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**AGENDA FOR CLARK COUNTY
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
Thursday, March 16, 2023
7:00 PM
County Board Room, Courthouse,
Neillsville, WI 54456**

CALL TO ORDER
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
ROLL CALL
APPOINTMENTS:
Veterans Service Commission – James Chadwick
PRESENTATION:
Community Services Report – Sue Voigt
Solar/Wind Farms – Tom Wilcox
RESOLUTIONS:
6-3-23 Teva, Allergan, Walgreen, Walmart, CVS
Health, and CVS Pharmacy Opioid
Settlement Agreement Participation
7-3-23 Approving Grant Applications For 2032 –
2024 ATV/UTV (Includes Winter, Summer &
Troute) Trail Maintenance Funding
8-3-23 Approving Grant Application For 2023 – 2024
Snowmobile Trail Maintenance Funding
MISCELLANEOUS:
Approval of the February 16, 2023 Minutes
Public comment, on any item on the agenda, may
be by call of the Chair, or by Rule 20 of the Board of
Supervisors Rules and Regulations
ADJOURNMENT
Christina M. Jensen
Clark County Clerk
Persons needing special accommodation to attend or
participate in this meeting may call the County Clerk at
(715) 743-5150 or TDD (715) 743-5192 or (715) 743-
3157. Posted in compliance with WI Open Meetings
Laws:

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**TOWN OF DEWHURST
REGULAR
MONTHLY MEETING**
Tuesday, March 14 2023
at the Dewhurst Town Hall at 7:00 p.m.
Regular monthly agenda will follow.
Notice will be posted at the three township bulletin boards.
Steve Kunes, Clerk

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**STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT,
CLARK COUNTY**
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
RYAN M. FOEMMEL
**Notice to Creditors
(Informal Administration)
Case No. 22PR15**
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:
1. An application for informal administration was filed.
2. The decedent, with date of birth December 22,
1971, and date of death November 6, 2022, was domi-
ciled in Clark County, State of Wisconsin, with a mailing
address of 1404 Grand Avenue, Neillsville, WI 54456.
3. All interested persons waived notice.
4. The deadline for filing a claim against the dece-
dent's estate is June 9, 2023.
5. A claim may be filed at the Clark County Court-
house, 517 Court Street, Neillsville, Wisconsin, Room
403.

/s/ Kimberly Bredlau
Probate Registrar
February 27, 2023

Attorney Alanna J. Feddick-Goodwin
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P.O. Box 187
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Bar Number 1039487

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**COMMON COUNCILCOUNCIL ROOM
FEBRUARY 28, 2023, 7:00 P.M.**

The Common Council met in regular session, Mayor Poeschel presiding. On roll call: Council Member Perrine absent, all other members present. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

The minutes of the previous meeting were declared approved.

Council Member Clough reported on the February 15, 2023 meeting of the Historic Preservation Commission regarding: 1) discussion on the 2023 Historic Preservation Commission Action Plan, 2) discussion on grant and loan assistance sources and contact information for historic property owners, 3) reported that the Common Council has approved allowing unused annual budget funds to become non-lapsing funds at year end with certain conditions, 4) discussed historic properties in need of repair, 5) WI Association of Historic Preservation Commission membership dues have been processed, 6) the Annual report to the WI Historic Preservation Society will be submitted and 7) reviewed funds on hand.

Council Member Neville reported on the February 16, 2023 meeting of the Heritage Days Committee regarding: 1) financial report, 2) discussion on tent rental, 3) discussion on park set up, 4) discussion with Chief of Police Mankowski on security, signage and fencing and 5) discussion on signage for 2023 Neillsville Heritage Days.

Council Member Neville reported on the February 27, 2023 meeting of the Parks and Recreation Board regarding: 1) current activities of the Recreation Department, 2) current activities of the Parks Department, 3) presentation by and discussion with Library Director Janay Ziebell on applying for a grant to put a story book trail along the blacktop sidewalk in Schuster Park, 4) recommendation to allow Library Director Ziebell to apply for a story book trail grant, 5) discussion on replacing the tennis court with a pickleball court in Listeman Park-waiting on quotes, 6) tabled the request for use of 30% Room Tax-Parks and Recreation funds for a pickleball court in Listeman Park, 7) discussion on and recommendation to approve an O’Neill Ice Arena Reservation Form, 8) discussion on and tabled an Addendum to the Property Use Agreement for the O’Neill Ice Arena with the Clark County Youth Hockey Association and 9) discussion on an additional baseball field at Listeman Park.

