# **State of Wisconsin Board of Commissioners of Public Lands**

## Board Meeting Minutes August 28, 2008

#### ITEM 1. CALL TO ORDER

Board Chair La Follette called the meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Public Lands to order at 2:00 p.m.

Present were:

Doug La Follette, Board Chair

Dawn Marie Sass, Commissioner

J.B. Van Hollen, Commissioner

Bob Hunter, Asst. Attorney General

Tia Nelson, Executive Secretary

Secretary of State

State Treasurer

Attorney General

Dept. of Justice

Board of Commissioner

Tia Nelson, Executive Secretary

Tom German, Deputy Secretary

Scott Eastwood, Loan Analyst

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Board Chair La Follette noted that the next meeting would be held on September 17, 2008, and the September 2 and 16 meetings have been cancelled.

## ITEM 2. APPROVE MINUTES - August 19, 2008

**MOTION:** Commissioner Van Hollen moved to approve the minutes; Commissioner Sass seconded the motion. The motion passed, 3-0.

## ITEM 3. APPROVE LOANS

Board Chair La Follette asked if the loans had received legal review. Mr. Hunter replied that they had received legal review and that the loans are for public purpose.

Municipality		Municipal Type	Loan Amount
1.	Coloma County of Waushara Application #: 02009042	Village Rate: 3.25 Filed: August 18, 2008	\$18,700.00
	Purpose: Purchase a new mair		
2.	Elk Mound County of Dunn Application #: 02009046 Purpose: Purchase land	Village Rate: 4.75 Filed: August 22, 2008	\$100,000.00
3.	Kendall County of Monroe Application #: 02009045 Purpose: Restore community l	Village Rate: 4.75 Filed: August 21, 2008 hall	\$80,000.00

4. Plum Lake Town \$64.650.00

County of Vilas Rate: 3.25

Application #: 02009043 Filed: August 18, 2008

Purpose: Purchase a new ambulance

5. Reedsburg Town \$60,000.00

County of Sauk Rate: 3.25

Application #: 02009044 Filed: August 21, 2008

Purpose: Purchase new dump truck

6. Sheboygan Town \$1,200,000.00

County of Sheboygan Rate: 4.25

Application #: 02009048 Filed: August 25, 2008

Purpose: Construct a municipal building

7. Sparta City \$825,000.00

County of Monroe Rate: 4.75

Application #: 02009047 Filed: August 25, 2008

Purpose: Purchase ice rink

TOTAL \$2,348,350.00

**MOTION:** Commissioner Sass moved to approve the loans; Commissioner Van Hollen seconded the motion. The motion passed, 3-0.

### ITEM 4. EXECUTIVE SECRETARY'S REPORT

Executive Secretary Nelson reported that staff has observed threats to the health of Trust Lands from a sustained drought in the northern part of the state, the spread of invasive species, and the influence of climatic changes. Staff will be evaluating the timber management guidelines that have been established to determine if modifications are needed. In addition, outside sources will also be consulted to assist in our review of the timber management guidelines.

#### ITEM 5. ADJOURN

**MOTION:** Commissioner Van Hollen moved to adjourn the meeting; Commissioner Sass seconded the motion. The motion passed, 3-0.

Tia Nelson, Executive Secretary

These minutes have been prepared from a tape recording of the meeting. The summaries have not been transcribed verbatim. Anyone wishing to listen to the tape may do so at the Board of Commissioners of Public Lands, 125 S. Webster Street, Suite 200, Madison, Wisconsin.