Regular Monthly Board Meeting 228 W. First St., Ste. H, Port Angeles February 14, 2017

MINUTES

Supervisors Present: Robert Beebe, Don Hatler, Matt Heins, Joe Murray, Ben Smith

Supervisors Absent:

Associate Supervisors Present:

Staff Present: Meghan Adamire, Jennifer Bond, Conservation Planners; Beth Loveridge, Admin. Asst.

Others Present: Chris Hall, Department of Ecology Nonpoint Program

Presiding Officer: Joe Murray Secretary: Beth Loveridge

Meeting called to order at 3:00PM

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Matt Heins moved to approve the minutes from the January 10, 2017 regular board meeting, as amended. Robert Beebe seconded. Motion approved unanimously.

REPORTS

Staff Reports

Jennifer Bond updated the board on site visits and the Golden Sands project.

Meghan Adamire updated the board on the plant sale, CREP planning, and various site visits.

Joe Holtrop was not present, but submitted a written report (attached).

More activities for the month can be found in the attached Conservation District Staff Report.

NRCS Report

None

Treasurer's Report

Ben Smith moved to approve the January 2017 Treasurer's report and approve for payment electronic funds transfers and checks described as FF 9388 – 9409 dated January 1-31, 2017 in the amount of \$38,866.74. Matt Heins seconded. Motion approved unanimously.

Announcements/Public Comment

Chris Hall, DOE, reported that he will be attending the Clean Water Work Group meetings.

OLD BUSINESS

Proposed OSS Cost Sharing Program Changes

The board discussed proposed policy changes and concurred that cost-share should be allocated at tiered rates.

Matt Heins moved to approve a tiered cost-share rate structure for the Onsite Septic System Repair cost-share program of 75% in the PIC area, 50% in the Marine Recovery Area, and 25% in all other areas. Ben Smith seconded. Motion approved unanimously.

Don Hatler moved to amend the Clallam Conservation District Onsite Septic System policy to require that applicants must have applied to, and been denied, Craft3 funding before applying for OSS cost-share. Robert Beebe seconded. Motion approved with 4 ayes and one nay.

Dungeness Irrigation District and Sequim Prairie Intake Structure Update Joe Holtrop's written report is attached.

NEW BUSINESS

Cooperator & Cost-share Agreements

Ben Smith moved to approve a Cooperator Agreement with Karen Lewis. Robert Beebe seconded. Motion approved unanimously.

Ben Smith moved to approve a Cooperator Agreement with Jeffrey Smith. Robert Beebe seconded. Motion approved unanimously.

Don Hatler moved to approve a Cooperator Agreement with Paul Bailey. Ben Smith seconded. Motion approved unanimously.

Don Hatler moved to approve a Cooperator Agreement with Cindy Williams. Ben Smith seconded. Motion approved unanimously.

Ben Smith moved to approve a Cooperator Agreement with Tracy Swanson. Robert Beebe seconded. Motion approved unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 4:45PM

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STAFF REPORT - January 2017

RANT ACTIVITY	EMPLOYE
IMPLEMENTATION	
SECTION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE	
General Administration	
Annual plan preparation	Joe
Annual report preparation	Joe
General Outreach & Education	
Agricultural Outreach & Education	
Agricultural Technical Assistance	
Tour with Sarah of NRCS and RFPP planning	Joe
Site visit to Jeffrey Smith (55 S. Breakerpoint Place) - farm planning assistance	Jen
Site visit and planning for Sequim HS rainwater collection project (cistern)	Jen
Site visit to Agnew Farm - exclusion fencing (referrel from DOE)	Meg
Site visit to Willow-Wist Dairy with NRCS - funding for lagoon improvements	Meg
Site visit to B&T Cattle - inspection of past cost-share projects	Meg
Technical assistance provided to Agnew donkey farm - farm planning	Meg
Low Impact Development and Habitat Outreach & Education	
Low Impact Development and Habitat Technical Assistance	
Plant Sale coordination & technical assistance	Meg, Jen
Watershed/Salmon Recovery Planning	
Dungeness River Management Team meeting	Joe
Puget Sound CDs meeting	Joe
Strait Ecosystem Recovery Network meeting	Joe
NPCLE meeting	Meg
Site visit to Sitkum with Kelly Cahill and Forest Service - preliminary design costs for pipes	Meg
CREP	Mag
FSA meeting in Lake Stevens - CRP-2Cs for 5 projects approved	Meg
Site visit to Shangri La (Lotzgesell Ck & wetland buffer) - paperwork and buffer measure.	Meg
Planning for J&G Ag CREP project - riparian forest buffer on Lotzgesell Creek	Meg
Plannign for Adams hedgerow buffer (Tumwater Creek) Planning for NOLT - Pysht River wetland buffer	Meg



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GRANT ACTIVITY	EMPLOYER
IRRIGATION EFFICIENCIES	
General Water Conservation Planning & Coordination	
Irrigation GIS data to Clallam County	Joe
Water Users Association annual report review	Joe
Project Planning and Implementation	
DID McComb-Levee project	Joe
AID project map updates	Joe
SHELLFISH	
Golden Sands	
Project coordination/site visits - Clark OSS cost-share project (completed)	Jen
Project coordination/site visits -Janis Legacy OSS cost-share project (in progress)	Jen
Project coordination - Bailey (20 Golden Sands) cost-share application	Jen
Golden Sands meeting with County	Jen, Joe
ACHIEF DECHARCE & CTODACE	
AID aquifer recharge project planning	Joe
POLLUTION IDENTIFICATION & CORRECTION IMPLEMENTATION	
Clean Water Work Group meeting	Jen, Joe
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ADAMS	
Site visit to Adams - work with contractor to fix frozen waterline	Meg
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ounty General Funds	
RCPP grant application preparation	Jen, Meg, Joe