

January 3, 2017, general meeting

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Approximately Minute 1:00:46

Unofficial transcript: "...I also wanted to have a discussion about being open and fair to refugees and immigrants. While I'm not going to propose that on the agenda, there are certain things called safe sanctuary cities, there's only a few counties throughout the nation that have gone to that position, but we're probably all aware that the local St. Patrick's Church, we just heard from the priest with his wonderful message today, is having, had discussions about being the sponsoring organization for a number of Syrian refugees. And that became quite a controversial issue; but tonight at 6:30, if you would care to learn more about this issue and participate in the discussion, I invite you to attend with me at 6:30 at the St. Patrick's Church to kind of have your say about this and listen and learn about the issue. So what we as a county might decide to say politically and ethically on this issue, again maybe not the next month's agenda, but I think it should be part of our discussion if we're setting policy for our community. ..."

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St. Croix County Board of Supervisors meeting, February 7, 2017

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Public comments are at the beginning, Sjoberg comments are at the end of the meeting about 3:10:00

*(unofficial, partial transcript)*

*Sjoberg: ... The second announcement. With respect to what this public institution should do or say about our documented and undocumented population and potential refugees that may reside in the county, the matter remains under study. Presently, there is no organized group of county officials or staff examining this issue. Any movement on this subject will be handled in compliance with our state's open meeting laws, and the subject matter may be one for our HHS or for public protection or for the Administration Committee to consider. Third, on the subject that I raised at the last meeting of the living wage ordinance like the one that's in Eau Claire County, that would be placed on the agenda for the Administration Committee if and when it comes up. ...*

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