



# City of La Crosse, Wisconsin

City Hall  
400 La Crosse Street  
La Crosse, WI 54601

## Meeting Minutes

### Floodplain Advisory Committee

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Thursday, August 2, 2018

5:00 PM

3rd Floor Conference Room

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#### Call to Order

Richmond called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm.

#### Roll Call

**Present:** 6 - Richard Becker, Andrea Richmond, Scott Neumeister, Barb Janssen, Bill Bosshard, Sara Strassman

**Excused:** 1 - Gary Padesky

#### Approval of Minutes

Becker made a motion, Janssen seconded, to approve last meeting's minutes.  
The motion carried by a voice vote.

#### Notices and Discussions

#### Agenda Items:

- 1 [18-1064](#) Ebner Coulee Floodplain Study: Review Letter to DNR - Brad Woznak, SEH

**Attachments:** [July 2018 Letter To DNR - Flow Calibration](#)  
[Ebner Fact Sheet](#)  
[Phase 2 Memo Draft](#)  
[Phase 2 Wisconsin DNR Submittal Letter](#)  
[Survey Example Response](#)

*Woznak reviewed progress on study. Based on responses to survey of July '17 rain event, City may have strong case that FIS over-predicts flood risk. The DNR would likely be supportive of a Letter of Map Revision for the area using calibrated approach. Discharge estimates near Floral Ln need further refinement and remodeling. Area south of Farnam St. would also have to be remapped. Woznak estimates about 52 houses could be removed; \$110,000 total for LOMR process (which includes south of Farnam St.). Committee asked CM Neumeister to include funding in CIP. Lenz suggested specifically asking for a reply from the DNR regarding if this calibration approach be acceptable to move forward to a LOMR.*

**Janssen made a motion, Becker seconded, to approve this letter with Lenz's suggestions. The motion carried by voice vote.**

- 2     [18-0862](#)     Floodplain Relief Grant Application for 870 Janice Ct.

**Attachments:**     [Application](#)

Neumeister made a motion, Strassman seconded, to refer this application for 60 days. The motion carried by voice vote.

- 3     [18-1046](#)     Floodplain Relief Grant Application for 2713 Hamilton St.

**Attachments:**     [Application](#)  
                              [LOMR-F](#)  
                              [Staff Recommendation](#)

Becker made a motion, Neumeister seconded, to approve this application. The motion carried by a voice vote.

- 4     [18-1096](#)     Elevation Certificate Survey Update

*Committee recommended not using pushpin icon; explain elevation certificates are just for guidance.*

## Next Meeting / Agenda Items

## Adjournment

Becker made a motion, Janssen seconded, to adjourn this meeting at 5:55 pm. The motion carried by a voice vote.

*Notice is further given that members of other governmental bodies may be present at the above scheduled meeting to gather information about a subject over which they have decision-making responsibility.*

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