

Minutes
Forsyth Soil and Water Conservation District Board Meeting
July 11, 2016

The Forsyth SWCD Board met at 5:00 p.m. on July 11, 2016 in the Forsyth County Agriculture Building, Room 11.

Present: Toby Bost, Chair
Wes Schollander, Vice Chair
Beth Tucker, Member
James Knox, Member
Mark Tucker, Extension Director
Mike Bowman, Soil & Water Conservationist
Jerry Dorsett, Soil & Water Conservationist

Call to Order

Toby Bost called the meeting to order at 5:00.

Minutes/Financial Report

Minutes of the regular session of the SWCD Board meeting on June 13, 2016 was reviewed and approved as presented.

The financial report of the SWCD was reviewed and approved as presented.

Division of Soil & Water

Rob Baldwin submitted a report on Commission actions and upcoming Division and Association activities.

Forsyth County

Mark Tucker informed the board that Edgar Miller received the 2016 Service To Agriculture Award. The honor was bestowed upon him by the NC Association of County Agricultural Agents.

Mark updated the board about the new farm manager at the Children's Home, Adam Keener. The onsite farm store is up and running at the Children's Home and they are considering supplementing their stock with other locally grown products and goods from local farmers.

NRCS

Dede sent a report on the progress of EQIP. She has several activities to pursue in order to make the upcoming deadlines.

NC Agriculture Cost Share Program

A request for payment was presented from Larry Boyles for CPO 34-2016-007 in the amount of \$1,372. James Knox made a motion for approval. The motion was seconded by Beth Tucker and was passed unanimously.

A request for a 6 month extension was presented from William Wetherall for CPO 34-2015-803. Beth Tucker made a motion to approve the request. The motion was seconded by James Knox and it was passed unanimously.

