

**EAST OTERO CONSERVATION DISTRICT
200 South 10th Street
Rocky Ford, CO 81067**

**Board of Supervisors Regular Meeting
October 2, 2023
M I N U T E S**

PICTURES

- I. Call meeting to order**
The meeting was called to order by president Caldwell at 7:02 pm.
Present: Dennis Caldwell, Ross Nielsen, Eric Hanagan
Excused: Chris Tomky, Eric Hanagan
Others Present: Lana Pearson, Nancy Aschermann
- II. Reading of Minutes**
Motion Carried to approve the minutes as presented.
- III. Financial Report**
A. District
B. Building Account
C. Association
Motion Carried to file the financial reports for audit.
- IV. Pay Bill**
DM/DCT – \$ 438.61
Motion Carried to pay the bills.
- V. Mileage Report/Meetings Attended**
Login was completed.
- VI. Unfinished Business**
Matching Grant 2023
Aschermann reviewed the projects. There are two left to complete.
Soil Health
Joe Holland has a list of ten participants. They are coming in to complete the paperwork.
Web Page went live on September 6th.
<http://rfcd.colorado.gov/>
- VII. New Business**
Matching Grant 2024 was funded!
DCT Grant was funded at the higher salary rate.
Quonsit Hut Rental –
Aschermann will contact Black Hills Energy. BHE did come out to look.
Hanagan will see that the garage doors function properly or replace if needed.
Tomky will see that the sky lights are repaired or replaced.
Building Security
One solar light is in place. There is a yard light on telephone pole. Aschermann will contact BHE about the yard light.
Aschermann has contacted Black Hills who will come give us advice.
Watershed Meeting: Caldwell and Nielsen attended and made brief comments.

VIII. **Partner Update**

NRCS says there will be lots of money next year for EQIP and CSP.

This fall Pearson hopes to hire two employees. One under the 'Recent Graduates Program;' the other as an engineer in Rocky Ford.

IX. **FYI**

None

Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 7:20 pm.

X. **Next Meeting: Monday, November 6, 2023**

Submitted by,

Ross Nielsen