

DUNN COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT

REGULAR BOARD MEETING

July 2, 2018

Meeting attended by Larry Knudsvig, Alex Lazorenko, Chad Dahlen, Lenci Sickler. Casey Gjermundson, Suzi Tuhy, Kaylee Stein and Shasta Patterson.

The Dunn County Soil Conservation District June 4th meeting was called to order by Chairman Larry Knudsvig at 10:10am

Shasta gave her Secretary report

*Lenci made a motion to approve the minutes from the June meeting, Chad seconded, all aye, M/C.

Shasta gave her treasurers report of financials

*Alex made a motion to approve the financials seconded by Casey, all aye, M/C

Shasta handed out copies of her and Kaylee's timesheets.

*Chad made a motion to approve the time sheets, seconded by Lenci, all aye, M/C

NDSU EXTENSION:

Greg Benz was not able to attend the meeting.

SPRING CREEK WATERSHED:

No one attended from Mercer County. Shasta and Kaylee went to Mercer County office after several attempts to go to their office to make copies. There was a few unexpected copies and projects. Kaylee went over the plans with the board. Kaylee needs to make a few phone calls because when they went on their visits last week. One producer had cows in.

OLD BUSINESS:

Achievement Winner- Everything is done up to date. We need to set up a date to go out and take pictures of the family. Shasta and Kaylee are planning to go out within the month of July.

Employee: Shasta has put the ads in the Dickinson Press, Dunn County Herald, and the advertiser. Also on facebook. We have had several applicants sign up on facebook. Shasta messages them to request an email to send the original application and they can send their resumes. We have had no response from those. We have 2 applicants as of today. We will stop the ads on the 16th.

Resolution for Area Meeting- Suzi informed the board that there is a teleconference later on in the afternoon with the reorganization meeting. She would like the district to be more active about this. They are trying to combine Dunn and McKenzie into one meaning their will only be one person in the killdeer office. Where Dunn and McKenzie are 2 of the highest work load counties. The board would like to draft a letter to the state or even the legislature about the concerns we have. We need to request for more time, clarification and for us to be more involved.

NEW BUSINESS:

Twin Buttes Orchard Billing- The board went over a few different numbers

*Chad made motion to charge them \$.15 a foot for planting Juneberries, seconded by Casey, all aye. M/C

Drill Cover- The board thinks their might be a cover down at tree shed. Shasta and Kaylee will check it out.

Ink Pens-

*Chad made motion for Kaylee to order new good pens, seconded by Lenci, all aye, M/C

ARBORETUM:

Shasta and Kaylee have the cooler all clean and is working on organizing the building. We bought gas seeding and working on cleaning up the yard. Several trees are still damaged that need to come down.

Suzi went over her monthly NRCS report.

UNPAID BILLS:

*Lenci made motion to pay Towner a\$5,490.50 and Lincoln Oaks Nurseries \$5,687.49, seconded by Alex, all aye .M/C

With no other business to discuss, meeting was adjourned at 12:00pm

NEXT MEETING:

Aug 6, 10am at the USDA Service Center.

Respectfully submitted,
Shasta Patterson – Secretary, Treasurer

Minutes Approved

Supervisor Larry Knudsvig

Dunn County SCD Supervisors: Larry Knudsvig, Alex Lazorenko, Casey Gjermundson,
Chad Dahlen & Lenci Sickler

Dunn County SCD District Staff: Shasta Patterson and Kaylee Stein

NRCS Staff: Suzi Tuhy, Danelle Hoff, Derek Bendickson, and Courtney Slattery

Spring Creek Watershed: Kaylee Stein