

## 2012 COMMITTEE LISTING - KOOCHICHING COUNTY

**BOARD CHAIR** Commissioner Brian McBride  
**VICE CHAIR** Commissioner Mike Hanson

### A.E.O.A.

Kevin Adee, Co Board 3176 Co. Rd. 24 Int'l Falls, 56649  
Terry Murray, KCCS Director Forestland Annex

### Airport Commission (By Joint Powers):

Brian McBride, Co Board 2311 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave E Int'l Falls, 56649  
Wade Pavleck, Co Board P.O. Box 1253 Int'l Falls, 56649  
Bob Anderson, At Large Member (2 years commencing 1/2009)

### AMC Members - County Board and Department Heads:

Wade Pavleck P.O. Box 1253 Int'l Falls, 56649  
Kevin Adee 3176 Co. Rd. 24 Int'l Falls, 56649  
Brian McBride 2311 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave E Int'l Falls, 56649  
Rob Ecklund 4647 Highway 11 Intl Falls, 56649  
Mike Hanson 1740 Co. Rd 86 N Birchdale, 56629  
Bob Peterson (Auditor) Courthouse Int'l Falls, 56649  
Doug Grindall (Engineer) Courthouse Annex Int'l Falls, 56649  
Terry Murray (KCCS Director) Forestland Annex Intl Falls, 56649  
(NACO Environmental Committee Representative - Wade Pavleck)

### AMC SUB COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL SERVICES:

Kevin Adee 3176 Co. Rd. 24 Int'l Falls, 56649

### AMC SUB-COMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT:

Rob Ecklund 4647 Highway 11 Intl Falls, 56649

### AMC SUB-COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT/NATURAL RESOURCES:

Wade Pavleck P.O. Box 1253 Int'l Falls, 56649  
(Includes Appointment to NACO Environment, Energy and Land Use Steering Committee)

### AMC SUB-COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION/AGRICULTURE:

Brian McBride 2311 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave E Int'l Falls, 56649  
Doug Grindall Engineer(alt) Courthouse Annex Int'l Falls, 56649

### ARDC Board of Directors:

Wade Pavleck (reappointed 2010/11-18) Int'l Falls, 56649  
\*\*Nomination by Board Action due to levy authority  
(monthly - 3rd Thursday in Duluth)

### ARDC Commission - Levy Authority, Brd Appointment

Kevin Adee - Township Representative - Appointed Dec 2003  
Wade Pavleck - Co Board  
(meets quarterly)

### ARDC Regional Transportation Advisory Committee:

Doug Grindall, Engineer Courthouse Annex

### AREA Transportation Partnership:

Kevin Adee - Co Board 3176 Co. Rd. 24 Int'l Falls, 56649 5  
Wade Pavleck (township rep) P.O. Box 1253 Int'l Falls, 56649

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Doug Grindall (eng rep) Courthouse Annex Int'l Falls, 56649

**ATP Steering Committee:**

Doug Grindall - Highway Engineer

**Arrowhead Counties Association:**

Rob Ecklund - Co Board 4647 Highway 11 Intl Falls, 56649  
Wade Pavleck, Co Board/Alternate  
(generally 1/month on 3rd Wed - leg. session)

**Arrowhead Regional Library - By Statute:**

Rob Ecklund - Co Board 4647 Highway 11 Intl Falls, 56649  
Charles Lepper, citizen/Alternate  
(Board Motion 2010/09-25)  
(Term July 1, 2010 to July 1, 2013)

**Arrowhead Regional Corrections Board - By Joint Powers:**

Wade Pavleck -Co Board P.O. Box 1253 Int'l Falls, 56649  
Brian McBride - Co Board/Alternate 2311 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave E Int'l Falls, 56649