Council Member Clough reported on the February 28, 2023 meeting of the Commission on Public Works/Utilities regarding: 1) current activities and 2) payment of bills.

Mayor Poeschel declared all reports filed as presented with the City Clerk.

William Bratcher stated that he is running for the new Clark County Circuit Court Branch 2 Judge position. Bratcher presented his background, values, experience and areas of legal practice. His focus as judge would be to disrupt the cycle of domestic violence.

Mayor Poeschel asked if there were any questions on the Parks and Recreation Board items (4 and 7).

Motion Petkovsek, second Counsell, to accept the recommendation to allow Library Director Janay Ziebell to apply for a story book trail grant. All Aye.

Director of Public Works Friemoth stated the O’Neill Ice Arena Hockey Facility Reservation Form was developed by an Ad Hoc Committee of the Parks and Recreation Board and recommended for approval by the Parks and Recreation Board. It addresses facility availability, rental rates, security deposit, electronic entry code, facility policies, etc.

Council Member Petkovsek asked about the use of alcohol at the facility and whether the City or renter had the liability if something were to happen.

City Attorney Wachsmuth stated that the City has recreational immunity, but anyone can sue.

Chief of Police Mankowski stated that if alcohol is an issue the Police Department should be informed.

Council Member Counsell stated that it is good to see that this facility will be available for more use and the City will be receiving funds to help cover facility costs.

Motion Clough, second Neville, to accept the recommendation to approve the O’Neill Ice Arena Reservation Form. All Aye.

Director of Public Works Friemoth reported on the Addendum to Property Use Agreement for O’Neill Ice Arena. The Parks and Recreation Board has tabled this item as they are awaiting a map of the facility.

Mayor Poeschel stated that he would like to see Ordinance Sec. 2-4-13 Block Grant Committee updated to remove the “federal block grant” language and written so that any grant in the City can be handled, as well as, reducing the number of committee members to five.

City Attorney Wachsmuth stated that she is working on a draft which takes all references to “Block” out and replacing it with “any and all” grants.

Motion Clough, second Neville, that City Bills Nos. 166 to 217 in the amount of \$931,996.37 be paid. All Aye.

Motion Neville, second Counsell, to adjourn. All Aye.

Duane G. Poeschel, Mayor
Rex R. Roehl, Clerk
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**Clark County Board of
Supervisors
January 19, 2023
Clark County Courthouse
– County Board Room
Neillsville, WI 54456**

Chairman Hendrickson called the meeting to order at 7:04 pm on January 19, 2023.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll call taken by County Clerk Jensen. 29 Present, 0 Absent. Chairman Hendrickson declared a quorum present. Present were Supervisors Brodhagen, Molitor, Schindler, Wilcox, Klabon, Waichulis, Zank, Kodl, Thielman, Kolzow, Jalling, Tyznik, Bower, Krempasky, Ashbeck, Hendrickson, C. Rueth, W. Rueth, Bobrofsky, Krause Jr., Rollins, Smagacz, Boon, Trunkel, Gerhardt, Bakker, Garbisch, Neville and Sebesta. Supervisors Brodhagen, Molitor, Thielman, Krempasky, Rollins and Boon appeared by phone.

Chairman Hendrickson appointed Tom Bobrofsky to Supervisory District 19 to replace Gordon Haselow, who has resigned. Motion by Supervisor Waichulis seconded by Supervisor Bakker to concur with the appointment of the Chair. Voice vote, motion carried.

Christina Jensen administered the oath of office to Tom Bobrofsky.

Chairman Hendrickson appointed Tom Bobrofsky to the Economic Development and Law Enforcement Committee. Bill Rueth was appointed to the ADRC Committee. Motion by Supervisor Trunkel seconded by Supervisor Waichulis to concur with the appointments of the Chair. Voice vote, motion carried.

Chairman Hendrickson appointed Linda Worden and Dean Lindner to the Local Emergency Planning Committee. Motion by Supervisor Zank seconded by Supervisor Bower to concur with the appointments of the Chair. Voice vote, motion carried.

