

- b. Management/Financial/Informational Reports

Update regarding staffing and financials.

9. Sheriff's Department

- a. Management/Financial/Informational Reports

Update regarding overtime, staffing and jail renovation.

10. Next Meeting Date

Tuesday, June 16th, 8:15 AM.

The Public Safety Committee meetings will remain on the third Tuesday of the month at 8:15 AM.

11. Adjournment

Motion made by Supervisor Maguire, seconded by Supervisor DeMent to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 9:16 AM.

Brenda Reedy, Deputy County Clerk