

Buffalo County Annual Weed Board Meeting Minutes

March 13, 2025

Lee Sinkie called the meeting to order at 2:20 PM at the Brule County Ag Building, Pukwana SD.

Present were Lee Sinkie, Weed Supervisor, Commissioner Donita Loudner, and board members Rich Coleman and Jeff Fuegen.

Loudner made a motion to approve the agenda, second by Fuegen. All voted Aye.

Loudner made a motion to approve the minutes of the previous meeting, second by Fuegen. All voted Aye.

Current board members are Brian Roduner, Jeff Fuegen, Rich Coleman, Dana Douville and Chairperson Donita Loudner. Mileage and per diem rates were reviewed.

Sinkie reviewed the spray truck upgrades. New tank has been installed in gravel truck. The project is complete and Nutrien Solutions has been contacted for calibration.

Coleman made a motion to surplus the old spray truck, second by Fuegen. Sinkie will have this on the agenda for the next regular commission meeting to recommend selling truck. All voted Aye.

Sinkie reported that all of the grant requirements have been met to receive the next round of grant funding.

Lee Sinkie and Joe Lopez attended the 2025 Weed and Pest conference in Huron last February.

SD Dept of Ag and NR Program Specialist Jeremiah Phelps gave a presentation on state and local noxious weeds and control.

Loudner made a motion to adjourn, second by Fuegen. All voted Aye.

The next weed and pest board meeting to be determined.

Attested:

Approved:

Lee Sinkie
Buffalo County Weed Supervisor

Donita Loudner, Chairman
Buffalo County Weed Board