



Dakota County

General Government and Policy Committee of the Whole

Minutes

Tuesday, September 23, 2025

10:00 AM

**Conference Room 3A, Administration
Center, Hastings**

(or following Regional Railroad Authority)

1. Call to Order and Roll Call

The meeting was called to order by Commissioner Workman at 11:46 a.m.

Present

- Commissioner Mike Slavik
- Commissioner Joe Atkins
- Commissioner Laurie Halverson
- Commissioner William Droste
- Commissioner Liz Workman
- Commissioner Mary Liz Holberg
- Commissioner Mary Hamann-Roland

Also in attendance were Heidi Welsch, County Manager; Tom Donely, First Assistant County Attorney; and Jeni Reynolds, Sr. Administrative Coordinator to the Board.

The audio recording of this meeting is available upon request.

2. Audience

Chair Workman noted that all public comments can be sent to CountyAdmin@co.dakota.mn.us. No comments were received for this agenda.

3. Approval of Agenda (Additions/Corrections/Deletions)

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Motion: Mary Hamann-Roland

Second: Mike Slavik

Ayes: 7

CONSENT AGENDA

On a motion by Commissioner Halverson, seconded by Commissioner Slavik, the Consent agenda was approved as follows:

4. County Administration - Approval of Minutes

4.1 Approval of Minutes of Meeting Held on September 9, 2025

Motion: Laurie Halverson

Second: Mike Slavik

Ayes: 7

REGULAR AGENDA

5. County Board/County Administration

5.1 Legislative Update

Communications and Public Affairs Director Mary Beth Schubert and Physical Development Director Georg Fischer briefed this item and responded to questions. Committee members reviewed the 2025 legislative session capital priorities and discussed potential capital projects to prioritize during the 2026 legislative session.

Members identified the following projects as priorities:

County Road 50 safety and pedestrian improvements at I-35 and related detour improvements; Recycling Zone Plus construction; Lebanon Hills and Lake Byllesby campground building and beach house replacement; and County Road 46 expansion from Trunk Highway 3 to Trunk Highway 52. This item was on the agenda for informational purposes only. No formal action was taken.

Information only; no action requested.

6. County Manager/Deputy/Director's Report

No County Manager report was provided.

7. Future Agenda Items

No future agenda items were presented.

8. Adjournment

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Motion: Liz Workman

Second: Mike Slavik

On a motion by Commissioner Workman, seconded by Commissioner Slavik, the meeting was unanimously adjourned at 1:03 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Jeni Reynolds
Sr. Administrative Coordinator to the Board