

March 11, 2026

At 7:00 PM, on Wednesday, March 11, 2026, the Brown County Board of Commissioners met in Room #B11 of the Brown County Law Enforcement located in New Ulm, Minnesota, 56073. Commissioners present were David Borchert, Anton Berg, Scott Windschitl, Brian Braun and Jeff Veerkamp, along with County Administrator Sam Hansen and Chief Deputy Attorney Dan Kalk.

Call to Order

1. Chairman Windschitl called to order the Special Meeting at 7:00 PM. All present said the Pledge of Allegiance.

Agenda Review

2. A motion was offered by Commissioner Berg, and was seconded by Commissioner Borchert, to accept the printed agenda. This motion duly carried.

Convene Public Hearing

3. At 7:01 PM, Chairman Windschitl convened the Shotgun Regulation Public Hearing in the LEC Training Room located in the Brown County Law Enforcement Center in New Ulm, Minnesota. Commissioners Borchert, Berg, Braun, Windschitl and Veerkamp were in attendance, along with County Administrator Hansen. Also in attendance were 79 members of the public, and 25 provided public comment. Media representative, Fritz Busch, was also present.

Correspondence and petitions received as part of the public hearing record.

After a lengthy discussion and a show of hands, 32 members in attendance supported remaining shotgun only, and 23 supported allowing rifles.

At 8:52 PM, a motion was offered by Commissioner Berg, and was seconded by Commissioner Borchert, to close Public Hearing.

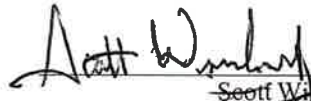
Adjournment

There being no further business, Chairman Windschitl declared the Meeting adjourned at 8:52 PM.

Notice

This is a Special Meeting of the Brown County Board of Commissioners.

Special Meeting Location: Law Enforcement Center (LEC) Training Room, 15 S. Washington St., Room #B11, New Ulm, MN 56073



Scott Windschitl, Chair
Board of Brown County Commissioners
Brown County, Minnesota

ATTEST:


Sam Hansen
Brown County Administrator
Brown County, Minnesota