



MINUTES

WRIGHT COUNTY BOARD WORKSHOP

9:00 AM ON JUNE 9, 2026

Approved June 16, 2026

Tina Diedrick, District 1

Darek Vetsch, District 2

Jeanne Holland, District 3

Nadine Schoen, District 4

Kirby Moynagh, District 5

Present: Commissioner Tina Diedrick, Commissioner Darek Vetsch, Commissioner Jeanne Holland, Commissioner Nadine Schoen

Others Present: Marc Mattice, Lindsey Meyer, Clay Wilfahrt, Brian Roth, Brian Lutes, Barry Rhineberger, Alan Wilczek, Bryan Palmer

I. **CONVENE**

A. 9:00 A.M. – Schedule Meetings as Needed

At 09:02 a.m. Chair Darek Vetsch called the meeting to order. No meetings were scheduled

RECOMMENDATION: *Informational Only*

B. 9:05 A.M. – Household Hazardous Waste Facility Construction Update

At 9:03 a.m. Facilities Services Director Alan Wilczek gave an update on the Household Hazardous Waste Facility construction project, an update on where all remaining projects stood, and where things should be in the next few weeks. The project has a final completion date of July 15, 2026. The project is also on budget.

Recommendation: *Informational only.*

C. 9:15 A.M. – EDP/EDA Update

At 9:13 a.m. Commissioners spoke about the Economic Development Partnership/Economic Development Authority and about the direction of the EDP. The board discussed the goals the county board wanted and where the EDP stood on those goals. The board received an update on the funding for the EDP/EDA. The board discussed its potential ongoing funding programs for the EDP and alternatives.

Recommendation: *Recommendation was made not to fund the EDP for 2027. Consensus was to remove board level participation of commissioners to the EDP board. It was requested that Administration plan and implement potential economic development initiatives.*

D. 9:25 A.M. – Data Center Moratorium Workgroup Formation

At 9:27 a.m. Assistant County Administrator Marc Mattice presented a staff memo detailing a proposed workgroup and stated two planning commissioners, Charlie Borrell and Randy Wilson, would be sitting members. Mattice went through the memo and gave an update on who would be sitting on the workgroup. Commissioners Vetsch and Moynagh expressed interest to serve on the workgroup. Discussion was had about how the public would be chosen to participate. The consensus was that the two appointed commissioners will review applications and then bring the choices before the full board in July. The board also had a consensus to add two additional members of the public, bringing the total to 14 members.

Recommendation: *Commissioners Kirby Moynagh and Darek Vetsch will be the two county board members to sit on the data center workgroup, and then to add two additional community members. Mattice would continue to move forward with the set-up of an application process for people to apply.*

E. 9:30 A.M. - Planning & Zoning Online Building Permit Update

At 9:38 a.m. Planning & Zoning Administrator Barry Rhineberger spoke on where the online building permit project stands. The biggest hurdle is the workflows to ensure no permits were going to be missed. The project is scheduled to go live in July. Discussion was had on what the system would do to make the process quicker for permitting.

Recommendation: *Informational Only.*

F. 9:35 A.M. - Rockford Township Land Use Project

At 9:52 a.m. Attorney Brian Wold spoke about the Rockford Township Land Use project and how FCC law prohibits what can be done to restrict the use of

the land by counties, cities and townships. Discussion was had about what can be done to possibly regulate, including an ordinance for unsightly property, requiring some sort of coverage of the project. Consensus was also to put the topic on the 2027 lobbying efforts.

Recommendation: *Informational Only*

G. 9:45 A.M. – Review 2027 Budget Schedule

At 10:09 a.m. Finance Director Lindsey Meyer spoke on the 2027 Budget Timeline.

Recommendation: *Only change was to move the Tuesday, July 28, 2026, meeting to Monday July 27, 2026.*

II. ADJOURNMENT

At 10:12 a.m. Vetsch adjourned the workshop.