

**VILLAGE OF NORTH PRAIRIE
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
MEETING AGENDA
NORTH PRAIRIE MUNICIPAL CENTER, 130 N HARRISON STREET, NORTH PRAIRIE, WI 53153
February 24TH, 2026 AT 5:00 P.M.**

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 19.84, WI Stats., notice is hereby given of a meeting of the Village of North Prairie Public Safety Committee, at which a quorum of the Village Board may be in attendance to gather information about subjects which they have decision making responsibility. Notice of Village Board Quorum, (Chairperson to announce the following if a quorum of the Village Board is in attendance at the meeting: Please let the minutes reflect that a quorum of the Village Board is present.)

1. Call to Order.
2. Roll Call.
3. Public Comment.
At the sole discussion of the Committee Chair, citizens are invited to make comments to the Committee, under the following procedures. Committee members should not be expected to discuss issues presented at this time, citizens, comments limited to 2 minutes each; in the event public comments exceed 15 minutes, the Committee will continue with the regular agenda and resume public comment after the Committee business has been completed, public comments on specific personnel matters are not appropriate subject for this forum and should be referred to the Village Office; any comments which may violate an individual right of an employee will not be permitted.
4. Approval of the January 29th minutes.
5. Police
 - a. Discussion and/or Action: Donations Account Status and Accounting Procedures. Discussion will include a review of the current balance and activity within the Police Department Donations Account, as well as clarification regarding proper coding of invoices and internal accounting procedures to ensure accurate financial tracking and transparency.
 - b. Discussion and/or Action: Police Department Software and Operational Efficiency. Discussion will include potential software updates or technology enhancements intended to improve departmental efficiency, administrative workflow, reporting capabilities, and overall operational effectiveness.
 - c. Discussion and/or Action: Radio Grant Status and Communications Equipment Timeline. Discussion will include an update on the status of pending radio grant applications, anticipated timelines, and contingency planning for equipment acquisition with or without grant funding.
 - d. Discussion and/or Action: Patrol Hours and Allocation Review. Discussion will include a review of January patrol hours, average daily patrol coverage, and evaluation of the current 60/40 patrol allocation split to assess operational effectiveness and community coverage needs.
 - e. Discussion and/or Action: Alternative Shift Structure Evaluation. Discussion will include consideration of a proposed seven (7) 6-hour shift structure and analysis of potential impacts on staffing efficiency, cost control, coverage continuity, and service delivery.
 - f. Discussion and/or Action: Statutory Requirements and Obligations of the Chief of Police. Discussion will include review of correspondence outlining statutory requirements and obligations of the Chief of Police position and clarification of required duties under Wisconsin law.
 - g. Discussion and/or Action: Staffing Status and Coverage Planning Post-March. Discussion will include review of anticipated staffing changes after March and evaluation of operational coverage plans to ensure continuity of police services.

- h. Discussion and/or Action: Ordinance Review and Enforcement Effectiveness. Discussion will include evaluation of identified ordinances that may present enforcement challenges, assessment of potential gaps or weaknesses, and consideration of possible updates or amendments.
- i. Discussion and/or Action: Harvest Fest Public Safety Coverage and Operational Planning. Discussion will include review of the proposed public safety plan for Harvest Fest, including law enforcement staffing, coordination with event organizers, cost implications, and consideration of alternative coverage strategies or service models to ensure adequate public safety in a fiscally responsible manner.
- j. Discussion and/or Action: Police Fleet Status and Long-Term Capital Items. Discussion will include a review of the current condition and projected service life of the Police Department squad car fleet, anticipated replacement timelines, and identification of any long-term capital equipment needs. The Committee will assess whether future vehicle replacements or other capital expenditures should be incorporated into upcoming budget cycles or multi-year financial planning.
- k. Discussion and/or Action: 2027 Proposed Police Department Budget Review. Discussion will include an initial review of the proposed 2027 Police Department budget, anticipated cost drivers, and identification of areas requiring further analysis or adjustment
- l. Discussion and/or Action: Lexipol Subscription Review. Discussion will include evaluation of the annual Lexipol subscription, payment schedule, reimbursement status through the League of Wisconsin Municipalities, and consideration of renewal or cancellation

6. Fire

- a. Discussion and/or Action: Kettle Moraine Fire District (KMFD) Update. Discussion will include an update regarding the Kettle Moraine Fire District, including operational, financial, or governance matters relevant to the Village.
- b. Discussion and/or Action: Lake Country Fire Department (LCFD) Update. Discussion will include an update regarding the Lake Country Fire Department as presented by Dave, including any matters requiring Committee review or consideration.
- c. Discussion and/or Action: Mukwonago Fire Department (MFD) Update. Discussion will include an update regarding the Mukwonago Fire Department as presented by Donna, including operational, financial, or service-level considerations.

7. Court

- a. Discussion and/or Action: Letter of Withdrawal. Discussion will include review of the referenced letter of withdrawal, implications for the Joint Municipal Court structure and operations, and consideration of any necessary follow-up action.

8. Adjourn.

February 19th, 2026

Michael P McCormack, Chair Public Safety & Protective Services Committee

It is possible that members of and possibly a quorum of members of other government bodies of the municipality may be in attendance at the above stated meeting to gather information; no action will be taken by any governmental body at the above stated meeting other than the governmental body specifically referred to above in this notice. Please note that, upon reasonable notice, efforts will be made to accommodate the needs of disabled individuals through appropriate aids and services. For additional information please contact the Village Office at 262-392-2271.