

Official Minutes
State Soil Conservation Board Meeting

July 18, 1960

The regular meeting of the Texas State Soil Conservation Board was called to order by Vice-Chairman, J. S. Sharp at the Hilton Hotel, San Antonio, Texas at 10:00 A.M. on July 18.

Other members present were A. F. Leesch and E. W. Wehman. Executive Director, A. C. Spencer was also present.

The members were advised by A. C. Spencer that the bond issue for the proposed Elm Creek project had failed and that there would be a need for a priority recommendation to the Soil Conservation Service in the near future. After consideration of financial and other arrangements completed by the six watersheds that have been recommended for priority, E. W. Wehman moved and A. F. Leesch seconded the motion that Big Creek in the Brazos-Robertson Soil Conservation District be recommended for first priority of the six recently recommended.

The matter of the request for changing the boundaries of Zones 4 and 5 of the Matagorda County Soil Conservation District was considered. A. F. Leesch moved and E. W. Wehman seconded the motion to change the boundaries as requested by the local district. A. C. Spencer was instructed to contact the Soil Conservation Service and ask them to review with the five other watersheds recently recommended for priority financial and other arrangements and report to the State Soil Conservation Board any deficiencies that need to be corrected or worked out prior to the time that planning can begin.

E. W. Wehman asked if there were any suggestions that need to be made to the State ASC Committee pertaining to the 1960-61 program. The proposal by the Kaufman-Van Zandt Soil Conservation District that the ASC continue payments on conservation reserve acreage on which easements have been granted for flood

prevention structures was considered. Mr. Wehman was instructed to recommend to the State Committee that this be done.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 11:00 A.M.

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Chairman

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Secretary

September 7, 1960
Date

Dear Sir:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your minutes dated June 15 & July 18, 1960.

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TEMPLE, TEXAS

Sincerely yours,

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