WEED & PEST BOARD MEETING May 3, 2012

Fall River County Courthouse

The Fall River County Weed and Pest Board Meeting was called to order by President Jerry Wyatt at 1:15 pm, May 3, 2012 at the Fall River County jury meeting room. Attending members were Jerry Wyatt, John Bogner, John Sides, Joe Falkenburg, Bob Novotny, BGLG Representative, and Nina Steinmetz. All motions unanimous unless otherwise stated. Motion to approve the agenda and minutes of the last meeting was made by Joe Falkenburg and seconded by John Bogner.

Old Business:

Nina Steinmetz, Weed and Pest Supervisor, reported on the Spring Fling Booth on April 14, 2012 at the Mueller Center in Hot Springs. The main topic of interest was Mountain Pine Beetle demonstration. The booth also had many noxious weed samples.

The final bill on the 2009 Ford Pickup at \$8,711 which included the engine, brake, and axel seal work.

The Grasshopper Demonstration Day was held April 27, 2012. Information presented is available at the Weed and Pest office if landowners were unable to attend.

The second issue of the "Newsletter" was sent out in April. The office is working on a more complete mailing list for better coverage.

New Business:

A short discussion was held on the different areas of the Weed and Pest budget and suggestions given to the supervisor of areas that could be changed.

John Sides made a motion to purchase enough copies of the "Invader" to be inserted into the Edgemont Tribune and the Hot Springs Star for this spring. John Bogner seconded the motion. Copies should be inserted the first of June.

John Bogner motioned to purchase two helmets for the spray staff to wear. John Sides seconded the motion. The spray staff have completed and passed the recreational off highway vehicle safety course.

Weed & Pest staff will attend the mosquito calibration in Rapid City May 15, 2012 to calibrate mosquito fogger for the year.

Next meeting: June 7, 2012, 1:00 pm Fall River County Courthouse jury room.

Motion by John Bogner for adjournment seconded by John Sides.

UNAPPROVED MINUTES

Nina Steinmetz, Secretary	
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