

SOUTH DAKOTA WEED & PEST CONTROL COMMISSION MEETING 2
Wednesday, February 21, 2024 – 1:30 pm MT
Spearfish Holiday Inn - Convention Center, Spearfish, SD

February 21, 2024 at 1:30 PM

Call to Order Chairman Kurtenbach
 Approval of Agenda. Chairman Kurtenbach
 Approval of December 13, 2023 minutes. Chairman Kurtenbach

Old Business

New Business

Requests for Locally Declared Noxious Weeds & Pests

(R) = Renewal / (N) = New request / **(NN) = New & not in Rules, would need hearing**

Bennett County – Musk & Plumeless Thistles (R), Puncturevine (R), Field Bindweed (N),
 Common Mullein (N), Common Burdock (N), Palmer Amaranth (N), **Water hemp (NN)**

Butte County – Poison Hemlock (R)

Charles Mix County – Musk & Plumeless Thistles (R)

Custer County – Musk & Plumeless Thistle (R)

Fall River County – Musk & Plumeless Thistles (R), Bull Thistle (R), Dalmation Toadflax (R),
Baby’s Breath (NN)

Hand County – Yellow Toadflax (R)

Lawrence County – Common Tansy (R), Dalmation Toadflax (R), St. John’s Wort (R), Scotch Thistle (R),
 Bull Thistle (N)

Lyman County - Musk & Plumeless Thistles (R), Puncturevine (R), Bull Thistle (R)

Meade County – Dalmation Toadflax (R), Spotted Knapweed (R)

Sanborn County - Musk & Plumeless Thistles (R)

Weed & Pest Coordinator Report Brenda Sievers
 Weed & Pest Program Specialist Report Jeremiah Phelps
 District Reports/Updates District Representatives
 Agency Reports/Updates Agencies Present
 CAPS/Bio Control Brenda Sievers/Jeremiah Phelps

Public Comment Period Duration set by Chairman

Weed & Pest Competitive Grant Reports from FY2024 – Reports to be Given by the County

GRANT #	COUNTY	ORGANZTN	FRSTNM	LASTNAME	PROJECT
WP-C24-3	Assn of SD	Co. W/P Bd	Gary	Pribyl	2023 Public Awareness & Outreach Project
WP-C24-4	Fall River	Co. W/P Bd	Nina	Steinmetz	The Fall River County "Insider" - Educational Booklet
WP-C24-5	Hughes	Co. W/P Bd	Dugan	Petersen	2nd Year of Wormwood Sage Control in Residential Area
WP-C24-7	Clay	Co. W/P Bd	Dennis	Ganschow	Scout/Map/Treat Common Mullein & Purple Loosestrife along the Lower Missouri River
WP-C24-8	Codington	Co. W/P Bd	Steve	Molengraaf	Field Scabious Control

GRANT #	COUNTY	ORGANZTN	FRSTNM	LASTNAME	PROJECT
WP-C24-9	SDSU Extension WEED Project		Eric	Jones	Noxious Weed Field Evaluation, Demonstration & Education Program
WP-C24-10	Brown	Co. W/P Bd	Chris	Hemen	Yellow Toadflax Biological Control
WP-C24-11	Harding	Co. W/P Bd	Misty	Koan	Custer National Forest Ash Tree Reservoir Ventanata Project
WP-C24-13	Assn of SD	Co. W/P Bd	Nathan	Jagim	Yellow Toadflax Bio-Control Project
WP-C24-14	Meade	Co. W/P Bd	Nathan	Jagim	Meade County Tamarix Project
WP-C24-15	Meade	Co. W/P Bd	Nathan	Jagim	Pleasant Valley Chicory Project

Discussion on Committee Recommendation for Funding of FY2025 Grants

FY2024 Regular (Contractual) Weed & Pest Grant Applications –
 \$300,000 divided amongst qualifying applicants, to nearest \$100 without exceeding spending authority

FY2025 Competitive Weed & Pest Grant Applications - \$200,000 available

Grant Decisions/Approve Grant Committee Recommendation

Annual Meeting Date

Approval of Bills Brenda Sievers
 (Meeting expenses, per diem/salary this meeting, salary and per diem for grant review committee to review weed and pest grants)

Adjourn