

2019 COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Forkrud
Salfer

Walling
Groebner

Van Hee

**VACANCIES

Advocate-Connect- Educate
(ACE) Ex-Officio:
(Joint Powers)

Commissioner Forkrud; Salfer as alternate.
Meets 4th Thursday of the month at 9am
Center for Regional Development – Slayton, MN
Appropriation: \$29,788/yearly

Ag Society/Fairboard:

Commissioner Van Hee & Walling (alternate), Ex Officio.
Meets monthly
Courthouse meeting room
Contact is Jeff Potter 507-993-6491 potterosa@hughes.net
Appropriation: \$36,000/yearly

Aquatic Invasive Species Committee

Groebner
Conservation Officer and At large reps (Amanda Wold)
Will meet quarterly at the most

Association of Minnesota Counties
(AMC Voting Delegates)

All five Commissioners, Administrator, Env. Director; Highway Engineer
Meets for Annual Conference Dec. 8-10th, 2019
AMC Legislative Conference February 12-14th, 2019
St. Paul Riverfront
AMC Leadership Conference April 3rd-5th, Nisswa, MN
AMC Policy Committees September
Appropriation: \$11,375/yearly

AMC District VIII Meetings:

All five Commissioners. Department Heads option at their Choice. Meets June 2019 & October 2019 as scheduled within 10 county district.

AMC Policy Committees:

Environmental – Walling
Ag Subcommittee – Forkrud
Transportation Subcommittee – Van Hee
Health & Human Services – Salfer
Social Services & Health Subcommittee's - Salfer
General Government – Groebner
Indian Affairs Task Force – Groebner
Public Safety – Forkrud
Futures Committee – Briana Mumme
(All Commissioners may attend at any time.)
Attends the Feb., Sept., and December Conferences

Area II Minnesota River Basin
Projects, Inc.:
(Joint Powers)

Commissioner Walling; Groebner as alternate.
Meetings 1st Thursday morning (9:00) monthly in Marshall, every other month in Redwood Falls
Contact: Kerry Netzke : Marshall Office, 507-537-6369.

<u>Audit Committee:</u>	Board Chair, Administrator, Auditor-Treasurer Meets as needed	
<u>Board of Adjustment:</u> (Noxious Weed Appeal Board)	John Rohlik Jr., Dan Tauer, John Schueller Meets as needed. No Term limits Contact: Director of Environmental Services: Scott Wold, 507-637-4023. Commissioner of District.	
<u>Broadband Committee</u>	Commissioner Salfer & Van Hee	
<u>Budget/Finance Committee:</u>	Commissioner Forkrud & Walling ; County Administrator	
<u>Buildings Committee:</u>	Commissioners Groebner & Walling Administrator; Department Heads: Maintenance,	
<u>Business Development Committee:</u> (Abatement) EDA	Commissioners Salfer (EDA) Walling (non-EDA); Alternate: Commissioner Van Hee Administrator; Attorney, Assessor, Auditor/Treasurer EDA Coordinator	
<u>Child Advocacy Advisory Board</u>	Commissioner Salfer , Alternate: Commissioner Forkrud Administrator CAC Coordinator: Sarah Reynolds Board TBD in 2019 Meets 3rd Wednesday every month at Courthouse 1-2pm	
<u>Communications Board</u> (Emergency Communication Board)	Commissioner Forkrud , Groebner Alternate Emergency Communication Board Delegate: Randy Hanson - Alternate: Jim Sandgren Regional User Committee: Meets every other month (4 th Wed.) at 1pm in Basement of Lyon County Sheriff's Office.	
<u>Community Development</u>	Commissioner Van Hee and Salfer Alternate; Administrator EDA Coordinator Contact: Redwood Falls City Administrator, 637-5755.	
<u>County Emergency Services Committee:</u>	Board Chair Vice Chair Dispatch EMS (Ambulance) County Administrator County Engineer Environmental	Sheriff National Guard Emergency Management Dir. Redwood County Fire Assn. City Police Dept. Red Cross

County Office Appointments:

Assessor	Kathy Hillmer	4 yr. term	ends = December 2020
Highway Engineer	Keith Berndt	4 yr. term	ends = May 2020
Veteran Service Officer	Dustin Hunter	4 yr. term	ends = July 2021
County Coroner	Dr. Gregory C. McCallum	4 yr. term	ends = December 2019

County Policy Advisory Committee:
(May serve two 3-year terms)

(Salfer & Van Hee)
Personnel Administrator
HR Coordinator: Peter Brown
Road & Bridge- Mike Panitzke; Leo Kasmarek as alternate;
Jared Amberg; Joe Probst as alternate;
Jim Goblirsch; Greg Boettger as alternate;
Management Team-Joyce Anderson;
Kathy Hillmer and Randy Hanson as alternate
Courthouse- Jenifer Manthei
Sheriff-Jim Hildebrandt
Recording Secretary: Payroll Technician
Meets quarterly.

