



HABITAT PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM MEETING MINUTES

North Park HPP Committee Meeting
May 29, 2023 at 6:00 pm
River Rock Cafe- Walden, CO

Committee Members Present:

- Jacob Way - CPW
- Jim Baller Jr. - Livestock Grower
- Blaine Evans - Livestock Grower
- Danny Meyring (proxy)- Livestock Grower
- Todd Peterson - Sportsperson
- Vacant - BLM
- Vacant - USFS
- Keely Lopez - USFWS

Attendees Present:

Zach Weaver- CPW
Blair Rynearson- CSFS

Administrative Assistant Present:

Marian Cole

Introductions

Committee members and attendees were introduced.

Budget Report

The remaining budget balance at the start of the meeting was \$11,963.50.

Old Business

Minutes- The minutes from the March 29th meeting were approved as written.

CSFS/SFSP Thinning- Blair Rynearson updated the committee on the thinning project that was approved at the March 29th meeting. Due to a combination of factors including access issues caused by snow and high cost contractor bids, the project would not be able to be completed by the end of the fiscal year. The committee was in support of funding the project next fiscal year and recommended that Blair apply for HPP State Council funds as well to increase the impact and scale of the project. The project was preapproved for up to \$40,000.00 in FY24.

New Business

Fence Voucher Applications- The committee reviewed fence voucher applications and approved the following:

North Park Angus Ranch

Wood Posts	-
T-Posts	40
Barbed Wire	1
Smooth Wire	2
Staples lbs.	50

James Moore- The committee reviewed the fence voucher application which requested 24 rolls of white vinyl wire. The voucher application was denied. The committee preferred that the request come forward as a project application instead. The committee was open to providing a larger quantity of wire from inventory for large scale projects if applied for on a standard project application.

Remaining Committee Business

Upcoming Meeting- The tentatively scheduled June 7th meeting was canceled and the next meeting date will be scheduled as needed.

Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 7:15 pm.