

Macon County SWCD Minutes

February 19th, 2025, 8:00am

Call to Order – **8:05 AM Attendees - Chase B, Eric V, Mark L, Austin P, Dave C, Delaney H**

Approve November Minutes –

Treasurers Report –

Old Business

- Status Update PFC –
 - 2024 PFC
 - Ellis Buth Waterway is still a priority (in state engineers hands)
 - Possible cover crops from Paul Henningsen and Alec Murphy
- Grants
 - Tentative selection for TA Grant **Delaney is still going to apply despite this grant being IRA funded**
- IL River Basin Project
 - Conservation Drainage Workshop NSEC Building December 17 – we have been paid and no longer have responsibilities

New Business

- Hiring a new AC **Board decided to offer the job to Meadow Sporrer, Chase to reach out later in the day**
- 1/28 MS4 Workshop successful! **Waiting to see how to bill MS4 group**
- Ready to start advertising for drill rental, insurance? **Delaney will contact Troxxel to get insurance set up**
- AISWCD/NRCS agreement – on hold (this is not the admin agreement) **Will need to discuss still holding a Local Work Group Meeting**
- Election Information
 - Up for reelection, Eric and Dave
 - Election to be held 2/20
 - **Delaney will find a way to send an e-ballot since we will not be meeting in person**
- Fish and Tree Sales
 - Fish Sale Wednesday April 23 at 1PM
- Newsletter will be delivered early March

Staff Update

- NRCS Update – If Present
- Delaney – Level 1 completed and Level 2 online training completed in 2024