

MINUTES

Yadkin Soil and Water Conservation District, held at Yadkinville NC.

Meeting Number 6

Date: May 14, 2020

Supervisors Present:

Bobby J. Matthews Jr.

Van Hemric

Lenuel Chamberlain

Jo Linville

Grady Shore

Others Present:

Jason Walker (Department Head)

Greg Wagoner (Technician)

Rusty Hunter (Technician)

Melissa Money (Technician)

James Boyette (NRCS)

Minutes of meeting held January 30, 2020 approved as: read () corrected ()

The Yadkin Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisors met at the Yadkin Soil and Water Office in Yadkinville on May 14, 2020. Chairman Lenuel Chamberlain called the meeting to order at 6:56pm. The agenda was reviewed. Bobby Matthews made a motion to approve the agenda and Jo Linville seconded it. Motion carried 5-0. The Ethics statement was read aloud to the board by Jason Walker (Department Head). The January 30, 2020 minutes were reviewed. Grady Shore made a motion to approve the minutes and Jo Linville seconded it. Motion carried 5-0.

Jason Walker reviewed the Supervisor Reimbursement Form for the Area 2 Spring meeting, and that all Board members need to sign. Jason Walker introduced 2 new employees. James Boyette (NRCS) and Melissa Money Yadkin SWCD. Approval of Technical Assistance Request for Payment form Jo Linville made a motion to approve, seconded by Grady Shore, motion carried 5-0. NCACSP contacts #99-2020-006 in the amount of **\$10,500.00**, and #99-2020-007 in the amount of **\$3,302.00** were voted on for approval, motion by Lenuel Chamberlain, and second by Van Hemric, motion carried 5-0. Jason advised the board on the Education Program Awards allocation. Check request approval for area contest winners Lenuel Chamberlain made a motion to approve, seconded by Jo Linville, motion carried 5-0.

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James Boyette NRCS informed the board that Yadkin County EQIP program has 23 eligible applications as of now. He also stated that a new ranking system will be used. Yadkin County has 25 active contracts totaling \$1,035,028.01 in overall obligations, \$214,136.94 made in payments to date. These span 1,937.6 acres in Yadkin County. NRCS has 2 pending applications for the Conservation Stewardship Program for 2020. Active Contracts (Classic) 2 totaling \$15,000.00 in total obligations. \$10,500.00 made in payments to date. These span 83.7 acres in Yadkin County. GCI Contracts (10) \$20,338.60 in total obligations. \$2,388.60 made in payments to date. These span 225.8 acres in Yadkin County. James also discussed NRCS is working on the FY20 EQIP applications, and (CART) Conservation Assessment Ranking Tool which will be used going forward for ranking applications. NRCS is also looking for mentors for new employees. This could be Board Supervisors or local Farmers.

Jason reviewed the Fiscal Year 2020/2021 Budget with the board members. Board voted to approval \$319,955.00 Budget. Grady Shore made a motion to approve, seconded by Jo Linville, motion passed 5-0. Watershed Dam update.

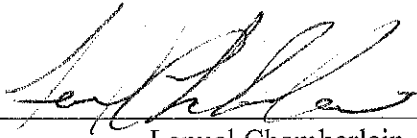
Yadkin County Board of Elections filing for 2020 (1 seat) Yadkin County Soil and Water Conservation Board. June 8, 2020 filing for Soil and Water opens (12:00 noon). July 6, 2020 filing for Soil and Water ends (12:00 noon).

Yadkin County Appointed Supervisor (1 seat) reappointment form needs to be submitted by Friday, October 30, 2020.

Spot Checks Deadline has been extended from June 1, 2020 to September 30, 2020. Jason discussed scheduling Supervisors for the upcoming spot checks. Only need (1) Supervisor at a time.

No other business,

Motion to adjourn by Lenuel Chamberlain, seconded by Van Hemric, motion carried 5-0 meeting adjourned at 8:20 pm


Lenuel Chamberlain