



**MISSISSIPPI RIVER  
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Bimonthly Meeting Notice and Agenda, 10:00 AM, Wednesday, October 13, 2010  
River Jacks, 1835 Rose Street, La Crosse Wisconsin

< BIMONTHLY MEETING AGENDA >

1. Roll call and guest introductions
2. Decision on August 11, 2010 Bimonthly Meeting Minutes
3. Decision on Treasurer's Report: (a) August and September 2010 Account Balance, and Revenue & Expense Reports. (b) Revolving Loan Fund Reports: (1) Business Capital Fund, (2) CMV Growth Fund (3) La Crosse County Loan Fund (4) Monroe County Loan Fund VB/GF/BL
4. Status of commissioner appointments. Six appointments need to be made by the counties and the Governor in 2010. GF
5. Presentation on Chippewa County Government's Energy Saving Case Study and Sustainability Planning by Andrew Dane, Former Chippewa Co UW Extension Educator now consultant with SEH.
6. Approval of MRRPC Regional Comprehensive Plan 2013 - 2033 Document Design. GF
7. Approval MRRPC Regional Comprehensive Plan Public Participation Procedures. GF
8. Discussion on Regional Comprehensive Plan Survey. BL
9. Status of contract with Crawford County for update to its Shoreland-Floodplain Zoning Ordinance. DB
10. Status of contract with village of Cashton to prepare environmental assessment for expansion of community hall involving new kitchen and senior meal site. PF
11. Status of contract with Wisconsin Department of Commerce to assist in preparing a statewide post disaster economic resiliency model. BL
12. Status on subcontract with West Central Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission to assist in implementing the 2007 Statewide Communications Interoperability Plan (SCIP). DB
12. Status on feasibility study for a daily commuter bus to serve Crawford, Vernon and La Crosse counties. PF
13. Report on Safe Route to Schools Grant Awards in the Region. MRRPC staff prepared successful applications for Viroqua, Westby and Spring Valley. PF
14. Report on Food Resource and Agribusiness Network - Industry Cluster Initiative. BL

<AGENDA CONTINUED>

15. Kickapoo Valley Regional Economic Development Initiative - KVREDI and long-term flood recovery projects in Gays Mills and La Farge. BL
16. Status of Gays Mills Comprehensive Plan. PF
17. Report on county comprehensive planning in Jackson, Monroe, and Vernon counties and the grant award to Pepin County to prepare a Comprehensive Plan. DB
18. Report on Department of Defense - Fort Mc Coy Joint Land Use Study Program. BL
19. Status of Pierce, Monroe, and Crawford Counties' Recreation Plans and Pierce County Recycling Ordinance. DB
20. Status of Crawford, Pepin, Trempealeau and Vernon Multi-hazard Mitigation Plans. DB
21. (a) Old Business, (b) New Business
22. Adjourn

**Mississippi River Regional Planning Commission  
Commissioners**

<b>Buffalo County</b>	<b>La Crosse County</b>	<b>Pierce County</b>
John Schlesselman	Vicki Burke	Richard Purdy
James Scholmeier	James Ehrsam	William Schroeder
Kathleen Vinehout	Tara Johnson	James Ross
<b>Crawford County</b>	<b>Monroe County</b>	<b>Trempealeau County</b>
Greg Russell	George Baker	Margaret Baecker
Gerald Krachey	Andrew Kaftan	Barbara Semb
Ron Leys	Cedric Schnitzler	Vacant
<b>Jackson County</b>	<b>Pepin County</b>	<b>Vernon County</b>
Ron Carney	George Dupre	Gail Frie
James Christenson	Mike Murray	Jo Ann Nickelatti
Eugene Savage	David Smith	Vacant

**Staff**

Dave Bonifas, Community Development Planner  
Barb Buros, Administrative Assistant  
Peter Fletcher, Transportation Planner  
Greg Flogstad, Director  
Bryan Law, Economic Development Planner

***A Nine County Economic Development District Providing Assistance to Local Governments***

- Land Use Planning ▪ Zoning and Subdivision Ordinances ▪ Transportation Planning ▪ Economic Development Planning
- GIS Mapping ▪ Recreation Planning ▪ Revolving Loan Fund Administration ▪ Grant Writing ▪ Socioeconomic Data Dissemination
- Assist Local Interests in Responding to State and Federal Programs ▪ Advisory Service on Local Planning Issues
- Coordinating Agency for Programs and Activities ▪ Public Advocacy on Issues Affecting Our Region