**Beaver Removal Committee:**

Dennis Hummitzsch - Land Commissioner  
Doug Grindall - Highway Engineer

**Big Falls Fire District:**

Mike Hanson 1740 Co. Rd. 86 N Birchdale, 56629

**Big Fork River Board:**

Mike Hanson - Co Board 1740 Co. Rd. 86 N Birchdale, 56629  
Kevin Adee - Co Board 3176 Co. Rd. 24 Int'l Falls, 56649  
Vacant  
Shawn Pritchard  
Wally Pritchard Alternate

**Birchdale Fire District:**

Mike Hanson 1740 Co. Rd. 86 N Birchdale, 56629

**Blackduck Ambulance Service:**

Mike Hanson 1740 Co. Rd. 86 N Birchdale, 56629  
Linda Dreher  
Wayne Skoe, Alternate

**Board of Adjustment - By Zoning Ordinance and Statute:**

John Kalstad 3083 Co Rd 125 Intl Falls, 56649  
Mike Lemieux, Chair PO Box 124 Int'l Falls, 56649  
Jerry Franzen 2914 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue E. Intl Falls, 56649  
Ted Frederickson P.O. Box 865 Intl Falls, 56649  
\*\* Joseph Prettyman P.O. Box 71 Intl Falls, 56649  
\*\* appointed by Planning Commission

**Border Issues:**

Mike Hanson 1740 Co. Rd. 86 N Birchdale, 56629  
Wade Pavleck P.O. Box 1253 Intl Falls, 56649

**Car Pool:**

Terry Glowack - Complex Superintendent  
Walt Buller - Highway Foreman

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Bob Peterson - Auditor/Treasurer  
Len Peterson - Assessor  
Terry Murray - Community Service  
Susan Congrave - Public Health  
Bobbie Sivonen- KCCS  
Doug Grindall - Engineer  
Ann Scholler - Administration  
Kevin Adee - Co Board  
Rob Ecklund - Co Board

**Comparable Worth Committee - County Board:**

Wade Pavleck	P.O. Box 1253	Int'l Falls, 56649
Kevin Adee	3176 Co. Rd. 24	Int'l Falls, 56649
Brian McBride	2311 2 <sup>nd</sup> Ave E	Int'l Falls, 56649
Mike Hanson	1740 Co. Rd. 86 N	Birchdale, 56629
Rob Ecklund	4647 Highway 11	Intl Falls, 56649

(approves all comp worth changes)

**Con Con Citizens Committee: NO TERMS APPROVED**

Mike Hanson - Co Board	1740 Co. Rd. 86 N	Birchdale, 56629
Kevin Adee - Co Board	3176 Co. Rd. 24	Int'l Falls, 56649
Dennis Monrean (alt)		
Etta Erickson	Williams	
Alvin Hasbargen (alt)		
Ralph Lewis (chair)	Sault	
Linda Lafky	Williams	
Denton Hasbargen	Murphy	
Kris Berthiume (alt)		
Dan Zimney	Non Resident Land Owner	
Soren Olesen	Sault	
Gary Swenson	Murphy	

**Cook Area Health Services:**

Mike Hanson, Co Board	1740 Co. Rd. 86 N	Birchdale, 56629
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**Drug Court Steering Committee**

Rob Ecklund, Board member

**East Kooch Sewer Commission:**

Al Steele		
Duane Sjoblom	3173 Co Rd 20	Int'l Falls, 56649
Jeff Klow 2008/09-09	3044 Co Rd 125	Int'l Falls, 56649
Waldon Shold	3059 Twn Rd 278	Int'l Falls, 56649
Don Billig, Chair	3197 Co Rd 20	Int'l Falls, 56649
Brian McBride, Co Board	2311 2 <sup>nd</sup> Ave E	Int'l Falls, 56649
Raoul Lufbery - Jackfish Sewer	1901 Twn Rd 274	Int'l Falls, 56649
Dave Austin - Jackfish Sewer	2692 Co Rd 103	Int'l Falls, 56649

