

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ADAMS COUNTY WEED BOARD

May 17, 2023

The Adams County Weed Board met at the Adams County Courthouse in Hettinger with the following members present: Norris Erickson Sr., William Christman, Paige Hagen, and Kalen Manthei.

Weed Control Officer Tim Milliren was also present

Board Chairman Manthei called the meeting to order at 1:00 pm.

Board Member Hagen moved to approve the minutes of the March 16th, 2023 meeting as presented. Second by Board Member Erickson and by unanimous vote, motion carried.

Board Member Christman moved to approve the agenda. Second by Board Member Hagen and by unanimous vote, motion carried.

Discussion by the Board on a board member replacement for Hannah Nordby, as she has resigned her position as County Agent and plans to move from Adams County. After discussion, it was decided to table this for the next meeting.

2024 Budget appropriations were completed, several line items were increased due to inflation and increased expenses. Weed chemicals and travel were two major changes.

Weed Control Officer, Tim Milliren gave updates to the Board. A new chemical, Venue, could be purchased and is supposed to be more powerful than 24D or Tordon. The Board was in favor of trying the chemical. The cost is approximately twice as much, but the coverage and the reduction of application times may make the chemical not as expensive as first thought. Mr. Milliren had several letters sent to property owners last year, it was discussed with the amount of rain and area construction, this year will probably create more need.

Board Member Hagen moved to adjourn, second by Board Member Christman, Board Chairman, Kalen Manthei declared the meeting adjourned at 1:43 PM

Kalen Manthei, Chairman

Attest:

Krista Faller, Secretary