

OFFICIAL MINUTES  
TEXAS STATE SOIL CONSERVATION BOARD  
AUGUST 9, 1955

The Texas State Soil Conservation Board held its regular meeting in its office in Temple, Texas, on August 9, 1955, at 8:00 P.M.

Members present were C. M. Caraway, Sr., Chairman, E. W. Wehman, A. F. Leesch, S. J. Payne and J. P. Martin.

Others present were A. C. Spencer and H. D. Davis of the State Soil Conservation Board and H. N. Smith of the Soil Conservation Service.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved with the following corrections: the following watershed priorities were corrected to read as follows:

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| 1. Turkey Creek     | Coastal Plains      |
| 2. Lagunillas Creek | Atascosa            |
| 3. Leona River      | Nueces-Frio-Sabinal |

The proposed dissolution of the Middle Guadalupe Basin Soil Conservation District No. 308 and the proposed organization of the Gonzales County Soil Conservation District No. 338 and De Witt County Soil Conservation District No. 339 were discussed by A. C. Spencer. Mr. E. W. Wehman discussed the Public Hearings which were held July 28, 1955, on the above proposals.

A motion was made by E. W. Wehman and seconded by S. J. Payne for determination of need of organization of Gonzales County Soil Conservation District and De Witt County Soil Conservation District and determination of need of discontinuance and reorganization of Middle Guadalupe Basin Soil Conservation District. The motion carried.

The progress on the annexations of a portion of Aransas County to San Patricio Soil Conservation District and Bolivar Peninsula of Galveston County to Trinity Bay Soil Conservation District was discussed by A. C. Spencer.

New applications for assistance in planning for watershed protection and flood prevention were received on the following:

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| 1. Upper Bosque | Bosque SCD No. 522           |
|                 | Upper Leon SCD No. 525       |
|                 | Hamilton-Coryell SCD No. 506 |



Draw be approved for immediate planning contingent upon the local sponsoring organization furnishing funds for developing the plan. The motion carried.

The previous year's work of the State Board was discussed and future plans also discussed.

It was decided to have the next State Soil Conservation Board meeting in A. F. Leesch's District.

The meeting adjourned.

9-12-55

Date

Harvey Davis  
Secretary

L. M. Caraway  
Chairman