Chairman Hendrickson appointed Brian Bredlau to the Community Department Board to replace Anthony Ring, who has resigned. Motion by Supervisor Jalling seconded by Supervisor Kodl to concur with the appointment of the Chair. Voice vote, motion carried.

Clark County Coroner Richard Schleifer and Maintenance Engineer, Harold Dillenbeck were recognized for their years of service to Clark County.

The new Coroner, Clarissa Rochester was introduced to the Board.

Sarah Diedrick from Wisconsin Counties Association presented a training on County Board Ethics and Roles and Responsibilities.

Resolution 1-1-23 APPROVING CLARK COUNTY PERSONNEL POLICIES presented.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Clark County Board of Supervisors hereby approves the personnel policies set forth

in Exhibit A as part of Clark County Personnel Policies with such revisions becoming effective immediately.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, any conflicting provisions in the Clark County Employee Handbook and Administrative Manual are hereby rescinded with the implementation of the Clark County Personnel Policies set forth in Exhibit A.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Clark County Personnel Manager shall create and maintain a table of contents for approved Clark County Personnel Policies as well as a revision history table.

Motion by Supervisor C. Rueth seconded by Supervisor Kodl to approve the resolution as presented. Supervisor Hendrickson yielded the floor to Julie Delikowski to explain the resolution and answer questions.

Motion by Supervisor Smagacz seconded by Supervisor Krempasky to amend the General Provision – 7. Definitions – i. Hiring Authority by adding committee so that it reads: Hiring Authority means the committee, department head or designee. Voice vote on the amendment, motion carried.

Motion by Supervisor Klabon seconded by Supervisor Wilcox to amend the Time at Work & Time Away from Work Policy; Item 9. Leave Restrictions by removing the last line “except as provided in the above provisions for political leave.” Voice vote on the amendment, motion carried.

Motion by Supervisor Smagacz, seconded by Supervisor C. Rueth to amend the Meals and Break Periods policy by leaving 5 (b) in the policy so that it reads “Employees shall not leave county property during a break period”. Voice vote, motion carried. Supervisors Brodhagen, Molitor, Klabon, Thielman, Tyznik, Krempasky, Trunkel, Gerhardt and Garbisch recorded a no vote on the amendment.

Motion by Supervisor Gerhardt seconded by Supervisor Wilcox to amend the Recruitment, Hiring & Separation from Employment policy, Position Description – Reasoning Ability, by removing “involving several concrete variables” so that the bullet point reads: Ability to deal with problems in standardized situations. Voice vote on the amendment, motion carried.

Roll call vote on Personnel Policies as amended, motion carried. 28 yes, 1 absent. Supervisor Rollins was absent for this vote.

Resolution 2-1-23 RESOLUTION BY AND BETWEEN CLARK COUNTY AND CCI SYSTEMS, INC. D/B/A ASTREA CONNECT presented.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Clark County Board of Supervisors does by passage of this resolution initially support Astrea in exploring, analyzing, and assessing potential broadband expansion projects in Clark County.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that by passage of this resolution, Clark County will consider the resulting proposals of Astrea’s investigation, including whether to enter into a Public-Private Partnership for the purpose of broadband expansion in Clark County.

Motion by Supervisor C. Rueth seconded by Supervisor Waichulis to approve the resolution as presented. Supervisor Waichulis yielded the floor to Mitch Weber, IT Director and Cory Heigl from Astrea to explain the resolution and answer questions. Roll call vote, motion carried. 29 yes, 0 no.

Resolution 3-1-23 RECOMMENDING REVISIONS TO STATE WIND ENERGY REGULATIONS presented.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Clark County recommends and requests the Wisconsin Public Service Commission and the Wisconsin State Legislature to revise PSC 128 and/or Chapter 66 of the Wisconsin Statutes to address the following concerns:

a. Some renewable energy contracts under the current regulations appear to bind owners and their property to decades worth of encumbrances while allowing renewable energy companies to terminate the contracts at any time for any or no reason.

b. The law does not prohibit energy companies from shifting liability created by the renewable energy company to the landowners. This includes liability for stray voltage, diminished property values, neurological problems, cancer, and death that the renewable energy companies cause.

c. State Law prohibits the regulation of the density and footprint of renewable energy systems by Municipalities, and prohibits Clark County from requiring bonding certain to ensure proper decommissioning of renewable energy systems.

d. Clark County has concerns about the use of renewable energy systems and their impact on agricultural land and production, at a time when war abroad disrupts food chains and causes food shortages, and as domestically we are experiencing uncontrolled inflation.