**Emergency Management:**

Sheriff Brian Youso, Manager  
Bob Byman, Assistant

**Extension Committee:**

Phyllis Karsnia	2224 Co Rd 140	Int'l Falls, 56649
Linda Dreher	10831 CR 6	Mizpah, 56660
Rosemund Kucera, Chair	3674 CR 145	Int'l Falls, 56649
Lynn Belanger	3782 Town Road 243	Intl Falls, 56649

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Shirley Ettestad	P.O. Box 45	Ranier, 56668
Monty Saeland	3785 Town Road 243	Intl Falls, 56649
Bob Peterson - Auditor/Treas		
Brian McBride, Co Board		
Mike Hanson - Co Board		
Rob Ecklund, Co Board Alt		

**Family Service Collaborative - Joint Powers Board:**

Mike Hanson - Co Board	1740 Co. Rd. 86 N	Birchdale, 56629
Brian McBride - Co Board	2311 2 <sup>nd</sup> Ave E	Int'l Falls, 56649
Terry Murray, KCCS Director		
Susan Congrave, Public Health Director		

**Fence Viewing - County Board (By Statute):**

Wade Pavleck	P.O. Box 1253	Intl Falls, 56649
Kevin Adee	3176 Co. Rd. 24	Int'l Falls, 56649

**Highway 11 West Task Force:**

Mike Hanson - Co Board  
Rob Ecklund - Co Board  
Brian McBride - Co Board/alternate  
Highway Engineer

**Hwy 53 Four Lane Task Force:**

Wade Pavleck - County Board  
Brian McBride - County Board;

**Housing Authority:**

Jim Palm	02-21-06	Loman, MN
Marlys Hanson	11/15/05	Mizpah, MN
Delmer Anderson, Sec/Treas	3-1-01	Northome, 56661
Lorraine Nygaard	Reappointed 11/09	Big Falls, 56627
Mary Kolh	1-1-98	Northome 56661
Ashley Germain	1-1-09	Intl Falls 56649

\*\*one appointed by Co. Bd. each year, terms of 5 years

**Insurance Committee:**

Lynn Salo, Community Service Union  
Lynette Rousseau, Courthouse Union  
Nancy Lee, Non Union Hourly  
Bob Peterson, Elected  
Terry Murray, Non-Union  
Steve Blair, Highway Union  
John Kalstad, LEC Union  
Teresa Jaksa, Administration  
Sherri Promersberger, Administration

**Interagency Early Intervention Committee by Statute 125A.30:**

Rob Ecklund - Co Board	4647 Highway 11	Intl Falls, 56649
Nancy Lee, Public Health Nurse		

**Jobs and Training:**

Kevin Adee - Co Board	3176 Co. Rd. 24	Int'l Falls, 56649
(2nd Thursday each month in Virginia)		

**Joint Powers Natural Resources Board:**

Mike Hanson - Co Board	1740 Co. Rd. 86 N	Birchdale, 56629
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Kevin Adee - Co Board/Alternate 3176 Co. Rd. 24 Int'l Falls, 56649  
(meets as needed in Bemidji)

**Joint Powers the Northeast Minnesota Regional Radio Board**

Kevin Adee, - Co Board 4647 Highway 11 Intl Falls, 56649  
Brian McBride - Co Board/Alternate

**KEDA - Economic Development Authority:**

Mike Hanson 1740 Co. Rd 86 N Birchdale, 56629  
Wade Pavleck P.O. Box 1253 Intl Falls, 56649  
Kevin Adee Alt 3176 Co. Rd. 24 Int'l Falls, 56649  
Remaining Board Members also alternates 2000/09-46

**Koochiching Community Development Association (City/County Ec Devlp Partnership under Joint Powers Agreement)**

Rob Ecklund - Co Board 4647 Highway 11 Intl Falls, 56649

**KOOTASCA Board of Directors:**

Rob Ecklund - Co Board 4647 Highway 11 Intl Falls, 56649

**KOOCHICHING AGING OPTIONS BOARD:**

Kevin Adee - Co Board 3176 Co. Rd. 24 Int'l Falls, 56649  
Mike Hanson - Co Board/Alternate

