

DRAFT MINUTES – WFSC SUMMER 2026 EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
Thursday, August 13, 2026, 7:00 p.m.

CONFIRMED ATTENDANCE

Davis
Manka
Stollenwerk
Henkle
Devine
Liedtke
Kowalski
Bowman
Undersander
Riesterer
Lothary

UNABLE TO ATTEND

Trischan
Carney
Weigt

INVITED
Distribution List

- I. CALL TO ORDER (President Gregg Greenwald) 7:03 pm
- II. DISPENSE WITH READING OF MINUTES OF MEETING – June 18, 2026 (Manka/Stollenwerk)
Unanimously approved
- III. TREASURER’S REPORT (Stollenwerk) \$12,807.63 is current balance. Approximately \$700 in receipts recently.
- IV. OLD BUSINESS / GENERAL COMMITTEE AND APPOINTEE REPORTS
 - A. Ad manager report/vacancy (Liedtke/Manka) Lake Country Stamps ad reactivated.
 - B. ATFP Report (Kowalski) The Christmas greeting submissions have barely begun to trickle in, but there's still time before the September 1 deadline. Brian's e-blast should help. Several clubs plan to participate.
 - C. 2026 Wiscopex (Davis, et al) Final report on revenue/expense: Fond du Lac Stamp Club Expenses: \$5196.16. FDL Revenues: \$5791.30. Net Revenue \$595.14. WFSC gained about \$1600 from silent auction and cover sales, with no known expenses. Every Wiscopex held in FDL has made revenue in excess of expenses except for the show cancelled due to covid-19.
 - D. Facebook (Devine) Addition of three new followers brings the total to 99.
 - E. Website (Riesterer) No new information.
- V. NEW BUSINESS
 - A. Wiscopex 2027 and beyond. Lothary will set up a breakfast meeting during Milcopex involving Manka, Stollenwerk, and Davis to discuss the mechanics and issues involved in hosting Wiscopex in Janesville in 2028.
 - B. Stamp-o-rama (Stollenwerk/Liedtke) Seven sets of tables are yet to be requested. The Sheboygan club plans to host Stamp-o-rama in 2027.
 - C. Federation Presence at Milcopex (Weigt/Davis) Stollenwerk will bring Federation materials to Milcopex, including materials from Davis. Davis, Devine, Greenwald, and Liedtke agreed to help Weigt staff the Federation table at Milcopex (2 hr. shifts). Other officers are invited to help. Schedule needs to be coordinated.

Devine will develop cachet designs for the FDC planned for Milcopex. Perhaps 100-200 envelopes will be produced for sale at the show, as there will be multiple cancellations available.

Milcopex plans to commemorate the contributions of Bob Mather to the hobby. Clubs are invited to contribute.

- D. Following Stollenwerk's report on the Minneapolis show, Liedtke suggested inviting Minnesota clubs near Wisconsin to join the Federation, following the lead of clubs in Michigan, Iowa, and Illinois. The Federation is becoming a regional organization.

VI. REGION VP REPORTS

- A. Southwest VP (Lothary) No report.

- B. East Central VP (Manka)

I have generally discussed with each club information about, the 2026 Stamp-O-Rama in Fond du Lac on October 31st, Wiscopec 2027 location in Kenosha, new postal rate changes. Xmas greeting ads for Across the Fence Post, and upcoming Stamp Show.

The Fond du Lac Stamp Club June had APS Circuit Books as the program for June, the club's annual picnic was held at the Clarence Davis home in July. Wayne Younblood will be the club's dealer night and guest speaker at the August meeting. The Fond du Lac Club has a new meeting place, meeting will be held at the YMCA in Fond du Lac

The Kettle Moraine Stamp and Coin club meets on the 1st Thursday of the month at the public library. Discussions on Stamp and coins news are given. Members also have a show and tell on items they bring in to talk about to members

The Sheboygan Stamp Club continues to meet on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month. After a short meeting, the club continues to have an auction of club and members items for sale. After the July meeting the club held a pizza party. The Sheboygan club voted to hold the 2027 Stamp-O-Rama in Sheboygan at the Lakeshore Lanes meeting room. They also voted to have a Xmas ad put in the Across the Fence Post for December.

Wisconsin Postal History Society no information

- C. Northeast VP (Carney)

For the last two weeks I have been helping friends and other with the clean-up from the E-F-3 tornado two weeks ago.

- D. Central VP (Sagstetter) No report.

- E. Southeast VP (Trischan)

The MSDA had its last board meeting in Indianapolis in July and went over the operating budget for 2027. Currently The MSDA is actively looking for a suitable venue in the Chicagoland area as they did not have a show in Chicago in 2026. They are getting ready for the Stateline Show in Kenosha scheduled in October. They have lined up a Postcrossing event for the show. Dates are reserved for 2026 including WISCOPEX in May. The SE clubs continue to do well. The SE WI philatelic community deeply mourns the loss of Bob Mather, who was an integral part of our clubs. They say that no one is irreplaceable, but Bob came close. It's a testimony to his hard work and dedication to the hobby, that whenever he gave up a position or responsibility in his later years, in almost every case more than one person was needed to fill his shoes.

VII. NEXT MEETING DATE (Greenwald) November 10 at 7:00 pm via Zoom

VIII. ADJOURNMENT (Greenwald) (Manka/Lothary) Unanimous 8:26 pm.