



HABITAT PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM MEETING MINUTES

Upper Yampa River HPP Committee Zoom Video Conference October 25, 2021 5:30 pm

Upper Yampa River HPP Members Present: Kyle Bond- CPW, Jeff Clyncke- Livestock Grower, Larry Monger- Livestock Grower, Nita Naugle- Livestock Grower, Cedric Damby- Sportsman, Eric Scherff- BLM

Guests: Baili Foster- NRCS, Mary Monger, Doug Monger

General Public Comments: Doug Monger provided comments on the fence project in question and the HPP application and public comment processes.

Budget Report: The budget at the start of the meeting was \$3,230.50.

Old Business: The September 20th and October 18th minutes were tabled for approval at a later meeting.

New Business:

1. Goertz Fence (Rolling Ridge) - The committee reviewed the project presented by Harvey Goertz at the October 18th meeting that had been tabled. The applicant proposed a fencing project to replace approximately a quarter mile of existing fence with wildlife friendly fence. The committee expressed concern with the high cost associated with this fence project. The committee concurred that the fence looked sufficient based on the photos submitted and that there was not major wildlife conflict within the area. The committee would be willing to provide a roll of white vinyl wire to assist in making the fence wildlife friendly. The committee denied the project and offered to supply a roll of white vinyl wire for the project.

Remaining Committee Business/Other Discussion: The committee discussed reviewing NRCS fence guidelines for a frame of reference.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at approximately 6:20 pm.