



The Oversight Commission of Unified Community Services met on Wednesday, September 16, 2026 at 4:00 p.m. at the Administration Building, 111 S. Jefferson Street, Lancaster, WI 53813 in Room 264, Second Floor.

Members present: Robert Keeney, Gary Ranum, Nate Dreckman and Clint Langreck. John Meyers asked to be excused.

Others present: Angie Gerndt, Sue Freeman, Tonya White, Jamie Gould (Zoom), Robin Rosemeyer (Zoom).

The meeting was called to order at 4:00 p.m. by Chairman Keeney. County Clerk Tonya White verified the meeting was held in compliance with the open meeting law, having been posted in the Administration Building, Courthouse and on the Iowa and Grant County websites.

Approval of Agenda: Gary Ranum, seconded by Clint Langreck, made a motion to approve the agenda. Motion carried without negative vote.

Approval of Minutes: Clint Langreck, seconded by Gary Ranum made a motion to approve the minutes from the July 14, 2026 minutes. Motion carried without negative vote.

Resolution to Withdraw from the Wisconsin Public Employers' Group Income Continuation Insurance Program and Wisconsin Public Employer's Group Life Insurance Program(s): Gary Ranum, seconded by Nate Dreckman, made a motion to approve the discontinuation of both insurance programs and to approve the associated resolutions. Motion carried without a negative vote.

2027 Budget: Sue Freeman reviewed the preliminary 2027 budget and discussed the mandated and non-mandated services provided by Unified Community Services.

2027 Wage Schedule: Angie Gerndt explained that following the review conducted by Cottingham & Butler, the three existing wage scales will be consolidated into one wage scale and there will be a 3% wage increase.

Staff Recruitment Update: The Finance Manager and Bookkeeper positions have been filled. The new employees began work this week.

Adjournment: Nate Dreckman, seconded by Gary Ranum, made a motion to adjourn to the call of the chair. Motion carried without negative vote.