

**REPORT FROM THE Stated Clerk, Rev. Nancy Ross-Hullinger
FOR PMRV STATED MEETING – AUGUST 16, 2025**

- A. The Stated Clerk serves as resource to Commission on Ministry, Leadership Team, Commission on Preparation for Ministry, and other Committees as requested.
- B. The Stated Clerk serves on the three-member Administrative Team. This three-member team meets at least once per month.
- C. The Stated Clerk participated in the Synod of Lakes and Prairies Minutes and Registry Review held at Lakeshore Conference Center, Milford, Iowa on Monday and Tuesday, May 7-9, 2025. The 2024 Presbytery minutes and registry were reviewed by colleagues following a self-review by the Stated Clerk and approved by Synod Clerk – Pam Prouty.
- D. Presbytery of Missouri River Valley continues to conduct weekly Zoom meetings for Pastors and Commissioned Pastors currently serving a church. The moderator of this group is Rev. Matt Coplen.
- E. The Stated Clerk attends ASC(Association of Stated Clerks/AMCL (Association of Mid Council Leaders) when able.
- F. Revised record review documents (minutes and rolls) and sent to all clerks along with pairings of clerks to meet together to review each other’s minutes. Records were due July 1 (extended deadline to August 1).
- G. As required by our Standing Rules, annual review of rolls and registers occurred January 1- December 31, 2024. Clerks are required to review registry and minutes annually. Thank you to the clerks who got their minutes/records in on time.

Results of the review are listed below:

1. Minutes approved without exceptions:

- Avoca, United Church
- Bellevue: Anderson Grove
- Bellevue: First
- Carson
- Council Bluffs: Bethany
- Essex
- LaVista, Faith
- Murray
- Oakland
- Church of the Master
- West Hills
- Dundee
- Underwood Hills
- Church of the Cross
- Plattsmouth, First
- Red Oak, First

2. Minutes approved with minor exceptions:

- Carter Lake
- Clarinda: Trinity
- Clarinda: Westminster
- College Springs
- Council Bluffs: Gethsemane
- Council Bluffs: Westminster
- Elkhorn, Peace
- Fort Calhoun
- Faithful Shepherd
- Neola
- Omaha: Discovery
- Shenandoah, First
- Sidney, United Faith
- Villisca

3. No minutes reviewed:

- Council Bluffs: New Horizon
- Hamburg
- Missouri Valley
- Omaha: First
- Omaha: Florence
- Omaha: Hope
- Omaha: Korean
- Omaha: New Life
- Red Oak: Center Ridge
- Shelby
- Walnut

4. Registers approved without exception:

- Avoca, United Church
- Bellevue: Anderson Grove
- Bellevue: First
- Carson
- Carter Lake
- Clarinda: Trinity
- Clarinda: Westminster
- College Springs
- Council Bluffs: Bethany
- Council Bluffs: Gethsemane
- Council Bluffs: Westminster
- Elkhorn, Peace
- Essex
- Fort Calhoun
- LaVista, Faith
- Murray
- Neola
- Oakland Sharon
- Plattsmouth
- Omaha: Church of the Cross
- Omaha: Church of the Master
- Omaha: Discovery
- Omaha: Dundee
- Omaha: Faithful Shepherd
- Omaha: Underwood Hills
- Omaha: West Hills
- Shenandoah
- Sidney
- Villisca

5. No Registry reviewed:

- Hamburg, United Trinity
- Missouri Valley
- Council Bluffs: New Horizon
- Omaha: First
- Omaha: Florence
- Omaha: Hope
- Omaha: New Life
- Omaha: Korean
- Omaha: Mount View
- Red Oak, Center Ridge
- Shelby
- Walnut

6. The following minutes have not been reviewed in at least four years:

- Council Bluffs, New Horizon
- Omaha, Korean

H. A special meeting of the Presbytery was held – July 15, 2025

I. On behalf of the Presbytery on July 28, signed 3 documents in preparation of the Presbytery office going on the market:

- Sellers Estimated Proceeds Statement
- Agency Disclosure Information for Buyers and Sellers
- Commercial Listing Contract for Sale

J. All correspondence has been answered or forwarded, as needed.

K. COM ACTION ITEMS:

- **May 27**
 - Approved Interim Pastor Quarterly Reports
 - Approved Reverend Gary Eller Exit Report
 - Approved Reverend Gary Eller to labor outside the bounds of Missouri River Valley Presbytery to serve First Presbyterian Church of Bristol, TN, Holston Presbytery, PC(USA)
 - Dismissed from COM, with gratitude, the Reverend Gary Eller (David moved)
 - Approved Rev. Richard Meyer to moderate the Session meeting of First Presbyterian Church Omaha on Thursday, June 12th 2025 at 6:30pm.
- **June 24**
 - Approved CRE Report by Al Zimmerman
 - Approved Reverend Richard Meyer to moderate any additional Session meetings of First Presbyterian Church Omaha until August 1, 2025
 - Discussed & approved moving forward with a temporary pastoral relationship form for Rev. Laura Rasmussen and her relationship with Shenandoah/Essex Presbyterian Church (hybrid format via internet)
 - Approved Jay Cline to Moderate Shenandoah/Essex Presbyterian Church during the absence of Laura Rasmussen.
- **No July meeting**

L. CPM ACTION ITEMS:

- **July 26**
 - Approved Tim Owen RE from First Presbyterian Church, Shenandoah Iowa to enter the Lay Academy.
 - Approved candidate Regina Jeanpierre-Bryant for Chaplaincy training in lieu of CPE, Brian Long will mentor her through this process.