



# Wauwatosa, WI

## Tourism Commission

### Meeting Minutes

7725 W. North Avenue  
Wauwatosa, WI 53213

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Wednesday, March 12, 2025

12:00 PM

Committee Room #2 and Zoom:  
<https://servetosa.zoom.us/j/87081279202>,  
Meeting ID 870 8127 9202

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#### Regular Meeting

#### HYBRID MEETING INFORMATION

**Present 6**      Commissioner, Chair Dave Amoroso  
Commissioner - Hotel Representative Chantal Boncher  
Commissioner Linda Gulrajani  
Commissioner Megan Tanel  
Commissioner Daniel Underberg  
Aldersperson Liaison David Lewis

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#### CALL TO ORDER

Meeting was called to order at 12:18pm.

#### ROLL CALL

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

This was approved.

**RESULT:**      APPROVED  
**MOVER:**      Chantal Boncher  
**SECONDER:**   Daniel Underberg

1. Review and possible approval of minutes from December 11, 2024 Meeting

**Attachments:**      [Hyperlink](#)

#### NEW BUSINESS

1. Tosa Restaurant Week Update

Beth Gleesing shared an update on Tosa Restaurant Week: Recruitment for event is complete, and promotion is underway.

2. Update on progress of Thomas Dambo Sculpture Installation

Beth Gleesing provided an update on the installation of the Thomas Dambo Troll sculpture: DPW is working with the Dambo team and structural engineers on framework and foundation, planning underway for arrival of Dambo team, working with a customs broker on the shipment of parts from Denmark, costs are being monitored as they are coming in.

**3. Update on sculpture sponsorships**

Beth Gleesing provided an update on sponsorships: \$25,000 has been secured from Horicon Bank; Current Electric will provide up to \$20,000 in in-kind work for electrical on sculpture, in discussion with construction companies regarding foundation sponsorship, currently securing food sponsors.

**4. Request for Allocation of 2024 Budget Overage to the Thomas Dambo Sculpture Installation Project**

Staff recommends reallocating 2024 budget surplus revenue in an amount not to exceed \$68,000 from Tourism Capital Reserves to the Thomas Dambo Sculpture installation project.

**RESULT:** APPROVED

**MOVER:** Daniel Underberg

**SECONDER:** Megan Tanel

**ADJOURNMENT**

Dave Amoroso asked for motion to adjourn.

This was approved.

**RESULT:** APPROVED

**MOVER:** Megan Tanel

**SECONDER:** Chantal Boncher

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