

MEETING MINUTES
DELTA CONSERVATION DISTRICT MEETING
and
3rd Grade Farm Field Day
Wednesday, October 9, 2024
MILLARD COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE
LOCATION: DELTA, UTAH

ATTENDANCE:

SUPERVISORS: Klint Atkinson, Brandon Anderson, Jared Bryan, and Jim Withers

Clerk: Stacey Lake

Utah Department of Agriculture and Food (UDAF): Tracy Balch

Natural Resource Conservation Services (NRCS): unable to attend

Millard County – USU Extension: unable to attend

Millard County Commissioner Trevor Johnson: unable to attend.

DELTA CD MEETING – CALL TO ORDER

Brandon Anderson called the meeting to order at **12:30 p.m.**

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT ACTIONS

Approval of September 5, 2024, meeting minutes. -Page 1

Approval of current financials. -Page 1

Approval to pay for the UACD Auxiliary Quilt Tickets. -2

Adjourn at 12:45 p.m. Page -2

Meeting Minutes

- a) September 5, 2024, meeting minutes were reviewed.

Klint Atkinson motioned to accept these meeting minutes for September 5, 2024. Jared Bryan seconded.

Motion approved unanimous.

Financial:

- a) Current financials were reviewed by the board. **Jared Bryan motioned to accept the current financials.**

Klint Atkinson seconded. Motion approved unanimous.

Board Business:

- a) The 3rd Grade Farm Field Day was held today. The agenda is attached. Students arrived and had lunch. Students and teachers participated in the Farming in a Glove activity. Students were treated with gifts from Double J Dairy, Dairy West, and UDAF. The Delta FFA students came to assist with the activity.
- Mrs. Rhoads, her 21 students, and one volunteer
 - Mrs. Morgan and her 24 students
 - Mrs. Bundy, her 22 students, and one volunteer
 - Mrs. Dutson and her 23 students
 - Mrs. Christensen and her 23 students
 - Mrs. Rawlinson and her 20 students
 - Ms. Duncan
 - FFA students: Robert Harrison, Baylee Kolste, Laci Walker, and Magley Borwegen
 - Bus Drivers: Jolene Peterson, Tracy Anderson, and Molly Sessions
 - Delta CD: Klint Atkinson, Brandon Anderson, Jared Bryan, Jim Withers, and Stacey Lake
 - UDAF: Tracy Balch

- b) Reminders of the upcoming UACD Convention in St. George, UT. It will be November 6-7, 2024. Encouragement to sign up and attend. There will be good speakers attending. Agenda attached.
- c) UACD Auxiliary Quilt tickets are \$50. Stacey will make sure they are prepared and mailed.
Jim Withers motioned to pay \$50 for the UACD Auxiliary Quilt Tickets. Klint Atkinson seconded. Motion approved unanimous.
- d) Reminder of the NACD Convention on February 8-12, 2025, in SLC, UT
- e) Reminders of the Soil Health Workshop on October 24, 2024, in Ogden, UT. www.utahsoilhealth.org
- f) There are some Gopher Machine rental checks to pick up at Oasis Seed.
- g) The UACD Convention will be held on November 6-7, 2024, in St. George. The Delta CD's November 7th meeting will be canceled so that supervisors may attend the UACD Convention.
- h) The Delta CD's December 5th meeting will be canceled. We will reconvene on January 2, 2025.

UDAF Business: Tracy Balch

NRCS: unable to attend

Commissioner Business: unable to attend.

Extension Service Business: unable to attend

DELTA CD – VOLUNTEER TIME

Brandon Anderson: 3 hours -Drain/Water

Klint Atkinson: 3 hours -Drainage/Water

Jared Bryan: 4 hours -Drain/Water

Jim Withers: 3 hours - Drain

Klint Atkinson motioned to adjourn the meeting at 12:45 p.m. Jared Bryan seconded. Motion approved unanimous.

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3rd Grade Farm Field Day

Wednesday, October 9, 2024

10:30 - 11:30 Set up tables

11:45 Students arrive

11:45-12:00 Unload students & lunches

12:00-12:45 Serve lunch

12:45- 1:45 Farming in a Glove

1:45 Dairy West Treats

1:45 - 2:00 Students load on buses

2:15-3:00 Delta CD Meeting

Millard County Extension Office

83 S Manzanita Ave

Delta, UT 84624

Wednesday, November 6

7:00 - 10:00 a.m.	Registration in Lobby	
7:30 - 8:25 a.m.	Attendee Breakfast	Garden Room
8:30 - 9:00 a.m.	General Session Welcome - Michael Larson, President UACD	Ballroom A
9:00 - 9:15 a.m.	President's Report - Michael Larson Stewardship & Auxiliary Report - Karen Smart	
9:15 - 9:45 a.m.	Measuring Soil Health - Brian Dougherty Understanding Ag	
9:45 - 10:30 a.m.	Keynote Speaker - Michelle Miller The Farm Babe	
10:30 - 11:00 a.m.	Break	Lobby
11:00 - 11:20 a.m.	Depletion and Diversion Savings - Burdett Barker Utah State University	
11:20 - 1:40 a.m.	UDAF Update - Commissioner Craig Butters Utah Department of Agriculture and Food	
11:40 - 12:00 p.m.	NRCS Update - Emily Fife, State Conservationist Natural Resource Conservation Services	
12:00 - 1:30 p.m.	Partner Awards Lunch	Garden Room
1:30 - 1:50 p.m.	Water Task Force legislative updates Director Joel Ferry, Department of Natural Resources	Ballroom A
1:50 - 2:50	Legislative Panel Natural Resource Interim/Standing Committee Invited	
2:50 - 3:00	UACD Update - Kristy Davis, Executive Director Utah Association of Conservation Districts	
3:00 - 4:30 p.m.	Standing Committees, Business & Resolutions: Water Resources Land Use	Sunbrook A Sunbrook B
7:00 p.m.	Auxiliary Auction - <i>Doors open at 6:30 - Ice cream Sunday Bar</i>	Garden Room

Thursday, November 7

7:00 - 10:00 a.m.	Registration in Lobby	
7:30 - 8:25 a.m.	Attendee Breakfast	Garden Room
8:30 a.m.	Auxiliary Activity - Hilton Garden Inn	
8:30 - 9:00 a.m.	UACD Business Session Financial Report - Kristy Davis Resolution Action - Mike Larson Elections - Kerry Cook	Ballroom A
9:00 - 9:20 a.m.	Urban Agriculture - James Loomis Wasatch Community Gardens	
9:20 - 9:40 a.m.	Ag Tourism and Community Supported Ag - Heather Carter, Nature Hills	
9:40 - 10:00 a.m.	AgVIP and STAR - Katie Slebodnick, UDAF	
10:00 - 10:45 a.m.	Break - Sponsored by Western Ag Credit	
10:45 - 11:10 a.m.	GSL Sentinel Landscape Designation - Tyler Smith	
11:10 - 11:40 a.m.	Zone Presentation	
Breakouts 11:40 - 12:15 p.m.	Supervisor Training Rollout Desiree Van Dyke, UACD	Sunbrook A
	Intro to Farm Succession Planning Jeremy Christensen, UDAF	Sunbrook B
	UACD Awards Lunch	Garden Room
2:30 - 3:30 p.m.	Red Hills Desert Gardens Tour 375 E. Red Hills Parkway, St. George, UT 84770 <i>Stop on your way out of town. Carpool sign up is at Registration Desk.</i>	
	Auxiliary Breakfast & Program	
8:30 - 12:00 a.m.	Business Appetizer and snacks you'll fall for! Simple ways to update your home.	Hilton Garden Inn Lobby