

## ANTRIM CONSERVATION DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING APPROVED MEETING MINUTES FOR SEPTEMBER 20, 2023

Call meeting to order by Chairman at 4:01pm

Attendance Board/Partners/Staff/Public: Board Members Present: Adrienne Wolff, Kathleen Peterson, Bryan Smith, Absent: Zach Gosnell, Randy Johnson. Staff: Melissa Zelenak, Mike Meriwether. Commissioner: Jason Helwig

**Agenda Review and Approval** motion by Wolff, second by Peterson, to add "Staff health benefits renewal" and approve agenda, motion carries 3-0

Public Comment: n/a

**Staff, Partner, and Committee Reports:** Staff written reports submitted: Forestry, Soil Erosion, CAKE, and Executive Director; MDARD, MAEAP, and Food Safety written report submitted. *Motion to accept reports by Wolff, second by Peterson, motion carries 3-0* 

**Approval of August 23, 2023 Board Meeting Minutes** motion to approve by Wolff second by Peterson, motion carries 3-0

**Financial Review and Requests:** Motion to approve the financials for August 2023 by Wolff, second by Peterson, roll call: Peterson-Yes, Johson-absent, Wolff-Yes, Gosnell-absent, and Smith-Yes, motion carries 3-0

**Grant Updates:** EGLE Antrim County Public Buildings Start Recycling Project was not awarded, EGLE representative stated several large project grants received priority funding, follow up call with EGLE scheduled in October

**New Business:** Approve MACD Membership Dues at Platinum level in the amount of \$1300, *motion to approve by Wolff second by Peterson, motion carries 3-0.* Approve/renew Mason-Lake and CAKE Agreement for Services: tabled for further information to October board meeting. Acceptance of 2022 ACD Accounting Audit, *motion to approve by Wolff, second by Peterson, motion carries 3-0;* Budget increase for new truck for recycling program from \$20,000 to \$30,000, *motion by Wolff, second by Peterson, roll call: Peterson-Yes, Johson-absent, Wolff-Yes, Gosnell-absent, and Smith-Yes, motion carries 3-0;* Funding approval for ACD Public Buildings Start Recycling Project in Antrim County in an amount not to exceed \$5,000 to begin implementation of recycling in county owned facilities and public areas, *motion by Wolff, second by Smith, roll call: Peterson-Yes, Johson-absent, Wolff-Yes, Gosnell-absent, and Smith-Yes, motion carries 3-0;* Board Director Regular Meeting and Committee

Attendance/Scheduling, dates for committee meetings to be determined; Staff health benefits renewal, motion to approve by Wolff, second by Peterson, motion carries 3-0.

Motion to adjourn by Wolff, second by, Smith, motion carries 3-0

Minutes prepared by Zelenak September 20, 2023