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Lakeland Care District Holds Manitowoc Public Hearing

Members, family members, guardians, providers and others invited to speak to the Board

(Manitowoc) -- The Lakeland Care District's (LCD) Board of Directors has announced the District will hold a Public Hearing on Wednesday, May 20 at the LCD's Manitowoc office located at 3415 Custer Street, Suite C. The public hearing will begin at 4 p.m. and continue until at least 4:30 or until all who wish to comment are heard.

In operation since 2010, the Lakeland Care District provides Family Care long-term care supports and services to frail elders and people with disabilities living in Calumet, Manitowoc, Fond du Lac, Outagamie, Waupaca and Winnebago Counties. In June, the LCD will begin implementing Family Care in the remaining counties in Northeastern Wisconsin including Brown, Door, Kewaunee, Marinette, Menominee, Oconto and Shawano Counties.

The Lakeland Care District is governed by a 9-member Board of Directors that regularly solicits feedback from those who receive its Family Care services and other stakeholders, through a Public Comment section on its monthly meeting agenda. On May 20, the Board has dedicated additional meeting time for a Public Hearing in Manitowoc. Similar meetings will be held in June and July in Oshkosh and Fond du Lac, respectively.

More information about the Lakeland Care District and Family Care can be found on the District's website at: www.lakelandcaredistrict.org. Anyone seeking information about available resources to assist the elderly or people with disabilities, or about eligibility for Family Care services, should contact their local Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC). ADRCs are available in all Wisconsin counties; to find the one serving you please go to the following website address: https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/adrc/consumer/index.htm.

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