NOXIOUS WEED BOARD MEETING

January 9, 2020

Deschutes County Board Hearing – Meeting Minutes

BOARD MEMBERS Present:

Jeff Amaral Sarah Canham Christina Veverka

Elizabeth Johnson Allen Hammerman

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE and GUESTS Present:

Ed Keith Kelli Candella Jon Valley

Toni Stephan – OSU Extension Madelinn Schriver – USFS Intern

Minutes

Minutes for December 12, 2019, M/S/C

Old Business

New Weed Board Members – scheduled interviews for four applicants. One backed out, Ed will officially request BOCC to extend appointments to new members. Should be all tied up prior to February meeting.

New Business

Aquatic Species presentation made by Christina. – THANK YOU!

Aquatic Invasive Species portable table for attendees to gather materials for Sportsman Show. Jon Valley secured a free booth for show. Show runs Thurs – Sun, will need volunteers to staff table. Marine Board PSA coverage information, Christina will follow up, Weed Board will amplify and duplicate what information Marine Board has on weed website. Waterway access permit is new this year and is required for every watercraft over 10' including all businesses that rent watercraft that use waterways. There was discussion regarding limited or no information that is provided to citizens relating to the permit fee and where funds that are collected are used.

Aquatic Species pamphlet hand out with permit, Marine Board may already have one we can utilize but Christina is willing to put one together for our area. Volunteers to write up a short description of a few invasive species and send her the information to put all together. Rick and Glen will review list and edit as needed. Please bring description to next meeting.

Roundtable

- Maddi working on social media posts lessons for 5/6 graders adventure outdoor day Will present lesson to board during February meeting.
- Beth is working on planning and coordination of an Aquatic Invasive workshop, the workshop will be held at the main Bend Parks and Recreation office on June 9th. Details are still being finalized and will be sent out soon.
- Jon he and Ed are working on the Oregon Invasive Species Council education grant and this will be submitted by the end of the month.
- Jeff had stickers printed in the last month and brought a supply for the trailer.
- No other items to report

Meeting Schedule Next Meeting set for February 13, 2020, at 3:30 p.m.

MEETING ADJOURNED 5:00 p.m.

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