CPT (Counties Providing Technology)

Commissioner Walling
Alternate: Commissioner Forkrud
Administrator

Drug Court Steering Committee

Commissioner Groebner
Alternate: Commissioner Forkrud
Judge: Patrick Rohland
Co. Attorney: Jenna Peterson
DOC Supervisor: Jake McLellan
Sheriff's Department: Randy Hanson
Drug Court Coordinator: Grady Holtberg
Chief Public Defender: Cecil Naatz/Joel Solie
5th District Administration: Brenda Pautsch
Tribal Council: Robert Larsen
SWHHS: Chris Sorenson
Lower Sioux Social Services: Darin Prescott
City Council President: John Buckley
Lower Sioux Police Chief: Darwin Melin
Redwood Falls Police Chief: Jason Cotner
Redwood Community Member: Rev. Scott Prouty
Lower Sioux Community Member: _____
Western Mental Health: Sarah Ackerman
Project Turnabout: Rick Forde
Meets as needed

Drug Task Force:
(Joint Powers)

Commissioner Salfer; Alternate-Commissioner Forkrud
Meets 2nd Thursday every month at 9:30 a.m. Redwood
County Law Enforcement Center

Emergency Medical Services (EMS)

Board:

Joe Plaetz, alternate (3rd term 2019, 2020, 2021)

Lewis Louwagie (2nd Term 2019, 2020, 2021)

Contact: Ann Larson www.sw-ems.org

Louis Louwagie 507-829-6154

Extension Committee:

(May serve two 3-year terms)

Commissioners **Van Hee** and **Forkrud**

1st District: Brian Hauger (2nd term) 2019, 2020, 2021

2nd District: Caroline Netzke (1st Term) 2018, 2019, 2020

3rd District: Abby Larson (2nd term) 2019, 2020 & 2021

4th District: Shelley Doering (2nd term): 2017-2018-2019

5th District: Linda Sullivan (2nd term): 2017, 2018, 2019

At-Large: Kelly Pfarr (1st Term) 2018, 2019, 2020

Secretary Designate: Auditor-Treasurer Office

Meets 4x/year 2019– February 25, April 22, July 22, Nov. 25
at 4pm – Redwood Falls

Human Rights Officers:

County Administrator; County Attorney; County Sheriff
Board Chair, Alternate Vice Chair.

Insurance & Benefits Committee:

Commissioner **Walling**, Alternate **Salfer**; Administrator;
AFSCME-Courthouse, Jean Brezina, Denise Siegfried,
R & B: Paula Olson;

LELS: B.J. Labat

R & B: Roger Polkow; Matthew Guetter

Non-Union Employees: Peter Brown

Management Team: Auditor-Treasurer

Meets as needed

Judicial Ditch Committee:

Commissioners **Walling**, **Groebner**, **Forkrud**

Commissioner in District involved

Environmental Director, Auditor/Treasurer, Ditch Inspector,
Administrator

Ditch Committee

Walling, **Groebner**

Environmental Director, Auditor/Treasurer, Ditch Inspector
Administrator

Law Library

Commissioner **Van Hee**

County Attorney

Robert Vianchi – Attorney at Estebo

Judge Rohland

Patti Amberg

Lower Sioux Community Planning:

Commissioners **Van Hee** & **Groebner**;

Administrator and EDA Coordinator

Meets as needed

MN Rural Counties Caucus

Commissioner **Salfer** Alternate – **Walling**

2nd Monday every month in Alexandria

Contact: Dan Larson

Appropriation: \$2,300/yearly

MN Transportation Alliance:

Commissioner **Van Hee**; Alternate: **Groebner**
Highway Engineer
Executive Director: Margaret Donahoe
Margaret@transportationalliance.com

MN River Master Plan
Advisory Board

Commissioner **Forkrud**
Renville County Commissioner:
Renville County Park Committee: _____, _____
Redwood County Park Committee: Ted Suss, Jeanne Prescott
Meets: 2x/year minimum and as needed

MN Valley Regional Rail Authority:
(Joint Powers)

Commissioner **Groebner** Alternate **Van Hee**
Meets 3rd Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m.
Odd months – Sibley County Courthouse;
Even months – Redwood County Government Center
Contact: RADC 507-637-4004.