Motion by Supervisor Zank seconded by Supervisor Wilcox to approve the resolution as presented. Supervisor Krempasky yielded the floor to Julie Drennen and Jason Dagger representatives from RWE. RWE informed the Board of projects they are working on in Clark County and their concerns with the resolution. Supervisor Schindler yielded the floor to Marti Machtan. Marti spoke in favor of the resolution and addressed his concerns with PSC 128. Roll call vote, motion carried. 26 yes, 2 no and 1 absent. Voting no were Supervisors Kodl and Tyznik. Absent for the vote was Supervisors Krempasky

The next meeting is scheduled for February 16, 2023 at 7:00 pm.

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SUMMONS
Case No. 22CV116
Case Code: 30704
STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT CLARK COUNTY

State ex rel. Town of Reseburg, N13710 Gorman Avenue, Thorp, WI 54771, and State ex rel. The Town Board of Reseburg, N13710 Gorman Avenue, Thorp, WI 54771, Plaintiffs, v. Clear-View Solutions Group, LLC, d/b/a Organic Waste Connections, N13126 Bruce Mound Avenue, Thorp, WI 54771 and Jeffrey J. Sauer, W9057 Popple River Road, Thorp, WI 54771-8212, Defendants.

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, TO EACH PARTY NAMED ABOVE AS A DEFENDANT:

You are hereby notified that the Plaintiffs named above have filed a lawsuit or other legal action against you. The complaint, which has been mailed to you at the address listed above, states the nature and basis of the legal action. Within 45 days of receiving this summons, you must respond with a written answer, as that term is used in chapter 802 of the Wisconsin Statutes, to the complaint. The court may reject or disregard an answer that does not follow the requirements of the statutes. The answer must be sent or delivered to the court, whose address is Clark County Courthouse, 517 Court Street, Neillsville, WI 54456, and to Christa Westerberg and Eduardo Castro, Pines Bach LLP, Plaintiffs' attorneys, whose address is 122 West Washington Avenue, Suite 900, Madison, WI 53703. You may have an attorney help or represent you. If you do not provide a proper answer within 45 days, the court may grant judgment against you for the award of money or other legal action requested in the complaint, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the complaint. A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.

Submitted this 16th day of February, 2023.
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STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT,
LA CROSSE COUNTY

Mariner Finance, LLC Successor in Interest to
Personal Finance Company, LLC
1423 State Road 16
La Crosse, WI 54601
Plaintiff,

vs.
John H. Matteson
108 E. 5th St.
Granton, WI 54436
Defendants.

Publication Summons and Notice
(Small Claims)
Case No. 2023-SC-141

Publication Summons and Notice of Filing
TO THE PERSON(S) NAMED ABOVE AS
DEFENDANT(S):

You are being sued by the person(s) named above as Plaintiff(s). A copy of the claim has been sent to you at your address as stated in the caption above.

The lawsuit will be heard in the following Small Claims court:

La Crosse County Courthouse, Telephone Number of clerk of court: 608-785-9590, Address: 333 Vine Street, La Crosse, WI 54601 on the following date and time:

March 17, 2023 at 9:00 a.m.

If you require reasonable accommodations due to a disability to participate in the court process, please call 608-785-9590 prior to the scheduled court date. Please note that the court does not provide transportation.

If you do not attend the hearing, the court may enter a judgment against you in favor of the person(s) suing you. A copy of the claim has been sent to you at your address as stated in the caption above. A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate (property) you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.

You may have the option to Answer without appearing in court on the court date by filing a written Answer with the clerk of court **before** the court date. You must send a copy of your Answer to the Plaintiff(s) named above at their address. You may contact the clerk of court at the telephone number above to determine if there are other methods to answer a Small Claims

/s/Cynthia A. Duppler
February 24, 2023

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State Bar No: 1118906

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STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT CLARK COUNTY
AMERICAN FAMILY MUTUAL INSURANCE CO., S.I.
6000 AMERICAN PKWAY
MADISON, WI 53783

Plaintiff,
vs.
DEBORAH LYNNE ANDERSON
306 LINDA BLVD APT. 32
GREENWOOD, WI 54437
Defendant.

