

**NOXIOUS WEED BOARD MEETING**  
**March 10, 2016**  
**Deschutes County Board Hearing – Meetings Minutes**

**BOARD MEMBERS Present:**

Spring Olson                      Christina Veverka                      Julie Craig

**TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE and OTHERS Present:**

Jon Valley – Deschutes Co.    Kelli Candella- Deschutes Co.  
Warren Glenn                      Eric Evans                      Kent Pressman

**MINUTES**

Minutes for February 11, 2016, not approved due to no quorum present for review and approval.

**Old Business**

Information trailer has been sand blasted and it is ready to go to Design Graphics for graphic placement, earliest appointment April 11<sup>th</sup>. ODA will pick up approximately \$2,000 of the cost. A Calendar of Events should be made for reserving the use of the trailer so no conflicts arise.

**AWARD:**

Still need a title that works for the recognition award. Spring sent a few suggestions she found from the internet to Ed, Kelli will ask Ed to include those in an email for Board members to review and comment on possible Award Title. Suggestion of two line title:

Land Stewardship Award  
Fighting Invasive Species

**New Business**

Cascade East Vegetation Management Conference ([www.cevmc.com](http://www.cevmc.com)) three speakers have cancelled, Jon is working on getting other speakers or topics to fill these spots. At this time we have 90 registrants, 13 – 14 credit hours, and 10 vendors.

**Board Recognition**

Jason Deney has stepped down from the Board, plaque and thank you letter should be sent out to him as a thank you.

**Events**

LOAFA – March 12, Deschutes County Fair & Expo Center.  
Spring Home & Garden Show – sign-up sheet sent around for volunteers.

**Roundtable**

- Julie – will be mailing out courtesy letters to citizens with weed issues in April.
- Christina – Environmental report writing over the last month.
- Jon V – crew is busy spraying – seeded Landfill, 87 acres treated for City of Bend right-of-way work, Jim Hall of City of Bend will be working on medians within the city limits.
- Kent Pressman- has been pulling Mullen and Knapweed off China Hat. Spring and Christina mentioned not to pull Toadflax – using bio treatments on this weed.
- Eric – contract weed control, seeding, hoping to get more weed control done near Elk Meadow and River Rim area. Neighborhood Association can opt out of spray treatment.

Would like to see *Let's Pull Together* include public areas for pull sites. Eric would like to be more involved with Weed Board.

**Meeting Schedule**

Next Meeting set for April 14, 2016 at 3:30 p.m.

**MEETING ADJOURNED 4:12 p.m.**

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