

Fish & Wildlife Commission Meeting Minutes

Thursday, May 15, 2025 - 7:00 pm

Commissioners Present	Commissioners Absent	Others
Crystal Norris – Chairperson		Mary Halasz – So Co Dept Agriculture
	David Cook	Arielle Kubu-Jones – So Co Dept. Agriculture
Kevin Davis		
Todd Derum		
	Keli Hendricks	
Jeff Holden		
	Harry Hubbell	
Beth Lamb		
Jim Lynch		
Sharon Ponsford		
	Dagny Thomas	

Due to technical difficulties there was no Zoom hybrid option for this meeting.

I. Call to Order

Commissioner Crystal Norris called the meeting to order at 7:04 pm.

II. Adoption of April 2025 Minutes

Report: Crystal Norris asked if there are any additions or corrections to the April 2025 minutes.

Action: A motion was made by Sharon Ponsford to accept minutes; motion seconded by Kevin Davis.

Passed with: 7 ayes, 0 nays, 4 absent.

III. <u>Correspondence</u>

Fish and Game Commission notices go directly to commissioners via email.

IV. Financial Reports for April 2025

Report: Commission currently has \$20,339.29 remaining in budget for this fiscal year and \$14,000.00 will come out of this for scholarships. Received small amount of funds from Superior Court.

Action: A motion was made by Jim Lynch to accept financial reports for April 2025 as presented; motion seconded by Jeff Holden.

Passed with: 7 ayes, 0 nays, 4 absent.

V. Old Business

A. No old business.

VI. New Business

A. Commissioners present discussed and voted on 2025 Scholarship winners. Full packet of redacted scholarships that were considered: <u>Link to Redacted Scholarship Packet</u>. After the vote was finalized, the names of the winners were shared with the Commissioners. Scholarships will be awarded as follows:

- 1. Katrina Anderson \$3,000.00 Al Ferris Memorial Scholarship
- 2. Aiyana Diya Singh \$3,000.00 Al Gerhardt Memorial Scholarship
- 3. Danielle Delfino \$2,000.00 Fish & Wildlife Scholarship
- 4. Caroline Hampton \$2,000.00 Fish & Wildlife Scholarship
- 5. Olivia Solis \$2,000.00 Fish & Wildlife Scholarship
- 6. Valeria Chombo \$2,000.00 Fish & Wildlife Scholarship

VII. Reports/Comments

- A. Public No Comments
- B. Board No Comments

VIII. Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 7:22pm.

Respectfully submitted, Mary Halasz Commission Secretary