

Commissioner Department Assignments – 2020

Commissioner Larry Anderson

Auditor/Treasurer
Veteran's Service Office
Solid Waste

Commissioner Kevin Stevens

Public Works
County Coordinator
County Recorder

Commissioner Norm Holmen

Information Technology Department
County Attorney
Court Administration/Probation

Commissioner Donna Gravley

MN Extension Services
Emergency Management
Sheriff's Department

Commissioner Tom Appel

County Assessor
Planning & Zoning
Solid Waste (MPCA related)

Commissioner Committee Assignments – 2020

ACE of Southwestern Minnesota
(4th Thursday at 9:00am in Slayton)

Commissioner Donna Gravley
Commissioner Larry Anderson, alt.

AMC Voting Delegates

Commissioner Kevin Stevens
Commissioner Norm Holmen
Commissioner Tom Appel
Commissioner Larry Anderson
Commissioner Donna Gravley
County Engineer Nicholas Klisch
County Coordinator Kelly Thongvivong
County Auditor/Treasurer Donna Torkelson

Area II River Basin Projects
(1st Thursday at 9:00am in Marshall/Redwood Falls)

Commissioner Larry Anderson
Commissioner Norm Holmen, alt.

Board of Adjustment

1st District – Heidi Hansen
2nd District – Sharon Tibodeau
3rd District – Lisa Fredin
4th District – Mike LaMaack
5th District – Jonathan Penner

Compensation Committee
(As Needed)

Commissioner Kevin Stevens - Chair
Commissioner Tom Appel – Vice-Chair

Cottonwood County DAC

Commissioner Tom Appel

Cottonwood County Dept. Head Meetings	Commissioner Kevin Stevens - Chair Commissioner Tom Appel – Vice-Chair
Cottonwood County Ditch Authority	Commissioner Kevin Stevens Commissioner Norm Holmen Commissioner Tom Appel Commissioner Larry Anderson Commissioner Donna Gravley
Cottonwood County Historical Society (4 th Monday at 3:30pm in Windom)	Commissioner Kevin Stevens
Cottonwood County Law Library (Annual Mtg in July, otherwise as needed)	Commissioner Kevin Stevens
Cottonwood County Personnel Board of Appeals	Jim Jorgenson (Westbrook) Dennis Nelson (Windom) Jerry Haberman (Mt. Lake)
Counties Providing Technology	Commissioner Tom Appel Commissioner Norm Holmen, alt.
Des Moines River Watershed (One Watershed, One Plan)	Commissioner Tom Appel Commissioner Norm Holmen, alt.
Des Moines River West Fork Project	Commissioner Kevin Stevens Commissioner Larry Anderson, alt.
Des Moines Valley Health & Human Services (2 nd Thursday at 9:00am – rotate between Windom & Jackson – LEC in Windom)	Commissioner Norm Holmen Commissioner Kevin Stevens Commissioner Tom Appel Commissioner Donna Gravley Commissioner Larry Anderson
Des Moines Valley Health & Human Services Mental Health Local Advisory Council	Dawn Eigenberg Paul Bland Caroline Eigenberg David Johnson Mary Leach Cathy Hohenstein Commissioner Donna Gravley
Family Services Collaborative Board	Commissioner Tom Appel Commissioner Donna Gravley, alt.
Greater Blue Earth River Basin Alliance	Commissioner Tom Appel Commissioner Norm Holmen, alt.
Heron Lake Watershed District (3 rd Tuesday at 7:00pm in Heron Lake Advisory Committee 4x/yr at 10:00am in Heron Lake)	Commissioner Kevin Stevens
Intergovernmental Relations Board	Commissioner Kevin Stevens Commissioner Norm Holmen Commissioner Tom Appel Commissioner Larry Anderson Commissioner Donna Gravley

Joint Government Meeting
(City of Windom, Cottonwood County,
Windom School District)

Commissioner Kevin Stevens – Chair
Commissioner Tom Appel – Vice-Chair
County Coordinator Kelly Thongvong

Land Use Advisory Committee

Commissioner Tom Appel
Commissioner Norm Holmen, alt.
Commissioner Kevin Stevens

Local Emergency Preparedness and
Planning Committee

MN Counties Computer Cooperative
Delegate

Auditor/Treasurer Donna Torkelson
County Assessor Gale Bondhus, alt.

