

## **LAKE AREA PUBLIC WORKS ASSOCIATION MEETING NOTICE**

WHERE: Plymouth Utilities Building – 900 CTH PP Plymouth, WI 53073  
- Cathy Austin is hosting.

WHEN: December 8, 2021

### **AGENDA**

- 9:30 a.m. Business Meeting
- October Meeting Minutes
  - Treasures Report
  - Open Discussion
- 10:30 a.m. Presentations
- Olivia Witthun, Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources  
“Municipal Forestry Programs”
- 11:45 a.m. LUNCH
- Lunch

Please contact Adam at 920-322-3542, or email [aschmitt@fdl.wi.gov](mailto:aschmitt@fdl.wi.gov), by **December 1<sup>st</sup>** so we can get a head count.

### **Business Meeting Minutes, October 13<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

The previous meeting was held on August 11 2021 at Howards Grove Village hall with lunch to follow at Knockouts. There was NOT a virtual option since COVID. Thank you, Nick for hosting

#### Meeting Minutes approved

- Motion made by Ryan W.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Nick R.

Treasurers' report: Checking \$3,526.85 and Savings \$99.89

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### **Open Discussion:**

- Condemning of Homes/property
  - Cost of Litigation
  - Can condemning occur if owner makes effort?
    - Enforcement
- Consolidated list of Contractors for small municipalities
- Renting Municipal property for private contractors to stage their work
  - Is the work in or out of the municipal jurisdiction
  - Who allows work outside of jurisdiction to stage in the municipality

- WM and Refuse Collection woes
  - Issues continue through many areas.
  - New Vendors available to lessen the blow
- Authority on property maintenance ordinances
  - At times can be objective and difficult to enforce
  - Allow the political climate of the governing body to set the bar.
- Snow Removal general discussion
- Private Trees that create a public hazard.
  - How does the municipality intervene when this situation comes up?
- Access to rivers where there is no easement to address problems
  - Private access?
  - Make it the resident's responsibility.

**\*\* Draft 2022 Meeting dates\*\* (Still need a "Volunteer" for the December meeting)**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>
February 9	Keil
April 13	Plant Tour County Materials!
June 8	New Holstein
August 11	Valders
October 13	Fond du Lac
December 14	<b>TBD</b>

- **Presentation/Discussion Guest:**  
County Materials – Ryan Bonell. Products offered

**LAPWA WILL BE HOSTING A WINTER DINNER FOR OUR MEMBERS AND THEIR SPOUSE. A DATE AND LOCATION WILL BE SET AT THIS MEETING.**

*ALSO, check APWA Website for current events  
2021 Meetings*

<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>
February 10	Waupun
April 14	Fond du Lac
June 9	Valders
August 11	Lomira
October 13	Howards Grove
December 8	Plymouth