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Sullivan County Soil & Water Conservation District Board of Directors Meeting July 11, 2022

Minutes

I. <u>Call to Order:</u> Vice Chairman Kaplan called the regular business meeting of the Sullivan County Soil & Water Conservation District Board of Directors to order at 6:00 p.m.

Board members present – Robert Kaplan, Vice Chairman Eugene Benson, Treasurer

John Diehl, Farmer Justin Sutherland, Farmer

Board members absent – Wilfred Hughson, Chairman Nadia Rajsz, Legislator

George Conklin, Legislator

Agency representatives: - Lisa Schick, SWCD

II. MINUTES: E. Benson made a motion to accept the minutes from the June 13, 2022, board meeting, J. Diehl seconded, no one opposed, the motion was passed and carried.

III. WRITTEN & VERBAL REPORTS:

NRCS: No report was sent. FSA: No report was sent. CCE: No report was sent

NYS SWCC: No report was sent

IV. OLD BUSINESS:

- A. Neversink/Rondout Grant: No written report
 - Working on Ladleton restoration project
 - Working on several CSBI plantings
 - HS will be attending the Rosgen training in August
 - Looking into shed for the plant center.
- B. Program Updates:
 - Fish program has started for both spring and fall programs, brochures have been sent out.
 - Four flood mitigation projects are being worked on.

• Reviewed bank CD rates for investment. Wayne bank has a promotion at 1.40%. R. Kaplan made a motion to add Wayne Bank to the list of District banks and invest up to \$100,000 in CD at Wayne Bank, J. Diehl seconded, no one opposed, motion was passed and carried.

V. <u>NEW BUSINESS</u>:

A. Bank Statements: The bank statements were reviewed.

VI. <u>DISTRICT CLAIMS</u>: J. Diehl made a motion to approve abstracts, bills and pre-approvals, seconded by J. Sutherland, no one opposed, the motion was passed and carried.

2022 – 6B \$ 112,803.81 2022 – 7A \$ 224,293.25

Bills presented to the Board for pre-approval: Total - \$ 66,887.56 - See breakdown sheet

VII. TREASURER REPORT: The Profit and Loss and the Balance Sheet were reviewed. J. Diehl made a motion to approve the reports, J. Sutherland seconded, no one opposed, the motion was passed and carried.

VIII. <u>NEXT MEETING:</u> The next meeting will be held on Monday, August 8, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.

X. ADJOURNMENT: Adjourned at 6:30 p.m. - Motion by E. Benson

Lisa Schick, Program Assistant Robert Kaplan, Vice Chairman