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New Mexico Soil and Water Conservation Commission (SWCC) Meeting

Via Teleconference

June 18, 2024

9:00 am

Agenda

All Items for Discussion and Possible Action

1. Call to Order and Roll Call
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes (3/27/2024)
4. Open Meeting Resolution

New Business

5. Public Comment (*2 minutes per person*)
6. Edgewood Name Change
7. Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) Mil Levy Resolutions:
 - Edgewood \$1.00
 - Mora-Wagon Mound \$1.00
 - Tierra y Montes \$1.00
 - Carrizozo \$1.00
 - Guadalupe \$1.00
 - Upper Hondo \$0.75
 - Western Mora \$1.00
 - East Torrance \$1.00
 - Upper Chama \$1.00
 - Cuba \$1.00

- East Rio Arriba \$1.00
- Lava \$1.00
- Hagerman-Dexter \$1.00
- Sierra \$1.00
- Carlsbad \$0.70
- Ute Creek \$1.00
- Valencia \$0.25
- Central Valley \$0.50
- Penasco \$1.00
- Caballo \$1.00

8. SWCD Supervisor Appointments:

- Taos: Mary Lane Leslie (7)
- San Juan: Cash Carruth (6), Gentry Sterling (7)
- Edgewood: Juan Sanchez (6), Jim Frost (7)
- Upper Hondo: Beth Mendiola (6), David Cox (7)
- Cuba: Ricardo Duran (6), Frank Chacon (7)
- Roosevelt: Sharon Davis (6), Dylan Marks (7)
- Ciudad: Gabriella Coughlin (6), Sarah Hurteau (7)
- Hidalgo: Levi Klump (6), Walt Anderson (7)
- Guadalupe: Earl Sena (6), Mary Baca (7)
- SW Quay: Preston Downey (6), Kandy Hutchins (7)
- Grant: Johnny Reed (6), Niel McDonald (7)
- Carlsbad: Fred Beard (6), Henry Vasquez (7)
- Sierra: Randy Coil (6), Willard Hall (7)
- Guadalupe: Earl Sena (6), Mary Baca (7)
- Caballo: Harvey Morrow (7)
- Carrizozo: Lee Sultemeier (6), Bryan Hightower (7)
- Valencia: Janice Lucero (6), Richard Bonine (7)

- Dona Ana: Joshua Smith (6), Joshua Sanchez (7)
 - Claunch-Pinto: Larry Gomez (6), Susan Dale Rose (7)
 - Carrizozo: Lee Sultemeier (6), Bryan Hightower (7)
 - East Torrance: Jason Brumley (6), Patrick Patcha (7)
 - Santa Fe-Pojoaque: Shann Stringer (7)
9. Water Quality and Conservation FY25 Grant Recommendations/Funding
 10. Point System Changes for FY25
 11. Santa Fe-Pojoaque: Obtaining Legal Assistance from District Attorney
 12. SWCC Meetings - Future In-Person
 13. Legislative Funding Outcomes
 - \$2.5 Million for SWCDs - One-Time Appropriation
 - Capital Outlay
 - Land of Enchantment Legacy Funding

Old Business

14. Healthy Soil Program Update
15. Agriculture Workforce Development

Reports/Verbal Highlights (5 min. each; written reports required 72 hours in advance)

16. Commissioners
17. Governor's Office
18. New Mexico Department of Agriculture (NMDA)
19. Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS)
20. Forest Service
21. Farm Service Agency
22. New Mexico Environment Department (NMED)
23. Water Quality Control Commission (WQCC)
24. New Mexico Mining Commission
25. National Association of Conservation Districts (NACD)

26. New Mexico Association of Conservation Districts (NMACD)
27. New Mexico Coalition of Conservation Districts (NMCCD)
28. NMSU College of Agriculture, Consumer and Environmental Sciences (ACES)
29. New Mexico Conservation District Employees (NMCDE)
30. Next meeting
31. Adjourn