

January 12, 2026, Fire Commission Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Mike Bouras (Village of Winneconne), Ryan Koch (Town of Winneconne), Brian Miller (Village of Winneconne), Randal Spear (Town of Poygan), Todd Nagler EMS BC, Assistant Chief Ed Quigley, Michelle Eigner Administrative Assistant and Chief Kevin Allcox.

The January Fire Commission meeting was called to order by Chief Allcox at 6:30 pm

The November fire commission meeting minutes were reviewed by the members present. Motion made by Mike Bouras and seconded by Randal Spear to approve the November meeting minutes as reviewed, motion carried.

No Public Comments

Department Operations

Programs: Chicken Fun Night is being held Wednesday, January 28, 2026, with dinner and raffle for fundraising. NIFR's reporting has ceased; the new filing system is with NERIS.

Grants: DNR Grant that was applied for has had all items purchased and received. Department members will be placing all new items on the Skid for Grass 28 in the next few months.

EMS: Membership is currently at 15 with two new members (one current FF). The new ambulance transition with LifeStar is going well. Their personnel met with the First Responders last week and reviewed processes and items on the ambulance. Winneconne FR will be purchasing a Lucus Device to be stationed at Station 28 and paid half the cost of a Lucus along with Omro FR to keep on the Ambulance providing service to our area.

Fire: Membership currently is 36 with three members taking class this month. One Fire fighter has completed his state certification and is in his Probationary period. Training on the Airboat with Thousand Island has been taking place, and future classes are set for additional training. This month's fire training will be Shore Based Training for Ice Rescue.

Budget: 2025 Year End report reviewed. First Installment requests to go out within the week.

Incident Reports: YTD 2025 Total calls were 479 (308 EMS) compared to 2024 419 calls (305 EMS)

Motion made by Mike Bouras to adjourn the January meeting, seconded by Brian Miller; meeting adjourned at 7:17 pm.

Respectfully submitted: Michelle Eigner