

Minutes

Stillwater Conservation District

July 11th 2023, at 7:00 PM

Two Rivers Lodge & Events (1982 Nye Rd., Nye, MT 59061)

Absent Board Members: Steve Story, Kylie Ballbach, Butch Behrent

The meeting was called to order by William Downs at 7:25 pm. A quorum 4 present.

Members/Staff	Attendees
William Downs	
Noel Keogh	
Bob VanOosten	
Ben Walker	
Darryl Thompson, Assoc.	
Sharon Flemetis, Admin.	

Open (Public) meeting @ 7:25 pm

UNAPPROVED MINUTES

Motion to approve minutes from previous meetings: **Bob**

Seconded: **Noel**

Vote: **Approved**

FINANCIAL REPORTS

Motion to approve JUNE Financial Report and Bills to be paid: **Bob**

Seconded: **Noel**

Discussion:

Vote: **Approved**

Motion to approve JULY Financial Report and Bills to be paid: **Noel**

Seconded: **Bob**

Discussion:

Vote: **Approved**

REPORTS

Will Downs
 Bob Van Oosten – **County Planning Board Updates**
 Butch Behrent
 Noel Keogh

Steve Story
 Kylie Ballbach
 Ben Walker
 Darryl Thompson, Assoc.

Sharon Flemetis, Admin
 Ashley Thompson, Assist. Admin
 Garret Larsen, NRCS – **CSP/ Field Work/ General Update. Local work group synopsis**

Public Comment (3 Minute Limit)

310 APPLICATIONS, Emergency Forms, and Complaints

APPL. #	Name	Stream	Project	Rec'd	Decision
#23-025	Brian & Cynthia Heikes	W. Rosebud	Channel reduction & Bank stabilization	1/16/23	Vote: Denied Motion: Noel Second: Bob Withdrawn by Noel & Bob Vote: Denied- based on effects to water rights to downstream. Reapply to stabilize banks at mouth of channel and preservation of downstream L/o's Motion: Will Second: Ben
#23-035E	MT Marian Enterprises	Hensley Creek	Pier replacement and electrical repairs	6/21/23	Vote: Denied – no work done Motion: Bob Second: Noel
#23-036E	MT Marian Enterprises	Hensley Creek	Bridge Maintenance	6/21/23	Vote: Approved As Is Motion: Noel

					Second: Bob
#23-037E	MT Marian Enterprises	Hensley Creek	Culvert Bridge Maintenance	6/21/23	Vote: Approved w/ Modifications Motion: Ben Second: Noel
#23-038E	MT Marian Enterprises	Hensley Creek	Culvert Replacement	6/21/23	Vote: Investigate when the culverts were put in Motion: Noel Second: Ben
#23-039	Wanda Wilcox	Stillwater River	Road repair & Bank stabilization	7/7/23	Vote: Tabled for Site Inspection Motion: Noel Second: Bob
#23-040	Karl Kingery	Stillwater River	Wier repair & stabilization	7/11/23	Vote: Approved for now – come up with a more permanent solution. It will not be approved again if it fails again. Will need to be reengineered and repermited Motion: Noel Second: Bob
#23-041V	Paul Gairrett				Vote: Violation – work done w/out permit. Stays on agenda. 10 days to turn in permit w/ no permit Motion: Bob Second: Noel
#23-042V	Alan Reeder				Vote: Violation – work done w/out permit. Stays on agenda. 10 days to turn in permit w/ no permit Motion: Bob Second: Noel

					Abstained: Ben
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GRANTS

- EWP
- Mendenhall - Project Update

NEW BUSINESS

- Next meeting at molt hall 8/1/23

Close Meeting

MOTION TO ADJOURN THE MEETING:

SECONDED:

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 9:50 pm.

MINUTES APPROVED: August 15, 2023

310 Applications must be received by 12pm 7 days before the meeting and have been inspected to be reviewed.

Agenda items must be submitted to the CD Office by noon the Monday before the scheduled meeting. Agendas are available at the CD Office upon request.

All meetings of the CD are open to the public and are voice recorded for accuracy.