



Marion County Farm Bureau
 “Bringing Value to our Members”
 Board Meeting: June 8, 2022 – 6:30pm
 Meeting is open to all MCFB members and guests

OFB Boardroom
1320 Capitol St NE, Salem, OR 97301

Minutes

Board Members	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Greg Bennett	X	X	-	X	X	X					
Kathleen Carl	X	X	X	X	X	-					
Bruce Chapin	X	X	X	-	X	X					
Jessie DeJager	-	X	X	X	X	X					
Keith Ditchen	-	-	X	X	X	-					
Dana Estensen	X	X	X	X	X	X					
Richard Hostetter	X	X	X	X	X	X					
Anne Krahmer-Steinkamp	-	X	X	X	X	X					
Stuart Olson	X	X	X	X	X	X					
Joe Ruef	X	X	X	-	X	X					
Casey Stadel	X	X	X	X	X	X					
Dylan Wells	X	X	X	X	-	X					
Claire Zielinski	X	X	X	-	X	X					
John Zielinski	X	X	X	X	X	-					

Guests: Aileen Kaye (*Friends of Marion County*), Dave Dillon (*OFB Executive VP*)

Staff: Jill Ingalls, Ashley Christie

President Dana Estensen called the meeting to order at 6:33pm

Special Presentation

Dave Dillion presented information on the OFB Voter Education Fund and Political Action Committees (PAC)

Consent Agenda

Minutes: Board reviewed minutes from May 11, 2022 meeting.

Motion: Richard Hostetter moved to accept the minutes as presented; Claire Zielinski seconded.

Motion passed unanimously

Financial Reports: Richard Hostetter presented May financial report

Motion: Dylan Wells moved to receive the financial reports; Anne Krahmer-Steinkamp seconded.

Motion passed unanimously

New Members

Leonard Heidt, *voting*

Steven Wavra, *voting*

Daniel Wavra, *supporting*

Motion: Dylan Wells moved to accept new members as slated; Joe Ruef seconded.

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Board met with the following candidates:

Deb Patterson (*SD 10*), Raquel Moore-Green (*SD 10*), and Dan Farrington (*HD 20*)

Motion: Stuart Olson moves to endorse Raquel Moore-Green; Casey Stadeli seconded.

Motion passed unanimously

Old Business

Spray Drift – no updates; continue to move forward with ODA and OFS

Water Study – met with Mark Chien, Marion Extension Services, and Polk County to go over study Polk county is doing on water and some of Marion County’s water concerns

Biosolids – waiting for samples to be returned

Canola – no updates

Aurora-Donald Interchange – Board sent letter of support out

Chicken Farms – no progress on Stayton farm

New Business

Annual Meeting – venue will be Chemeketa Ag Sciences building; nominating committee to be formed

OFB Voter Education Fund – Multnomah County donating \$20,000 to fund and challenge Marion and other counties to match the donation.

Motion: Bruce Chapin moved to donate \$20,000 to the Voter Education Fund; Stuart Olsen seconded.

Motion passed unanimously

Oregon Agricultural Trust – staff will reach out for information to share with members in newsletters

Aumsville Corn Festival – information on participation presented

MCFB Committee Reports

By-Laws Committee – committee cleaned up language and modernized; will present to board at August meeting

Scholarship Committee – 39 applicants; 11 recipients selected. Will introduce Roger DeJager Memorial Scholarship next year.

OFB District 15 Director’s Report – Bruce Chapin

Dave Dillon leaving OFB Aug. 1, office in process of finding replacement

YF&R Report – Claire Zielinski

Meeting June 12 at Topwire Hop Project with Clackamas County

Women’s Advisory Council – Jessie DeJager and Kathleen Carl

Distributed food at Harrisburg Ronald McDonald House in May

Next Meeting: Meet with Candidates

Meeting adjourned at 9:28pm

NEXT MEETING: JULY 13, 2022 at 6:30PM

Location: OFB Boardroom

Report: 6/2/22

2022 Goal: 641 members

Renewed: 490 (76.44%)

Need: 151