BENEWAH SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT MEETING MINUTES

Date: March 15, 2022

Time: 5:00 PM

Place: USDA Service Center Plummer, ID & Teleconference

Attendees:

USDA Service Center

Kylie Daman, BSWCD Tim Schaffer, Chair Dave Crabtree, Supervisor Larry Cooke, Supervisor Leann Daman, Associate Supervisor

VIA ZOOM

Sherry Klaus, Supervisor Katie Yoder, ISWCC Lance Burton, NRCS

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 PM by Chair Tim Schaffer.

NRCS

Lance Burton reported that Aubrey's position as a District Conservationist has been filled by Corey Bonsen, his start date is May 5th, 2022. EQIP has 40 applications that have been funded. Lance is asking for an additional \$250,000.00 to fund 15 more EQIP applications.

ISWCC

Katie Yoder reported that the 5 Year and Annual Plan of Work are due March 31, 2022. Katie mentioned the HB757 bill has passed which includes funds for Water Quality Program for Agriculture (WQPA). Katie reported that they still have not found another engineer to help cover the State of Idaho for ISWCC.

BSWCD

Kylie Daman informed the Board that we did not get approved for an AIS boat station. She went over our current number of seedlings sold this year as of today. Kylie reported that she is aiding Sarah Garcia with PSP invoicing. Kylie did an overview of the Hangman Creek LWG meeting that was held on February 16, 2022.

District Business

Larry Cooke moved to approve the February 15, 2022, minutes. Dave Crabtree seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Dave Crabtree moved to accept the February financial reports as presented. Larry Cooke seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Tim Schaffer moved to approve paying 50% of the District's 2023 seedling order. Larry seconded the motion. Motion Carried.

The next regular meeting will be April 12, 2022, at 5:00 PM.

By common consensus the board adjourned at 6:00 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Kylie Daman, Benewah SWCD

Approved:

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Recap of Motions:

- Approval of previous meeting minutes
- Accepted financial reports
- Approval of paying 50% of next years seedling order