**Laurentian R&C:**

Kevin Adee -Co Board 3176 Co. Rd. 24 Int'l Falls, 56649  
Mike Hanson - Co Board/Alternate 1740 Co. Rd 86 N Birchdale, 56629

**Law Library Board:**

Brian McBride - Co Board 2311 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave E Int'l Falls, 56649  
Wade Pavleck - Co Board/Alternate

**License Committee:**

Jeff Naglosky - Attorney Courthouse Int'l Falls, 56649  
Brian Youso - Sheriff Courthouse Int'l Falls, 56649  
Rob Ecklund - Co Board 4647 Highway 11 Intl Falls, 56649  
Kevin Adee - Co Board 3176 Co. Rd. 24 Int'l Falls, 56649  
Stephen Blair - E.S. Dept Courthouse Intl Falls, 56649  
Ann Scholler - Adm Asst

**Littlefork Ambulance District:**

Wade Pavleck - Co Board P.O. Box 1253 Int'l Falls, 56649

**Littlefork/Loman Fire District:**

Wade Pavleck Co Board - Littlefork P.O. Box 1253 Intl Falls, 56649  
Mike Hanson Co Board - Loman 1740 Co. Rd. 86 N Birchdale, 56629

**Management Committee:**

Rob Ecklund - Co Board 4647 Highway 11 Intl Falls, 56649  
Wade Pavleck - Co Board P.O. Box 1253 Int'l Falls, 56649  
Teresa Jaksa, Adm Director  
Terry Glowack, Complex Superintendent

**MCIS Board Representatives:**

I.S. Manager Jaci Nagle  
Alternate - Vacant

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**MCIT Representative:**

Auditor/Treasurer Bob Peterson  
Alternate: Mike Hanson

**MNDot Enhancement Committee:**

Wade Pavleck - Co Board P.O. Box 1253 Int'l Falls, 56649

**MN Rural Counties Caucus Board**

Mike Hanson - Co Board 1740 Co. Rd 86 N Birchdale, 56629  
Brian McBride Co Board/alternate 2311 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave E Int'l Falls, 56649

**Mental Health Advisory Board:**

Kevin Adee - Co Board 3176 Co. Rd. 24 Int'l Falls, 56649  
Jenell Feller  
Susan Congrave - Health Director  
Joan Christianson  
Jane Besch  
Tracy Lunser  
Nancy Johnson  
Jean Evens  
Jerry Kantor  
Kathy LaFrance, Soc Service Supervisor  
Brad Kokesh  
Brandi Hastings  
(quarterly at Hardwig House)

**Negotiation Committee:**

One County Board Member, Administration Director and designated Negotiator to represent the County Board in Bargaining Unit Contract and non-union employee group negotiations. Brian McBride - County Board

**NE MN Housing Consortium Advisory Committee:**

Mike Hanson 1740 Co. Rd. 86 N. Birchdale, 56629  
(meets 2 times per year)  
Brian McBride, Alternate

**NE Waste Administrators Council (NEWAC):**

Wade Pavleck  
Dale Olson, E.S. Director  
Alternate: Rob Ecklund

**Northern Counties Land Use Coordinating Board:**

Brian McBride - Co Board 2311 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave E Int'l Falls, 56649  
Wade Pavleck - Co Board P.O. Box 1253 Intl Falls, 56649  
Rob Ecklund - Co Board/Alternate 4647 Highway 11 Intl Falls, 56649  
Dale Olson - Environmental Service Director

**Northland Counseling Committee:**

Wade Pavleck  
Nancy Johnson  
(3rd Thursday in Grand Rapids)

**Northome Fire District Advisory Board:**

Mike Hanson 1740 Co. Rd. 86 N Birchdale, 56629



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Dennis Hummitzsch - L&F  
John Polkinghorne - Courthouse Rep

