



Western Conservation District

March 11, 2025

Special Meeting Minutes

A Special Meeting was held on Tuesday, March 11, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. at the USDA Conference Room.

Supervisors Present: Chairman, Charles Lipscomb; Treasurer, Don Stephens; Mike Wolpert, Joe Casto

Others Present: Hallie Roach, AS; Anthony Winters, CS; Jordan Roush, NRCS

Others attending by phone: Jeremy Salyer, WVCD

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Lipscomb at 10:08 A.M.

On a Stephens/Wolpert motion the agenda was approved. Motion Passed.

Stephens/Casto moved to approve the following payments. Motion Passed.

WVACD – Envirothon (Line Item Budget) \$1000.00

WVACD – Envirothon Teams - \$200.00

WVACD – Quarterly Meeting Lunch - \$500.00

Stephens/Casto moved to purchase 16 dozen hats, 8 dozen Summer and 8 dozen Winter. Motion Passed.

2026 AgEP Program

Wolpert/Casto moved to keep the same practices as we had in the past year.

Agricultural Lime, Exclusion Fence, Frost Seeding, Heavy Use Area, Invasive Species, Pasture Division Fence, Pollinator Habitat, Water System. Motion Passed.

Stephens/Casto moved to keep the same cost share dollar amounts the same as the current year. Motion Passed.

Stephens/Casto moved to leave the percentages the same as the current year. Lime – 40%, Exclusion Fence – 10%, Frost Seeding – 4%, Heavy Use Area – 10%, Invasive Species – 5%, Pasture Division Fence – 10%, Pollinator Habitat – 1%, Water Systems – 20%. Motion Passed.

Ag Day Summary

The Supervisors discussed Ag Day at the Capitol to see if there is any changes Lipscomb needs to take to the West Area Meeting.

By Law Committee Update

Lipscomb let the board know of 2 changes so far with the By Law Committee. The first one is to change individual supervisors to Districts and the second one is they added Associate Members, but they will not have any voting privileges.

West Area Meeting Update

The West Area Meeting is scheduled for March 17th at Upper Ohio CD.

Adjourn

Recorded by:

Hallie Roach, Adm Asst

Mary King, Secretary