

NORTH DAKOTA STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

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MINUTES of the STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE MEETING

Bismarck, North Dakota

January 13, 2015

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A meeting of the North Dakota State Soil Conservation Committee was held in Bismarck at the Lincoln-Oakes Nursery. The meeting was called to order at 2:00 p.m., with Chair Kelly Froelich presiding. The following persons attended all or a portion of the meeting.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT

David Burkland, Supervisor, Area I
Kelly Klosterman, Supervisor, Area II
Bruce Knudson, Supervisor, Area III
Kelly Froelich, Supervisor, Area IV
Julie Hoff, Supervisor, Area V
Barton Schott, Appointee

COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT

Dennis Renner, Appointee

ADVISORS PRESENT

Gerald Sturn, District Director, NDSU Extension Service

OTHERS PRESENT

Scott Hochhalter, Soil Conservation Specialist, NDSU Extension Service

NDSU EXTENSION SERVICE

Gerald Sturn reviewed HB 1020. The hearing is scheduled for January 14, 2105 with the House Appropriations – Education and Environment Division.

Chair Froelich mentioned that he will be attending the hearing.

2015-17 BIENNIUM SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Scott Hochhalter distributed the 55 Soil Conservation Districts applications seeking \$2,073,000.

Soil Conservation District Assistance Program

Application Amount For 2015-2017 Biennium

| Soil Conservation Districts | Application Amount |
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| <u>Area I</u> | |
| North Central (Benson Co.) | \$40,000 |
| Cavalier Co. | \$25,000 |
| Eddy Co. | \$40,000 |
| Foster Co. | \$40,000 |
| Grand Forks Co. | \$40,000 |

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| Nelson Co. | \$25,000 |
| Pembina Co | \$40,000 |
| Ramsey Co. | \$40,000 |
| Towner Co. | \$40,000 |
| Walsh Co. Three Rivers | \$40,000 |
| Wells Co. | \$40,000 |
| <u>Area II</u> | |
| Barnes Co. | \$40,000 |
| Cass Co. | \$40,000 |
| James River (Dickey Co.) | \$40,000 |
| Griggs Co. | \$40,000 |
| LaMoure Co. | \$40,000 |
| Ransom Co. | \$40,000 |
| Richland Co. | \$18,000 |
| Wild Rice (Sargent Co.) | \$40,000 |
| Steele Co. | \$40,000 |
| Traill Co. | \$20,000 |
| <u>Area III</u> | |
| Mouse River (Bottineau Co.) | \$40,000 |
| Turtle Mountain (Bottineau Co.) | \$40,000 |
| Burke | \$40,000 |
| Divide Co. | \$40,000 |
| North McHenry Co. | \$25,000 |
| South McHenry Co. | \$40,000 |
| Mountrail Co. | \$40,000 |
| Pierce Co. | \$40,000 |
| Renville Co. | \$40,000 |
| Rolette Co. | \$40,000 |
| Ward | \$20,000 |
| <u>Area IV</u> | |
| Burleigh Co. | \$20,000 |
| Emmons Co. | \$40,000 |
| Kidder Co. | \$40,000 |
| Logan Co. | \$40,000 |
| McIntosh Co. | \$40,000 |
| South McLean Co. | \$40,000 |
| West McLean Co. | \$40,000 |
| Morton Co. | \$40,000 |
| Oliver | \$40,000 |
| Sheridan Co. | \$40,000 |
| Cedar | \$40,000 |
| Stutsman Co. | \$40,000 |

Area V

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| Adams Co. | \$40,000 |
| Bowman-Slope | \$40,000 |
| Dunn Co. | \$40,000 |
| Golden Valley | \$40,000 |
| Grant Co. | \$40,000 |
| Slope-Hettinger | \$40,000 |
| McKenzie Co. | \$40,000 |
| Mercer Co. | \$40,000 |
| Central Stark Co. | \$40,000 |
| Western | \$40,000 |
| Williams Co. | \$40,000 |
| Total | \$2,073,000 |

The Committee Members will review applications and provide scores by February 6, 2015.

NEXT STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE MEETING

The next State Soil Conservation Committee meeting will be scheduled at the call of the Chair.

There being no further business to come before the State Soil Conservation Committee, the meeting was adjourned at 4:15 p.m.

Scott Hochhalter
Soil Conservation Specialist
Recording Secretary