

YAHARA WINS
GROUP MEETING MINUTES: Tuesday December 17, 2024

The meeting was held virtually. The meeting was called to order by Yahara WINS President Martye Griffin at 1:30pm.

PRESENT: Yahara WINS IGA members, partners, and others

Previous Meeting: Minutes from the October 15, 2024 meeting were posted on the Yahara WINS website prior to the meeting. Minutes approved by Tom Wilson, Town of Westport, second by Greg Fries, City of Madison, passed unanimously.

Presentations: All presentations are available on the Yahara WINS website.

- Rock River Coalition Volunteer Monitoring Program Update – Lizzy Reitzloff, AIS and Strem Monitoring Coordinator
- USGS 2024 Water Quality Monitoring Update, presented by Todd Stuntebeck, Physical Scientist

Executive Committee Update: The Yahara Pride Farms additional funding request to pay for practices installed in 2024 was approved at the October budget meeting.

There is a vacancy on the Executive Committee that we are looking to fill. Solicitation for people interested in representing Cities and Villages on the Executive Committee will come out soon. Voting for the Cities and Villages Rep. will occur at the March 2025 Yahara WINS meeting.

Other Business: Reminder that invoices for the first payment installment in 2025 will be sent out soon.

Adjourn: Meeting adjourned at 2:40 pm, first by Kris Hampton, Town of Cottage Grove, second by Judd Blau, Village of DeForest