Fall River Resource Conservation District

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Meeting Minutes Fall River RCD,
October 13th @ 7pm
M.C.T.O. at 7:01 pm

Board Members Present: Bill Buckman [x], Clay Jacobson [x], Chuck Macfarlane [x]
Don Martin [ ], Pat Oilar [x], Chris Camarata [ ]

Staff: Sharmie Stevenson [x], Richard DeAtley [x]

Public Comment: None

Guests in attendance:
Via phone:

New Business

Shasta County LAFCO Election: Sharmie informed the Board that there were two candidates for the Shasta County (LAFCO) election and noted that both had sent campaign letters requesting the Board's vote. After reading the campaign letters and brief discussion, a motion was made to vote for Brian Harris.
M/Pat S/Chuck Approved
Property Insurance Limits: Sharmie attempted to update the insured amount on the office and pump house buildings and in doing so the insurance company wanted to raise it far higher than the assumed value. In turn Sharmie is going to ask how they found their value and reach out to Don once he returns for a relative value for the building.

Consent Calendar
Minutes September 15th, 2026 Regular Meeting Expenditures 9/16/26 through 10/13/26
Financial Reports including profit and loss, balance sheet, transaction reports, and reconciled bank statements
M/Pat S/Chuck Approved

Old Business
Local Bidder Preference: Sharmie updated the board on her local bidder preference findings and that some organizations use a preference point system and so she is looking into the dollar/percentage value of a point to have a better understanding of what is being issued.

Executive Director Report
Core Bridge/Valic : Sharmie received a letter from Core Bridge and has been researching what the purpose of the letter was. She has called numerous phone numbers and has determined the it has something to do with the previous Executive Director but cannot find anyone within the company who can confirm what it is.
Pheasant Hunt Hats: Sharmie showed the board the hats she designed for the Pheasant hunt
CSD Project Update: Sharmie updated the board on all new findings from the CSD and the location of the stub-in for RCD connection.
McArthur Swamp Maps: Sharmie is working with Dale to get maps printed. She also presented a map of the RCD boundaries and Pat asked to have the RCD properties called out on the map. She will take care of that and then get the map printed.

Range Manager Report

Swamp Update: Richard told the Board about what has been going on at the swamp
Tailwater Ponds: Richard updated the board on progress for approval from DU for tailwater ponds
Pheasant Hunt: Richard updated the board on current number of hunters and worked out details for the upcoming Pheasant Hunt
Senior Project Update: Richard showed the board the initial project plan, including pricing from the students to enclose an area to plant trees and shrubs

Next Regular Meeting Date – Tuesday November 17th, 2026 at 6:00 PM