Ordinance Task Force

Commissioner: **Forkrud**
Planning Commission Member: Mike Scheffler
Auditor/Treasurer: Jean Price
Solid Waste Administrator: Jon Mitchell

Parks Committee

Commissioner **Walling**
Environmental Director: Scott Wold
EDA Coordinator: Briana Mumme

Planning & Zoning Commission:

Commissioner **Forkrud**; **Salfer** as alternate;
County Attorney; No term limits
1st District: DeVonaa Zueg.(1st Term) 2019-2020
2nd District: Mike Scheffler: (4th Term): 2018-2019-2020
3rd District: Mark Madsen (3rd Term): 2019-2020-2021
4th District: Mike Kaufenberg (2nd Term): 2020-2021-2022
5th District: Jeff Huseby (1st term) 2018-2019-2020
Typically meets last Monday of the month at 1pm

Plum Creek Library Governing Board
of Trustees: (Joint Powers)

Commissioner **Salfer** Alternate: **Van Hee**
Contact: Worthington Office, 507-376-5803.
3rd Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Jan, April, June August, October;
Meets 5x/year
in Slayton – Murray County Court Bldg.
Contact rhudson@plumcreeklibrary.net of Committee appts
Appropriation: \$108,573/yearly

Redwood-Cottonwood Rivers Control
Area (RCRCA): (Joint Powers)
(Combined with Area II)
One Watershed, One Plan

Commissioner **Walling**; **Groebner** as alternate.
Meets 1st Thursday, every other month, in Marshall & Redwood
Falls, 10:30am.
Contact: 507-530-7116 Kerry Netzke
Appropriation: \$24,825/yearly

Redwood County Collaborative:
(Joint Powers)

Commissioner Walling, Salfer as alternate
Meets yearly

Redwood County EDA Committee:
(May serve three 3-Year terms)

Commissioners Salfer and Van Hee
EDA Coordinator
1st District: Jacob Jenniges (1st Term): 2017 – 2018 - 2019
2nd District: Pat Eichten (1st Term): 2018-2019-2020
3rd District: Al Kokesch (1st Term): 2017-2018-2019
4th District Sara Kuglin (1st Term) 2018- 2019-2020
5th District: Dan Rohman (1st Term): 2018-2019-2020
At Large: Jenifer Goblisch (1st Term): 2018-2019-2020
At Large: Ed Cohrs (1st Term): 2018-2019-2020
2nd Thursday every month at 9am at the Government Center

Redwood County Historical Society
Board and Friends of Gilfillan:

Commissioner Groebner; Forkrud as alternate.
Hist. Society meets 3rd Tuesday of the month in the evening.
Friends of Gilfillan -meets 4th Thursday of the month March-
November at Gilfillan
Redwood Falls Library
Appropriation: \$20,000/yearly

Redwood County Water Plan
Advisory Board

Commissioner Groebner and Walling
Contact: Marilyn Bernhardson (Soil and Water)
Usually meets 2x/year or so

Recycling Committees

Lyon County Regional Landfill:

Commissioner; Walling; Groebner as alternate; Director of
Environmental Services
Meets in Marshall 1x/year

Lyon County Regional Landfill:
(Annual Meeting)

All five Commissioners.

Redwood/Renville Regional Solid
Waste Joint Powers:

Commissioner Walling; Commissioner Groebner;
Forkrud as alternate.
Member at Large William Lightfoot, Dr. Steven Medrud
Meets 2nd Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. in HHW Facility

Rural MN Energy Board:
(Joint Powers)

Commissioner Groebner, Commissioner Walling; as alternate.
Meets 4th Monday on odd months at 1pm– 2401 Broadway
Avenue, Slayton, MN
www.rmeb.org for meeting dates; Annette Fiedler
Appropriation: \$2,500.00/yearly

Solid Waste Subcommittee:

Commissioners Walling & Groebner;
Forkrud as alternate
RRRSWA Executive Director
Meets as needed

Southwest Regional Solid Waste :
Commission:
(Joint Powers)

Commissioner **Groebner**; Alternate: **Walling**
RRRSWA Executive Director: Jon Mitchell.
Contact: SRDC Office, 507-836-8547, Annette Fiedler
Qtly Meetings in the am at 2401 Broadway Ave., Slayton

Redwood Falls City Council
Committee

All Commissioners
Administrator
Meets the 5th Tuesday at 5:00 p.m.
(April 30, July 30, October 29 & Dec. 31st in 2019)

Redwood Soil & Water Conservation
District – Liaison Committee

Commissioner **Groebner**; **Walling**; Alternate: **Forkrud**
Soil & Water Board Members: Joe Plaetz, Jeff Potter
Environmental Director
County Administrator
Meets: Quarterly for 2019

Redwood Soil & Water Conservation
Board

Commissioner: **Groebner**
Meets monthly

Restorative Justice Advisory Committee:
(Drug Court, Circle Sentencing)

Commissioner **Van Hee**; **Forkrud** Alternate
Administrator
Meets 1st Wednesday of every month at 8:30 a.m. at Courthouse
Restorative Justice Coordinator: Eric Johnson

Safety Committee:

Commissioner **Salfer** and **Forkrud**; **Groebner** as alternate
Safety Coordinator: Peter Brown;
Safety Technician: Shelly Koenig
R & B - Steve Gorres, Jerry Jenniges; Jeff Bommersbach as
Alternate;
Maintenance-Loren Gewerth
Sheriff – Joel Bill
CH/Government Center-Jim Sandgren
Meets 4x/year

Service Enterprises (S.E.I)

Commissioner **Groebner**; **Walling** as Alternate
Meets the 4th Thursday of every month at 12noon in Redwood
Contact Karin.ramey@service-enterprises.org

Southern MN Tourism Association:

Chamber Director; Commissioner **Forkrud**
Meetings in various sites quarterly
Contact: Mankato Office, 507-389-2683.
Anne Johnson, Chamber Director
Appropriation: \$841.00/yearly

Southern Prairie Community Care:

Commissioner **Van Hee**; Alternate **Salfer**
Meets 4th Friday every month (9:30-12:30pm)
At Redwood Falls MN West Room
Toni.lecy@southernprairie.org

<u>SMAMHC (SW MN Adult Mental Health Consortium Executive Commission Board:</u> (Joint Powers 18 Counties)	Commissioner Salfer ; Alternate Forkrud . Meets annually in October Consortium meets 3 rd Friday monthly. (attended by SWHHS) Marshall
<u>Southwest Health & Human Services:</u>	Commissioners Salfer & Forkrud (Van Hee as alternate) Public Health Lay-person: Carol Flahaven Meets third Wednesday of the month at 9:00 a.m. at the Gov't Center in Marshall. Monica.christianson@swhhs.com
<u>SW MN Private Industry Council Chief Elected Officials Board:</u> (Joint Powers)	Commissioner Walling ; Salfer as alternate. Meets Qtrly. at 2pm Contact: Marshall Office, 507-476-4060. Carrie Bendix Lyon County Government Center Appropriation: \$3,440/yearly
<u>SW Regional Development Commission:</u> (Joint Powers)	Commissioner Van Hee ; Salfer as alternate. 2 nd Thursday every month at 3:30pm. at SRDC Office in Slayton. Contact: Slayton Office, 2401 Broadway Ave. #1 Rhonda Wynia; rwynia@swrdc.org (507) 836-8547
<u>State Community Health Service Advisory Board</u>	Commissioner: Salfer Representative for SWHHS Meets Quarterly in March, June, Sept. and December Contact is Carol Biren Jim is the representative for SWHHS and they pay his per diem
<u>State Veterans Cemetery Committee</u>	Groebner , Van Hee , Kumerow Veteran Service Officer; County Attorney Meets as needed
<u>Supporting Hands Nurse Family Partnership</u>	Commissioner; Salfer ; Forkrud Alternate Meets Quarterly – Carol Biren – SWHHS Meeting Dates: 2-5-18, 5-7-18, 8-6-18 & 11-5-18 Kandiyohi HHS Building, Willmar
<u>Tobacco Ordinance Hearing Panel:</u>	All five Commissioners.

Technology Committee:

Technology Coordinator: Paul Parsons and Brian Schulte
Commissioner Van Hee (Groebner as alternate)
Administrator Knobloch
VSO Director: Dustin Hunter
R & B Engineer Keith Berndt; Paula Olson alternate
EDA Coordinator: Briana Mumme
GIS Specialist Scott Larson
Assessor Kathy Hillmer;
Sheriff: Lead Clerk Dana Frericks
Recorder Joyce Anderson
A/T – Jean Price; Julie Zimmermann alternate
HR – Peter Brown
Attorney: Jenna Peterson, Jenifer Manthei alternate
CAC: Sarah Reynolds
License Center: Lisa Guggisberg
Meets 2nd Wednesday monthly at 8:30 a.m. in License Center meeting room

Union-Labor Management Committee:

Serves on County Policy Advisory Committee as non-voting members.
(Formerly Personnel Subcommittee)

Salfer and Forkrud
Administrator; HR Coordinator
Meets as needed

United Community Action Partnership – Community Transit

Commissioner Van Hee
Meets quarterly on third Tuesday at 3:30 p.m.
164 East 2nd Street, Redwood Falls
(February, May, August and November)
Cathleen Amick (507) 637-2187

Wellness Your Way

Heidi Wersal, Michelle Koenig, Kim Kodet, Peter Brown, Jen Scharfencamp, Robin Kokesch, Sarah Reynolds, Paul Parsons, Jenifer Manthei and Scott Larsen
Meets the 3rd Wednesday every month at 3:00 p.m.

Western Mental Health Center Members of the Corporation:
(Formerly Western Human Devel.)

Commissioners Salfer; Alternate Van Hee
Lay member: Maydra Maas (appointed 4/2/2013)
Board meets in Marshall at 1212 E. College Drive
4th Monday every month, 4:00 p.m.
507-532-3607, Sarah Ackerman sackerman@wmhcinc.org