

Agenda  
Sanders County Weed Board

Wednesday – November 16, 2022; 6:30 p.m. – Clark Fork Professional Building, Thompson Falls, MT.

**Meeting call to order:**

Quorum: Yes/No

Time:

Attendees:

**Review of Previous Meeting's Minutes:**

Comments/revisions:

Motions/Seconds:

**Public Input:**

**Agenda Review:**

Comments/additions:

**Rush Skeletonweed Report:** A large rush skeleton infestation on Silcox road. An 80-acre property with a 30% infestation was treated by the rush skeleton task force, Sanders County Coordinator and Montana Department of Agriculture. Three garbage bags were filled with clipped plants.

One rush skeleton weed was found on the Harlow Ranch. It was clipped and treated by the County coordinator.

**Tribal Report:** Results of mapping effort 10/12/22 in Ferry Basin

**Eurasian Watermilfoil Report:**

**Subdivision Report:**

- Update of Moose Hollow status. Results of Mark's call to Katherine to see if the bond could be used to treat sold properties in the subdivision, or if a lien placed on the unsold properties to pay for treatment. Moose Hollow is Scheduled to start work on the 24<sup>th</sup> of October.

**Old Business:**

- Estimate for the board on potential attic improvements at the weed department office (before moving forward with any work).
- Status of County Weed Plan revision

Motions/Seconds:

**New Business:**

- New Software program is up and running for MT Dept of Agriculture. Most to all time was spent filling out grant applications.
- Review grants
- NRCS, Ventenata report:

**Project Updates and Other Discussion:**

**"I Control My Own" Permits:**

- Permits to approve:

**Complaint Forms/Compliant Compliance:**

- Update on Plains and TFalls complaints.
  - Update, response from Plains landowner on treating leafy spurge.
  - Update from DNRC on Blueweed/Houndstongue treatment in Section 14, T21N, R26W
  - Status of private lands adjoining TFalls county property behind Elks lodge in TFalls.
- New Complaints:

**Time Sheets and Claims:**

**Next Meeting: 12/21/2022, 6:30 PM, Sanders County Weed Shop, Plains, MT.**