

Johnson County Weed & Pest Control

Minutes June 6, 2024

Start time 4:59 pm Stop time 5:43 pm

Next meeting June 28th, 5 pm

Attendees:	Scott Rogers, Board Chairman	Dick Gould
	Tyler Benton, Vice Chairman	Nathan Williams
	Randy Hepp	Allen Buff, District Supervisor
	Crystal Zimmerschied, Office Manager	

Minutes:

- Minutes of the last meeting – Tyler moved to approve the May 9th minutes as written, with a second by Randy, motion passed unanimously.
- Approve financial statements – Allen and Crystal gave an overview of the financial statements from both companies, as well as the budgeted to actual statement. The proposed budget submitted to the State was introduced. Scott asked if there was any hope to get the back taxes still owed when the methane taxes weren't paid. Randy moved to approve the financial statements after some discussion, with a second by Nathan, motion passed unanimously.
- Payment vouchers – No concerns were raised. Dick moved to approve payment of the bills as written, Tyler seconded the motion, passed unanimously.

Old Business:

- Activity Report: Allen reported on the challenges with the totes clogging the dispenser with separated sugar. The chemical producer came from back east to remix the totes and was interested in how we operate so he could create the best mixes for us. Allen also reported the sprayers didn't start until almost June. The helicopters are also going strong. Allen sat in on the meeting regarding the Farm bill and reported the state is still working towards controlling ventenata and ignored cheat grass. Allen reminded the board that the weed pull day is scheduled for June 13th, 1-4p.
- F-450 Bids – Allen didn't increase the advertising because another guy came in and was interested and Allen didn't want to scare him off. However, nothing else has been heard from him so advertising will be stepped up this month. The tanks out of the truck were sold to 307 Spraying. He mentioned putting flyers out first, then try paid auto traders.

New Business:

- No new business was introduced that needed motions to approve.
- The board discussed a board field day and they wanted to see Ventenata up close for recognition purposes for when it gets further into Johnson County.
- Dates for the meeting to close the books was decided for June 28th at 5pm and the July meeting was set for July 2nd as the first Thursday is on the Independence Day holiday.

Next Meeting:

June 28, 2024 5:00 pm