

MILE HIGH CONSERVATION DISTRICT

MINUTES

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BLDC Building Conference Room

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Jack Kambich – Chair, Pete Dallaserra – Supervisor, Don Ueland – Supervisor, Cam Balentine – Supervisor, Jack Joyce - Supervisor

Others:

Kris Hugulet – District Administrator, Ted Dodge – WRC, Kevin Bossert– NRCS, Deer Lodge, Caleb Uerling – DFW&P

The meeting was called to order at 11:00 AM by Chair – Jack Kambich.

Minutes:

Don made a motion to approve the minutes as prepared. Pete seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Financial Report:

The Board reviewed the financial report and recent bills. Kris went through the new bills and Pete made a motion to approve the financial report. Don seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Business:

310's:

MH-02-23 – Robert Reopelle – Basin Creek: This application has been declared a project. An on-site inspection has been waived by the Department and the District. This application received the Board's final decision.

WRC Updates:

Ted updated the board on the projects that WRC is working on. The BOR grant is almost ready and will be submitted soon. Amy Chadwick will be coming to a meeting to discuss the beaver mimicry project and whether or not it will work on one of the pending projects. Ted is meeting with Pete and Don on NRDP projects for Browns Gulch.

New Business:

Pollinator Project:

Discussion occurred about possible locations to put some seed in the ground. Pete and Don stated that they may have locations to try. Ted suggested that Kris contact MT Tech to see what they think of the seed and how to use it in Butte -Silver Bow.

Legislative Update:

Kris informed the Board that the newest information out from DNRC and MACD was included in their packets.

DNRC Survey:

Kris informed the Board that there was survey regarding budgets and potential funding request in their packets. The Board filled out the survey together and Kris will forward the information on to DNRC.

Old Business:

Outdoor Classroom Event:

Kris stated that she is still in need of a site to host the event. She asked the Board to continue their efforts in locating a site. The site needs to allow access for two days and 100 plus kids per day.

MACD/SWCD/DNRC update:

A written report was submitted for the Board's consideration. (See attached report.)

Reports:

NRCS Update:

Kevin updated the Board on what the staff are working on.

DFW&P:

No report was given at this time.

Correspondence:

MACD/DNRC/Western Governor's Report:

Updates and information from these organizations were copied and submitted to the Supervisors for their consideration.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Kris Hugulet, District Administrator