

Brookings County Weed & Pest Board Meeting

Brookings City County Building

Brookings, SD

June 14, 2018

Steve Olson called the June 14, 2018 meeting of the Brookings County Weed & Pest Board to order at 7:00 PM. Those in attendance were Steve Olson, Commissioner Miller, Joel Ripley, Tim Bauer, and Misty Moser.

Steve Olson called for any additions or corrections to the minutes or agenda. There was a couple changes items to be added Christie Farm, Gary Egeberg. The items are be added, to the agenda under New Business item number 5, 6.

Old Business:

DOT – We are mostly finished with DOT just started on the on off ramps for the first run weather has been a little bit of an issue.

County Roads- We are ½ done with the county roads we will meet the deadline for the first run.

Equipment- our equipment has needed a lot of work just to get things going down the road this spring.

Landfill- ¾ done with spraying the landfill wind is a factor or we would be done by now.

New Business:

Alton Township- we have been called upon the last few years to do some spot spraying in Alton Township. It seems to me we are only spot spraying in certain areas. I will get ahold of the chairperson; see if he / she knows what is going on with this, and why we are not spraying the whole township.

Budget- Went over the budget with the board after we had budget hearing.

I will have a meeting next year before we have our hearings. Board was ok with this.

Weed Tour in September- we will be having a weed tour in September asked what day would work best, tentively, we will have our tour on September 12, 2018.

Christie Farm- the weed department has been working with the Christie farm for the last few years; there is thistles/ noxious weeds on the property. He has found an individual to come in and spray what he can within the next 2 weeks. I will be keeping an eye on this.

Gary Egeberg- was hired on as the Weed enforcement officer, he has since resigned from that position he is now a truck driver.

Steve Olson made a motion to adjourn the meeting Joel Ripley so moved and Tim Bauer Seconded the motion.

Next Meeting is September 12, 2018 @ 4:00 PM we will meet at the Brookings County Highway shop.