PUBLICATION SUMMONS
Case No. 23CV10
HON. LYNDSEY BRUNETTE
Case Code: 30301

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, To the person named above as a Defendant:

You are hereby notified that the Plaintiff named above has filed a lawsuit or other legal action against you. The complaint, which is served on you, states the nature and basis of the legal action.

Within 40 (forty) days after March 1, 2023, you must respond with a written answer, as that term is used in Chapter 802 of the Wisconsin Statutes, to the complaint. The court may reject or disregard an answer that does not follow the requirements of the statutes. The answer must be sent or delivered to the court, whose address is 517 Court Street, Neillsville, WI 54456, and to the offices of HEuer Law Offices, S.C., Plaintiff's attorneys, whose address is 9312 W. National Ave., West Allis, Wisconsin 53227. You may have an attorney help or represent you.

If you do not provide a proper answer within forty (40) days, the court may grant judgment against you for the award of money or other legal action requested in the complaint, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the complaint. A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.

Dated this 17th day of February, 2023.

Heuer Law Offices, S.C.
Ryan M. Peterson (State Bar No. 1050583)
9312 W. National Ave.
West Allis, WI 53227
Phone: (414) 224-3500
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NOTICE

TOWN OF YORK

The Monthly Board Meeting for the
Town of York will be held on
Thursday, March 9, 2023 at
7:00 p.m. at the York Town Hall.
Agenda will be posted.

Carrie Schmidt, Clerk

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR NONMETALLIC
MINE RECLAMATION PERMIT

Notice is hereby given that the Clark County Planning, Zoning & Land Information Department has received a nonmetallic mine reclamation permit from Milestone Materials. The nonmetallic mine reclamation plan is for an existing mine located in all or part of Section 15 & 16, T26N, R2W (Town of Eaton), Clark County, Wisconsin. Under NR135.20(1)(b) Public Notice. The notice shall briefly describe the mining and reclamation planned at the nonmetallic mining site. The notice shall be published as a class 1 notice pursuant to s. 985.07 (1), Stats., in the official newspaper of the regulatory authority, or if the department is the regulatory authority in the official newspaper of the county in which the nonmetallic mining site is located. Per NR135.20(3)(b) Any person who resides within, owns property within or whose principal place of business is within 300 feet of the nonmetallic mining site may request a public informational hearing. The department shall hold a public hearing if requested by any of these persons within 30 days of the actual date of public notice under sub. (1), which shall be held no sooner than 30 days and no later than 60 days after being requested and shall be conducted as an informational hearing for the purpose of explaining and receiving comment from affected persons on the nature, feasibility, effects and other relevant aspects of the proposed nonmetallic mining and reclamation. The informational hearing shall be conducted using the procedures for a noncontested case hearing pursuant to ch. NR 2. Written public comment can be submitted. All written comments must include the name and address of its author.

Proposed operation is for existing excavating, extraction, transportation and processing of nonmetallic materials. Land is currently used as a Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) NR340 nonmetallic mine. The reason for the NR135 permit is the mining is proposed to expand outside the WDNR jurisdiction. Post-mining reclamation land use will be grassland, ponded and recreational lands throughout the area.

Rules for nonmetallic mine reclamation are included in NR 135, Wisconsin Administrative Code and Chapter 22, Article IX Clark County Code of Ordinance. The rule is administered by the Clark County Planning, Zoning and Land Information Department and regulates the reclamation of land disturbed by nonmetallic mining operations. The operations at each site may include mining of topsoil, clay, sand, gravel, or bedrock as well as crushing, washing, drying or other mining activities or the site may be permitted as inactive. Reclamation measures may include use as ponds, recreation land, certified high wall, farmland, or other approved uses.

The Clark County Planning, Zoning & Land Information Department will review all comments and appearance testimony presented pertaining to the reclamation plan and reserves the right to make a final determination upon any reclamation plan submitted for the nonmetallic mine described in this notice.

To review the proposed plan, and for additional information, contact the office listed below at 715-743-5130.
CLARK COUNTY PLANNING, ZONING & LAND INFORMATION DEPARTMENT
517 COURT STREET, ROOM 204
NEILLSVILLE, WI 54456

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