

CALL TO ORDER

The LINCOLN COUNTY WEED & PEST BOARD was called to order by Roger Simunek on September 17, 2024, in the Lincoln County Commission meeting room at 8:30 AM. Present were Roger Simunek, Paul Paulson, Randy Smit, and Ralph Hammer. Jim Jibbens and Pam Gillespie were absent.

Others present were Russ Heggen (Weed Forman).

ROUTINE BUSINESS

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Motion by Smit to approve the agenda second by Paulson. Motion carried.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by Paulson to approve the minutes second by Smit. Motion carried.

Russ gave a report on the budget. He explained the issue with overtime and their plan to correct it. They expect to start purchasing chemicals for next season. There was a motion by Hammer to accept the budget report second by Smit. Motion carried.

Russ stated that he has sprayed the shoulders of the roads early and is returning to cover patches.

Russ stated that the equipment is functioning normally with normal maintenance.

Russ stated that he had received 63 complaints this year and sent out 21 letters, there were only 3 with unsatisfactory compliance.

Motion to accept these reports by Smit. Second by Paulson. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS: Annual Tour. Russ presented photos of the different controls observed by different chemicals applied on the shoulders of county roads.

The yearend meeting time and date will be announced at a later time.

ADJOURNMENT

There was a motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:10 AM by Hammer, second by Smit. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted by Ralph Hammer.