**Island View Sewer Committee:**

Jay Mitchell, Tom Dougherty, Raoul Lufbery, Dave Austin, Don Billig, Chopper McBride, John Bruggeman, Ted Brokaw, Wade Pavleck - Co Board, Brian McBride - Co Board, Highway Engineer, E.S. Director, Survey Technician, Zoning Technician

**Soil and Water District Board:**

Kevin Adee - Co Board 3176 Co. Rd. 24 Int'l Falls, 56649  
Mike Hanson - Co Board/Alternate 1740 Co. Rd. 86 N Birchdale, 56629

**Solid Waste Advisory Committee:**

Rob Ecklund - Co Board 4647 Highway 11 Intl Falls, 56649  
Kevin Adee - Co Board 3176 Co. Rd. 24 Int'l Falls, 56649  
Vacant  
Marc Windsness  
Jim Fiedler  
Catherine Crawford Int'l Falls, 56649  
Allen Linder Int'l Falls, 56649  
Einar Sundin, Chair  
Wade Friend

**Survey Committee:**

Dennis Hummitzsch - Land Commissioner  
Doug Grindall - Highway Engineer  
Pam Rooney - Recorder  
Teresa Jaksa - Adm Director  
Wade Pavleck - Co Board P.O. Box 1253 Int'l Falls, 56649  
Dale Olson, E.S. Director  
Len Peterson, Assessor

**Tri County Public Health Services Board:**

Brian McBride - Co Board 2311 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave E Int'l Falls, 56649  
Mike Hanson - Co Board/Alternate 1740 Co. Rd. 86 N Birchdale, 56629  
Phyllis Karsnia 2224 Co Rd 140 Intl Falls, 56649  
(meets 2nd Thursday even numbered months)  
(Board motion 2001/01-33 appoints Hanson and Karsnia for 3-Year Term starting

**Wetland Technical Advisory Committee**

Dale Olson - E.S. Director  
Justin Berg-- Soil/Water  
Steve Blair - Zoning Technician  
BWSR Representative  
DNR Representative  
Army Corp Representative

**WCA Technical Evaluation Panel - Mandated/Different from WTAC**

Steve Blair, Zoning Technician  
Justin Berg, S/W Technician  
BWSR Representative  
DNR Representative (If Shoreland is involved)

**Wetland Credit Bank Committee:**

Dennis Hummitzsch, Land Commissioner

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Doug Grindall, County Engineer  
Justin Berg, SWCD  
Dale Olson, E.S. Director  
Wade Pavleck, County Board  
Rob Ecklund, County Board

**Williams Fire District:**

Mike Hanson - Co Board                      1740 Co. Rd. 86 N                      Birchdale, 56629

**VNP Planning/VNP Government Task Force:**

Wade Pavleck - County Board  
Brian McBride - County Board

**Voyageurs Destination Gateway Communities:**

Rob Ecklund - County Board

**KOOCHICHING DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY APPOINTMENTS - 2012**

**KDA CHAIR      Commissioner Mike Hanson**

**KDA VICE CHAIR Commissioner Kevin Adee**

**KDA Projects:**

Peat Project: Mike Hanson - KDA Board

RECAP Project: Mike Hanson - KDA Board

Cold Weather Testing: Wade Pavleck & Mike Hanson/KDA Board - see KEDA

**KOOCHICHING COUNTY**  
**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**2012**

**DISTRICT 1**

Wade Pavleck  
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International Falls, MN 56649  
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(888) 819-6880 Cell Phone  
[wade.carol@frontier.com](mailto:wade.carol@frontier.com)

**DISTRICT 2**

Kevin Adee  
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[Kevin.Adee@co.koochiching.mn.us](mailto:Kevin.Adee@co.koochiching.mn.us)

**DISTRICT 3**

Brian McBride, **Board Chair**  
2311 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue East  
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**DISTRICT 4**

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**DISTRICT 5**

Michael Hanson, **Vice Chair**  
1740 Co. Rd. 86 N  
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