MN Extension Agency Board of Directors
(3-year terms – 2-term limit)

Commissioner Kevin Stevens - Chair
Commissioner Tom Appel – Vice-Chair
Auditor/Treasurer Donna Torkelson
1st District – Joe Saffert (1st term ends 12/21)
2nd District – Katie Robillard (2nd term ends 12/22)
3rd District – Larry Stuckenbroker (2nd term ends 12/20)
4th District – Sarah Wiebe (2nd term ends 12/22)
5th District – Carolyn Rempel (2nd term ends 12/20)

MN Rural Counties Caucus

Commissioner Kevin Stevens
Commissioner Larry Anderson, alt.

Planning Commission
(3-year terms – no term limit)

Commissioner Norm Holmen
Commissioner Tom Appel, alt.
1st District – Heidi Hansen (12/21)
2nd District – Sharon Tibodeau (12/20)
3rd District – Leland Thiesen (12/20)
4th District – Keith Engen (12/20)
5th District – Phil Harder (12/20)

Plum Creek Library Board

Commissioner Donna Gravley

PrimeWest

Commissioner Norm Holmen
Commissioner Donna Gravley, alt.

Private Industry Council Chief Elected
Officials Board Members

Commissioner Tom Appel

Red Rock Rural Water

Commissioner Larry Anderson
Commissioner Kevin Stevens, alt.

Redwood-Cottonwood Rivers Control Agency
(1st Thursday at 9:00am in Marshall/Redwood Falls)

Commissioner Larry Anderson
Commissioner Norm Holmen, alt.

Rural Minnesota Energy Board

Commissioner Tom Appel
Commissioner Kevin Stevens, alt.

Soil & Water Conservation District

Commissioner Tom Appel

Southern Prairie Community Care
(4th Friday at 9:30am in Redwood Falls)

Commissioner Norm Holmen
Commissioner Donna Gravley, alt.

Southwest Minnesota Housing Partnership

(Appointment done by SRDC)

SWMN Emergency Communications Board
(4th Wednesday of odd months at 1:00pm in Marshall)

Commissioner Norm Holmen
Commissioner Larry Anderson, alt.

SW Mental Health Center Board of Directors (2 nd Wednesday at 7:00pm in Luverne)	Commissioner Norm Holmen Commissioner Larry Anderson Robin Weis
SW Mental Health Consortium (2 nd Friday at 9:30am in Marshall)	Commissioner Norm Holmen
SW MN EMS Board	Emergency Management Director Paul Johnson Commissioner Larry Anderson, alt.
SW MN Regional Solid Waste Commission	Commissioner Tom Appel Commissioner Kevin Stevens, alt.
SW Regional Development Commission	Commissioner Donna Gravley Commissioner Larry Anderson, alt.
State Community Health Service Advisory Committee (SCHSAC)	Commissioner Kevin Stevens
Statewide Health Improvement Program (6x/year on 2 nd Wednesday at 11:30am in Lakefield)	Commissioner Kevin Stevens
Travel Southwest MN (Meet monthly)	Commissioner Tom Appel Anna Hassel, Chamber Director (OPEN)
United Community Action Partnership	Commissioner Donna Gravley Commissioner Larry Anderson, alt.
Watowan Watershed (One Watershed One Plan)	Commissioner Tom Appel Commissioner Norm Holmen, alt.
Wellness Committee	Commissioner Donna Gravley
Windom Economic Development Authority	Commissioner Kevin Stevens

2020 AMC Policy Committee Appointments

Environmental & Natural Resources	Commissioner Tom Appel
General Government	Commissioner Donna Gravley
Health & Human Services	Commissioner Norm Holmen
Public Safety	Commissioner Larry Anderson
Transportation	Commissioner Kevin Stevens