Southwest District Meeting December 6, 2022 Farm Credit Services Mandan



NDCISA District Director Carson Kouba called the meeting to order.

Minutes – Mike Gardner made a motion to pass the minutes as read. Jim Behm second. Motion carried.

Resolutions: No resolutions were brought forward from the SW District.

Election: Jim Behm nominated Tim Oech as SW District Director. Mike Gardner moved nominations cease and cast a unanimous vote for Tim Oech. Jim Behm second. Motion carried.

Program

NDCISA – Chad Anderson and Lee Novak State Seed & Foundation Seed Presentation – Steve Sebesta DREC Update & Soils Talk – Dr. Chris Augustin

A motion was made by Dennis Renner to adjourn the meeting with a second from Rick Schmidt. Motion carried.

Northwest District Meeting December 7, 2022 North Central Research Extension Center Minot, ND



NDCISA District Director Troy Coons called the meeting to order.

Minutes – Dan Folske made a motion to pass the minutes as read. Parker Gates second. Motion carried.

Resolutions: Eric Eriksmoen presented the following resolution

That a State funded technician for the agronomy program at the North Central Research Extension Center may be reappointed.

Jim Hennessy second. Discussion was to go through SBARE or take it to Greg Lardy. Motion carried.

Election: Chad Anderson thanked Troy Coons for all the hard work he put into NDCISA. Troy then replied that he is honored to work with the organization.

Mark Birdsall nominated Parker Gates and Kyle Dragseth nominated Dusty Whillock as NW District Director. Jim Hennessy moved nominations cease and they cast a vote for Parker Gates or Dusty Whillock, and they introduce themselves. Dusty Whillock withdrew his nomination. Dusty Whillock cast a unanimous vote for Parker Gates with a second from Jim Hennesey. Motion carried.

Dr. Shana Forster than reviewed SBARE's final rankings for the NDSU Extension Program Initiatives, Capital Improvement and One Time Request and Priorities for the ND Agricultural Experiment Stations.

Program

State Seed & Foundation Seed Presentation – Steve Sebesta NCREC Update – Dr. Shana Forster Weeds Update – Dr. Brian Jenks NDCISA – Chad Anderson and Lee Novak A motion was made by Kyle Dragseth to adjourn the meeting with a second from Parker Gates. Motion carried.

Northeast District Meeting December 8, 2022 Peterson Arena Devils Lake, ND



NDCISA District Director Mark Seastrand called the meeting to order.

Executive Director Chad Anderson introduced State Representative Monson and Randy Mehlhoff, Langdon Research Extension Center to say a few words.

Minutes – John Steffan made a motion to pass the minutes as read with one correction, Shawn Steffan should be changed to John Steffan. Brad Brummond second. Motion carried.

Resolutions: A resolution was brought forward from the Northwest District as listed below:

That a State funded technician for the agronomy program at the North Central Research Extension Center may be reappointed.

Randy Mehlhoff made a motion to support this resolution as brought forward with a second from Tim Goeser. Motion carried.

The following resolution was brought forward by Randy Mehlhoff:

Whereas,

The Langdon REC is one of five NDSU foundation seed producing centers serving ND producers,

Whereas,

The Langdon REC has been producing foundation grade seed for over 60 years providing NEND growers with the highest quality seed available,

Whereas,

The NEND district of the NDCISA produces the highest volume of seed in ND,

Whereas,

Seed companies, independent growers and others depend on foundation grade seed to fund their operations in the future by being able to sell registered and certified seed,

Whereas,

The seed cleaning system and equipment at the Langdon REC is over 60 years old, worn out, inefficient at 15 bushels per hour capacity and unable to condition crops such as pulses and others,

Whereas,

Being able to grow and condition and sell foundation grade seed brings a huge economic benefit to the regions agricultural industry,

Therefore, be it Resolved,

The NEND district of the NDCISA supports the construction of a new foundation seed cleaning facility to allow the Langdon REC to continue producing foundation grade seed for growers in ND.

Election: Mark Seastrand thanked Tim Goeser for his work on the board. Randy Mehlhoff nominated Jeremiah Halley and Kevin Matejcek moved nominations cease and they cast a vote for Jeremiah Halley with a second from Eugene Goeser. Motion carried.

Program

State Seed & Foundation Seed Presentation - Steve Sebesta

Small Grains Variety Update - Greg Endres

NDCISA – Chad Anderson and Lee Novak

A motion was made by Karl Jodock to adjourn the meeting with a second from Brad Brummond. Motion carried.

Southeast District Meeting December 5, 2022 Veterans Memorial Auditorium Casselton



NDCISA Executive Director Chad Anderson called the meeting to order.

Minutes – There being none as last year's meeting was cancelled.

Resolutions: No resolutions were brought forward from the SE District.

Election: Jason Faller nominated Luke Anderson as SE District Director. John Schatz moved nominations cease and cast a unanimous vote for Luke Anderson. Jason Faller second. Motion carried.

Program

State Seed & Foundation Seed Presentation – Steve Sebesta

Small Grains Variety Update - Dr. Clair Keene

NDCISA – Chad Anderson and Lee Novak

A motion was made by Alex Nesemeier to adjourn the meeting with a second from Luke Anderson. Motion carried.