



1001 Division Street
Mauston, WI 53948
(608) 847-7221 ext. 3

LCC Committee
Rodney Seamans, Chair
Joe Lally
Scott Wilhorn
Chris Zindorf

Staff
Dustin Ladd, County Conservationist
Brian Goepfert, Technician
Sarah Fleck, Technician

**Land & Water Resources Committee
July 9th, 2020 – 8:00 am
Courthouse, Mauston WI**

PRESENT: Rodney Seamans, Chair, Joe Lally, Scott Wilhorn, Chris Zindorf, FSA Rep. Jim Raese, NRCS Rep. Jon Field

1. Meeting called to order by chair, Rodney Seamans, at 8:03 am
2. MINUTES
Motion by Zindorf seconded by Wilhorn to approve the minutes of June 6th, 2020 meeting. Motion carried
3. NRCS- Jon Field
 - Update given on how Dairy Breakfast went
 - Permits have come in for a dam repair, still waiting on preliminary design for a roofed barnyard
 - Obligating funds for EQIP cost share practices
 - Preparing CSP computer work for signups, deadline is 7/10. Will be notified next week on who got approved
 - Personnel approved for the Golden Sands RC&D position
 - Lindsy Hagen will be volunteering a couple days a week with NRCS while working part time for the FSA
4. FSA – Jim Raese
 - The new CED Adam Steffen started Monday, he will be in the office 1 to 2 days a week
 - Corona virus Food Assistance Program sign-up ends August 28th, 2020
 - Crop Report deadline is July 15th
 - If landowners/producers still want to complete PLC base yield updates for 2020 it needs to be done by July 15th. Only landowner can sign for yield update
 - The FSA office is allowing entrance by appointment only
5. VOUCHERS – Dustin Ladd
 - Update on vouchers paid

6. LCC TRAINING-Dustin Ladd
 - Discussion of future training for the Land Conservation Committee
7. MANURE STORAGE ORDINANCE - Dustin Ladd
 - The Manure storage Ordinance has been approved by DATCP and submitted to David Lasker for publication
 - Update given on county permit for a Roofed Barnyard
 - Discussion of a compliance letter to be sent for an unconfined manure stack (process and enforcement)
8. LAKE DECORAH-Sarah Fleck/Dustin Ladd
 - REM engineering who are working on the 9-key Element Plan for lake Decorah tested the water and found elevated levels of E.coli
 - The LWRD worked with the city to sample tributaries of Lake Decorah to locate the sources of contamination. The DNR was contacted and conducted their own tributary sampling. Water samples will be retaken after a rain event.
9. WATER TESTING-Sarah Fleck
 - The water testing lab is now accepting samples and free private well water testing will continue until funds are gone
 - Test kits are available at the Juneau County Land & Water office and the Juneau County Health Department. Samples can be dropped off the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month at the Juneau County Health Department
10. PRODUCER LED WATERSHED-Sarah Fleck
 - Update given on the expanded boundary line for the Producers of the Lake Redstone and the cost share signup for cover crops through the watershed group
11. NEW/OTHER BUSINESS-Committee
 - Discussion of the Sauk County Livestock show being held this weekend at the Juneau County Fairgrounds
12. SET NEXT MEETING DATE-Committee
 - Next meeting set **August 13th, 2020 at 8:00 am** Location: **TBD**
13. ADJOURN-Committee
 - Meeting adjourned – Motion by Seamans, seconded by Zindorf to adjourn the meeting at 8:35 a.m. Motion carried.