

MEETING MINUTES

Daggett County Conservation District
Regular Meeting, Wednesday, July 10, 2024
Location: Daggett County Courthouse

ATTENDANCE:

Conservation District (CD):

Bryan Smith, Chair
Steve Forbes, Supervisor
Kolby Hullinger, Treasurer
Hugh Straatman, Supervisor

Conservation Partners Representatives:

Darrell Gillman, UDAF

County Partners:

Matt Tippetts, County Commissioner

SUMMARY OF CONSERVATION DISTRICT ACTION

MEETING – CALL TO ORDER

Chair Bryan Smith called the meeting to order at 12:00 pm.

APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES

The supervisors reviewed the July 10 Board Meeting minutes. **Action Item: Kolby motioned to approve the minutes. Hugh seconded the motion. Voting unanimously approved the motion.**

SUPERVISOR REPORTS

Bryan reported that the drill had been picked up and arrived in Manila. He brought it to the meeting for board members to see. May need to come up with a new fee for drill use. Discussed the option of keeping both drills for landowners to have options.

Steve reported that he has applied for the Soil Health grant and we now need to complete the federal entity registration in order to receive any money from the grant as there is federal money involved. Betsy will register the entity.

GUEST BUSINESS

The board discussed the possibility of purchasing seed for the gun range and are tentatively planning to purchase two different types of seed, Wheatgrass and Forage Kochia. September purchase for October planting may be a good plan.

FINANCE UPDATE

Betsy brought the budget report and reported on the current bank balance and all was

in order. As previously agreed upon, Bryan was reimbursed an amount of \$151.00 by the board for picking up the drill.

SERA

Discussed the two upcoming field days, and Steve motioned to approve for reimbursement expenses related to attending the Farrier meetup on July 19

SCOPE OF WORK

Discussed the option to modify Scope of Work for FY25, and after discussion Steve motioned to retain and roll over the existing Scope of Work for the new year and was seconded by Kolby.

PARTNER REPORTS

FSA

NRCS

USU

UCC

Darrell reported on the UCC Tour that took place in June. The tour took them to Morgan and Chalk Creek in Coalville to observe successful conservation efforts.

UACD

UGIP

FOREST SERVICE

DAGGETT COUNTY

Commissioner Tippetts brought up that the crickets are on their way over the mountain and asked what can be done. Darrell explained that landowner applications for government assistance are available, but may not be possible to implement a solution on a larger scale.

Meeting adjourned by Chair Smith at 1:20 PM

MEETING MINUTES
Daggett County Weed Board
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ATTENDANCE:

Conservation District (CD):

Bryan Smith, Chair
Steve Forbes, Supervisor
Kolby Hullinger, Treasurer
Hugh Straatman, Supervisor

Conservation Partners Representatives:

Darrell Gillman, UDAF

County Partners:

Matt Tippetts, County Commissioner

SUMMARY OF WEED BOARD ACTION
MEETING–CALL TO ORDER

Commissioner Matt Tippetts called the meeting to order at 1:20 PM

APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES

The supervisors reviewed the June 12 minutes. **Action Item: Chair Smith motioned to approve the minutes seconded by Steve and the motion carried.**

FINANCIAL REPORT

Fund 80 for the weed department is now negative, but new payments from the grant will be coming soon. New grants awarded this year will total more money than last year's grants.

WEED BUSINESS

Matt reported that the employees are working well, doing a great job spraying around the county.

Kolby motioned to adjourn the meeting and Hugh second. Meeting was adjourned at 1:30 PM.