

Weed Board Meeting Minutes September26th, 2024

1) Call To Order

Cade Lewis began the meeting of the San Juan County Weed Board at 8:01 am on September 26th, 2024.

2) Roll Call

The following people were present: Erin Pettit, Kyle Fullmer, Fred Snyder, Cade Lewis, Blake Peterson, Charlie Tracy, Don Andrews, Todd Adair and Frank Smith.

3) Approval of Agenda

Dennis Gines made a motion to approve the agenda. Blake Peterson seconded the motion and the motion was approved by all board members present.

4) Approval of Minutes

Cade Lewis made a motion to approve the minutes. Blake Peterson seconded the motion and the motion was approved by all board members present.

5) Citizens Comments

Kyle Fullmer and Fred Snyder spoke about multiple weed issues in the farmlands East of Monticello and about how these issues affect the spread of weeds to other properties. They encouraged the weed board and weed department to pursue remedies as specified in the Utah Weed Act.

6) Supervisor Report

Frank Smith reported that he sent out 8 additional weed control letters on September 3rd. He reported that five of the eight letter recipients had resolved their weed issues in response to the letters. Three of the letter recipients had not yet resolved their issues. Frank reported that Don Andrews had applied 800 gallons of herbicide to noxious weeds in the Sand Island BLM camping area. He reported that the bulk of the season will be dedicated to spraying along the San Juan River in support of our ongoing grant project. Frank also reported that the final revisions of control letters and the County weed ordinance will be completed once the spray season ends.

7) Business/Action

Multiple ideas were discussed about the contents of the secondary control letters content including contact info licensed sprayers in San Juan County.

8) Next Meeting

October 10th, 2024

9) Adjourn

Cade Lewis made a motion to adjourn and Blake Peterson seconded and the board adjourned with approval from all members present.