## SUWANNEE COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT MEETING MINUTES

June 15, 2023

The Suwannee County Conservation District Board of Supervisors held their regularly scheduled meeting Thursday, June 15, 2023 at The USDA Service Center located at 1525-B Ohio Avenue South in Live Oak. Supervisors attending were Andy Jackson, Chairman; Ronnie Lawson, Vice-Chairman; James Williams, Secretary/Treasurer; and Larry Sessions, Supervisor. Also attending were Joni Sapp, SCCD Staff Assistant; Garrett McCray, SCCD Administrator; and John Garrison, SCCD Conservation Technician.

Chairman, Andy Jackson, called the meeting to order at 7:00p.m.

The Minutes of the previous meeting held May 18, 2023 were reviewed. James Williams made a motion to approve the minutes, and there was a second by Larry Sessions.

The Financial Reports were reviewed. James Williams made a motion to approve those reports, and there was a second by Larry Sessions.

Garrett McCray, SCCD Administrator, discussed our current contracts. For BMP Tools, we have (35) CSA's totaling approximately \$935,000. RESTORE BMP has remained the same and RESTORE Energy has expended approximately \$663,000.

## **OLD BUSINESS:**

N/A

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

The ordinary bills from Verizon Wireless and Jim Hinton Oil were presented. James Williams made a motion to pay the bills, and there was a second by Larry Sessions.

The next District Meeting will be held Thursday July 27, 2023.

## **OTHER BUSINESS:**

The 2023 NACD TA Grant opportunity and application process were discussed. With the 2022 TA Grant ending as of June 30, 2023 and the possible opportunity of receiving a 2023 TA Grant, The Board agreed to continue offering NRCS assistance from Garrett and Joni, by utilizing SCCD funds for the period of July – September 2023. This decision was made due to this being a crucial time for obligating and funding contracts and the shortage of NRCS staff in the Live Oak Field Office.

There being no further business presented, James Williams made a motion to have the meeting adjourned, there was a second by Larry Sessions, and Andy Jackson adjourned the meeting.

ANDY JACKSON

CHAIRMAN

SECRETARY/TREASURER