

The Committee of the Whole of the Village of Winnebago was held on October 15, 2025 at 6:25 p.m. with President Franklin J. Eubank, Jr. presiding. The link for the employees and the public to attend remotely was made available through GoToMeeting.

ROLL CALL: ACKERMAN –GRAHAM – LEFEVRE - MCKINNON – KIM - present
SPRINGER - absent

Guests: Attorney Mary Gaziano, Village Administrator Joseph Dienberg, Public Works Director Chad Insko, Treasurer Dana Novinson, Chief Jeff White, Lieutenant Nick Haff, Deputy Clerk Kellie Symonds, Intern Kyle Okubo, Heather Dunaway, Dr. John Schwuchow, Attorney Gino Gulluzzo

4. ESTABLISHMENT OF A QUORUM – A quorum was established.
5. MEETING GUIDELINES
6. PUBLIC COMMENT – No one requested the opportunity to address the Board.
7. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 - a. A motion was made by MR. MCKINNON, seconded by MR. GRAHAM to accept the minutes of October 1, 2025, meeting as presented. Motion carried on a voice vote.
8. DISCUSSION
 - a. Attorney Gino Gulluzzo presented information on “TIF”, the tools to grow the tax base and create jobs.
Dr. John Schwuchow and Heather Dunaway of the school district asked questions on how a TIF would impact the school district. He explained different types of TIF and their impact.
President Eubank thanked Attorney Gino Gulluzzo for his time and the information provided.
 - b. A motion was made by MR. KIM, seconded by MR. LEFEVRE to lay over the discussion of the Village Administrator Employment Agreement to the November 5, 2025 Committee of the Whole Meeting.
Motion carried on a voice vote.
9. EXECUTIVE SESSION – None.
10. NEW BUSINESS
President Eubank asked if the Board wanted to vote on the IMRF Trustee this year and they do not, the same as the last few years.
President Eubank noted there will be a ten percent savings if the IMLRMA bill is paid by November 14, 2025; the Board agreed they will vote on it at the November 5, 2025 meeting.
11. ADJOURNMENT
A motion was made by MR. LEFEVRE, seconded by MR. ACKERMAN to adjourn at 7:56 p.m.
Motion carried on a voice vote.

UNAPPROVED

Sally Jo Huggins, Village Clerk