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Agenda for the meeting of Mauna Kea Soil and Water Conservation District

Date: Wednesday, July 12, 2023 Time: 3:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.

Location: In person at USDA-NRCS Waimea Field Office 67-1185 Mamalahoa Hwy

Suite H-148 Kamuela, HI 96743 or online via Microsoft Teams

- I. Approval of Agenda
- II. Approval/Review Minutes- 6/14/2023
- III. Treasurer's report Cellier
- IV. Chairman's Report von Holt
- V. Committee Report
- VI. Farm Dwelling Review
- VII. Sub-division Review
 - a. PL-SUB-2023-000162
- VIII. Agreements/Contract Approval
 - a. Cooperative Agreement
 - b. Plan Approval
 - i. Alan Everson
 - c. Plan Revision
 - d. Plan Update
 - e. Plan Cancellation
- IX. Reports, Correspondence and Announcements
 - a. NRCS

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- i. Program update
- b. Conservation Specialist/Administrative Assistant

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X. Old Business



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- a. Debit card
- b. Add Guy to bank accounts remove Brad
- c. Reminder HACD conference June 21st to 23rd

XI. New Business

- a. Increase in funding
- b. HACD Conference
 - i. 2024 conference on Kauai
 - ii. First day, bunch of speakers
 - Astor Boozer, NRCS Regional Conservationist gave a talk on how can he help us improve programs and how he can help our producers
 - 2. Producers gave presentations on their operation and how NRCS supported them
 - 3. Auction raised \$1,818.38 that will be used for the State Conservation Awareness contest
 - iii. Second day
 - 1. Tours of producers operations
 - iv. Third day, HACD executive board meeting
 - 1. HACD officers: Brenda Iokepa Moses-President, Doug Beaton-Vice President, Ed Kawamura-Secretary, Rick Robinson-Treasurer
 - 2. State Conservation Awareness Contest hosted by Kona SWCD
 - 3. All associate board members will have to be re-appointed, their term will consist of 3 years ending in June 30th, and do not need to submit paperwork to DLNR
- c. HACD sub-committee formation for of agreement between NRCS and HACD
- d. Cooperator of the year
 - i. Pick cooperator
 - 1. two for 2023 and two for previous year total of four
 - ii. Date, time, location
 - iii. Gift for cooeprator
- e. Bank change over
- f. Open discussion
- XII. Adjournment

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