



# Board of County Commissioners Agenda Request



**Requested Meeting Date:** January 5, 2021

**Title of Item:** Extension Committee Reappointments

<input type="checkbox"/> REGULAR AGENDA <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CONSENT AGENDA <input type="checkbox"/> INFORMATION ONLY	<b>Action Requested:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approve/Deny Motion <input type="checkbox"/> Adopt Resolution (attach draft)	<input type="checkbox"/> Direction Requested <input type="checkbox"/> Discussion Item <input type="checkbox"/> Hold Public Hearing* <small>*provide copy of hearing notice that was published</small>
<b>Submitted by:</b> Angie Sahr		<b>Department:</b> Administration
<b>Presenter (Name and Title):</b>		<b>Estimated Time Needed:</b>
<b>Summary of Issue:</b> The Extension Committee has three openings: District 2, District 4, and District 5. All three current members have applied for reappointment. Copies of their applications are attached. No others applications were received.		
<b>Alternatives, Options, Effects on Others/Comments:</b>		
<b>Recommended Action/Motion:</b> Recommend reappoint Becky Joerger, Dave Carlson, and Joy Janzen to the Extension Committee, terms ending December 31, 2023.		
<b>Financial Impact:</b> Is there a cost associated with this request? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No What is the total cost, with tax and shipping? \$ Is this budgeted? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <i>Please Explain:</i>		

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December 18, 2020

Dear Aitkin County Commissioners,

Aitkin County Extension has an advisory committee called the County Extension Committee. The role of the committee members is to be connectors within the county for U of M Extension programs, serve as advocates on behalf of Extension, and provide input when hiring Extension staff and budgets. Terms on the committee are 3-year terms. There are three vacancies on the committee at this time.

Commissioners Marcotte and Westerlund serve on the County Extension Committee and recommend appointing Becky Joerger and Dave Carlson, of Palisade; and Joy Janzen, of Aitkin, to a three year term from January 1, 2021 to December 31, 2023.

Thank you,

Susanne Hinrichs  
Regional Director,  
Northeast Region

**MINNESOTA OPEN APPOINTMENT ACT  
APPLICATION FOR SERVICE ON COUNTY/STATE AGENCY**

NAME OF AGENCY OR COMMITTEE YOU WISH TO SERVE ON:

Aitkin County Extension Committee

AITKIN COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT 4

Minnesota Statutes 15.0597, state that the application shall include a "statement that the nominee satisfies any legally prescribed qualifications and any other information the nominating person feels be helpful to the appointing authority." (May include employment, community service experience, or education that would be pertinent to this appointment)

I was involved in 4-H + FFA growing up and grew up on a dairy + beef farm, was very involved in my community, at church and the County fair. I'm involved in 4-H with my son and school activities. I've enjoyed being on this committee the last couple of years and would really like to continue serving on it.

I, the undersigned, hereby state that I satisfy, to the best of my knowledge, all legally prescribed qualifications for the position sought.

Becky Joerger  
Signature of Applicant

7-13-2020  
Date

If applicant is being nominated by another person or group, the above signature indicates consent to nomination.

Is this application submitted by appointing authority? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Is this application submitted at the suggestion of appointing authority? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return application to the Aitkin County Administrator's office, located at  
307 2<sup>nd</sup> Street NW – Room 310, Aitkin, MN 56431**

NAME OF APPLICANT: Becky Joerger

STREET ADDRESS OF APPLICANT:  
36089 Grove Street  
Palisade, MN 56469

PHONE NUMBERS:  
DAYS 218-821-5475  
EVENINGS 218-821-5475

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Date Appointed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Term Expiration: \_\_\_\_\_ Term #: \_\_\_\_\_

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APPLICATION FOR SERVICE ON COUNTY/STATE AGENCY

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NAME OF AGENCY OR COMMITTEE YOU WISH TO SERVE ON:

Extension

AITKIN COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT

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Minnesota Statutes 15.0597, state that the application shall include a "statement that the nominee satisfies any legally prescribed qualifications and any other information the nominating person feels be helpful to the appointing authority." (May include employment, community service experience, or education that would be pertinent to this appointment)

I have ~~been~~ been on the extension committee for many years. I have served on the Aitkin Co. Fair board and am a member of the Palisade Area Lions. I also was a project leader (dog project) in Aitkin Co. for 19 years.

I, the undersigned, hereby state that I satisfy, to the best of my knowledge, all legally prescribed qualifications for the position sought.

  
Signature of Applicant

10-10-20  
Date

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NAME OF APPLICANT: David Carlson

STREET ADDRESS OF APPLICANT:

306 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave.

P.O. Box 133

Palisade, MN 56469

PHONE NUMBERS:

DAYS 218 845-2036

EVENINGS 218 845-2036

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Date Appointed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Term Expiration: \_\_\_\_\_

Term #: \_\_\_\_\_

MINNESOTA OPEN APPOINTMENT ACT  
APPLICATION FOR SERVICE ON COUNTY/STATE AGENCY

NAME OF AGENCY OR COMMITTEE YOU WISH TO SERVE ON:

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Aitkin Co. Extension Committee

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AITKIN COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT 2

Minnesota Statutes 15.0597, state that the application shall include a "statement that the nominee satisfies any legally prescribed qualifications and any other information the nominating person feels be helpful to the appointing authority." (May include employment, community service experience, or education that would be pertinent to this appointment)

Joy worked as Extension Educator for 6 years in Aitkin Co. and Nutrition Educator for Aitkin Co. 16 years. She has served on Aitkin Co. Fair Board for 10 years, Aitkin Lions club for 16 years, Planning and zoning board - 2 terms, Aitkin Co. Board of Adjustments - 2 yrs. St. John's Lutheran Church Finance board, Russian Gulf Support Group co-chain, Aitkin Co. Ext. Com. 2 terms Aitkin Co. Health & Human Services Committee - 2 terms.

I, the undersigned, hereby state that I satisfy, to the best of my knowledge, all legally prescribed qualifications for the position sought.

Joy Janzen  
Signature of Applicant

10-1-2020  
Date

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NAME OF APPLICANT: Joy Janzen

STREET ADDRESS OF APPLICANT:  
36208 Deer St.  
Aitkin, MN. 56431

PHONE NUMBERS:  
DAYS 218-927-6119  
EVENINGS Same

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Date Appointed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Term Expiration: \_\_\_\_\_ Term #: \_\_\_\_\_

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