

Minutes
Forsyth Soil and Water Conservation District Board Meeting
October 12, 2015

The Forsyth SWCD Board met at 5:00 p.m. on October 12, 2015 in the Forsyth County Agriculture Building, Room 11.

Present: Wes Schollander, Vice Chair
Beth Tucker, Member
James Knox, Member
Mike Bowman, Soil & Water Conservationist
Jerry Dorsett, Soil & Water Conservationist
Rob Baldwin, Regional Coordinator

Call to Order

Wes Schollander called the meeting to order at 5:00.

Minutes/Financial Report

Minutes of the regular session of the SWCD Board meeting on September 14, 2015 were reviewed. The minutes were approved as presented.

The financial report of the SWCD was reviewed. The item was approved as presented.

Division of Soil & Water

Rob Baldwin presented a summary of the Area 2 meeting and discussed the upcoming cost share allocation. The board members had a few questions about the Avian Flu and the impacts on our local area.

NC Agriculture Cost Share Program (ACSP)

An application was presented from Rita Yost for Well Abandonment. James Knox made a motion for approval. The motion was seconded by Beth Tucker and it was passed unanimously. The contract for Rita Yost in the amount of \$1,800 for CPO 34-2016-004 was presented. A motion for approval was made by James Knox and seconded by Beth Tucker. The motion was passed unanimously.

An application was presented from Greenbrook Farm for Cover Crop. Beth Tucker made a motion for approval. The motion was seconded by James Knox and it was passed unanimously. The contract for Greenbrook Farm in the amount of \$2,052 for CPO 34-2016-005 was presented. A motion for approval was made by Beth Tucker and seconded by James Knox. The motion was passed unanimously.

A request for a 6 month extension was presented from Steve Myers for CPO 34-2015-002. A motion for approval was made by Beth Tucker and seconded by James Knox. The motion was passed unanimously.

Farmland Preservation

Jerry Dorsett informed the Board that a contractor has been selected and the Farmland Protection Plan process will be underway soon.

