

BUFFALO COUNTY WEED BOARD  
Weed Board - TUESDAY, July 19, 2022 9:00 AM  
BUFFALO COUNTY AUDITORS' OFFICE, GANN VALLEY, SD

Buffalo County Weed Board met Tuesday July 19<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM. Those present were Donita Loudner, Jeff Fuegen, Richard Coleman, Lowell Swanson, and Lee Sinkie. Also visiting was Brenda Sievers SD Plant Industry Program Manager. Absent were Brian Roduner and Jared Looft.

This was an informational meeting to introduce members and Lee Sinkie as the new Weed Supervisor.

County ditch spraying discussed and determined to focus on fall spraying of ditches with a residual spray.

General function of weed board and reporting requirements such as publishing legal notices, voluntary control letters, grant and district meetings and conference were discussed as well as budget items. It has been suggested that the weed budget be increased by \$12,500 for possible UTV or ATV to expand capabilities.

Weed board meeting frequency was discussed. Board will meet at a minimum of four times per year, primarily every quarter potentially more often in the spring and summer.

The next board meeting will be emailed out by Lee Sinkie to the Buffalo County Weed Board and posted on the [buffalo.sdcounties.org](http://buffalo.sdcounties.org).

Attested:

Approved:

Lee Sinkie  
Buffalo County Weed Supervisor

Donita Loudner, Chairman  
Buffalo County Weed Board