Powder River Conservation District Monthly Board Meeting December 12, 2023 Supervisors Present:

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**Others Present:** 

Wade Curuchet

Anita Bartlett, District Manager

Tom Harlan George Renkert Kevin Lund Bill Jones

The regular board meeting was called to order by Board Chair Bill Jones at 5:30 p.m.

Wade Curuchet moved to accept the minutes from the November 13, 2023, regular Board Meeting. Tom Harlan second. Motion Carried.

The Treasurer's Report was reviewed as follows:

Checking	\$	200,661.87
Savings	\$	587,066.08
Petty Cash	<u>\$</u>	5.25
Total	\$	787,733.20

### **DECEMBER MONTHLY EXPENSES**

Chec	<u>k #</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>Memo</u>	<u>Amount</u>	
8	576	Wyoming.com	website	\$	40.00
8	578	Anita M Bartlett	salary	\$	1,998.52
8	577	WACD	Insurance	\$	43.90
8	579	Visa	convention/office supplies	\$	1,414.45
8	580	Susan Anderson	rent	\$	443.02
8	1581	Joyce Black	janitorial	\$	250.00
8	582	Arbor Day Foundation	dues	\$	25.00
8	1583	Powder River Energy Corp	utilities	\$	112.14
8	584	Clifty View Nursery	tree deposit	\$	293.88
8	1585	Montana-Dakota Utilities Co	utilities	\$	68.47
8	3586	Kaycee General Store	Office supplies	\$	20.98
8	587	Range	utilities	\$	88.60
8	3588	Skip Forbes	snow removal	\$	25.00
8	3589	Town of Kaycee	utilities	\$	94.00
8	3590	WEBT	Insurance	\$	891.03
8	3591	Kevin Lund	mileage-WACD Convention	\$	222.70
8	3592	Anita M Bartlett	mileage-STAC Meeting	\$	98.25
8	3593	Anita M Bartlett	salary	\$	1,998.53
AP		IRS	Tax Deposit	\$	1,254.38
		Grand Total		\$	9,382.85

Tom Harlan moved to approve the Treasurer's Report, the October Savings account reconciliation, the November Checking Account reconciliation and to accept payment of all bills. Wade Curuchet Second. Motion Carried.

#### **BUSINESS:**

## 1. WACD Convention Report

-Kevin Lund and Anita Bartlett gave a brief overview of the WACD Convention held in November.

### 2. Grant Progress

-Anita Bartlett stated that she is still waiting for FEMA to put out their grant application. Game & Fish may have some engineering funds and could possibly match the FEMA grant. They also have a pool of money that could address the engineering need for Elm's diversion. Travis Cundy with Game and Fish is coming next week to look at both projects.

# 3. Vacation Leave Request

-Anita Bartlett requested leave approval for January 10-17, 2024. Wade Curuchet moved to approve Anita Bartlett's leave request for January 10-17, 2024. Kevin Lund Second. Motion Carried.

#### 4. Christmas Bonus

-Wade Curuchet moved to give Anita Bartlett a \$600 Christmas Bonus. Tom Harlan second. Motion Carried.

## 5. District Report

-The District Manager's Report was discussed.

# 6. NRCS Field Office Report

-The NRCS Field Office Report was discussed.

The next regular Board Meeting was scheduled for Tuesday, January 9, 2024, at 6:30pm. George Renkert moved to adjourn the meeting, Kevin Lund Second. Motion carried 6:24 pm.

Respectfully Submitted:

Anita M. Bartlett, District Manager

William Jones, Chair

Wade Curuchet, Secretary/Treasurer