

Kossuth County Conservation Board
Regular Monthly Meeting
Water's Edge Nature Center
April 8, 2023 5:30 P.M.

Present: Eichenberger; Miller; Rasmussen; Ristau; Young
 Beenken; Fosado; Stumme

Absent:

Guests Present:

Chairman Eichenberger called the meeting to order.

A motion was made by Rasmussen and seconded by Ristau to approve the April meeting minutes. The motion passed unanimously.

The Naturalist report for April was submitted by Fosado for Wille. Projects accomplished included live animal maintenance, curriculum development and office recycling, attended the monthly staff and board meeting, cleaned and stored maple syrup equipment, intern interviews, distributed trees; School programs-37 for 660 students; Public programs-3 for 81 people; 0 civic programs. JCL event-cleanup with 6 attending. 20 Facebook posts were put out with 16,002 people reached and 1,452 engaged.

The board was informed Rod Schmidt had completed the paperwork for the donation of approx. 80 acres of land in Section 10 of Portland Township. The warrantee deed had been recorded.

The board was informed the renovation of the north campground at Smith Lake was nearly complete and campers were allowed to occupy sites starting May 8. Six seasonal sites have been reserved so far.

The board approved of holding the June board meeting on Monday the 12th at 5:30 pm at the Water's Edge Nature Center.

A motion was made by Miller and seconded by Young to approve the 34 bills submitted for approval. The motion passed unanimously.

A motion was made by Ristau and seconded by Rasmussen to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously.