

Franklin Soil and Water Conservation District

March 17, 2022

Members present: Mark Curenton, Walter Armistead, and Alan Pierce

Members not present: Krystal Hernandez and Chuck Marks

Others present: Cathy Davis

The meeting was called to order by Vice Chair, Walter Armistead. A motion was made by Mark Curenton to approve minutes from the November 18, 2021 meeting; the motion seconded by Alan Pierce. Motion carried.

The Treasurer's report was given, and the current balance is \$3,915.73, with no activity.

An overview of the activity in the Blountstown Field Office. We have 38 applications in total, 32 are forestry, 3 grazing and 3 in crops. Civil Rights responsibilities with partners was reviewed with the board and they all signed the form.

Alan Peirce gave an overview of the East Point Dredge Project. It appears the project is going to take longer than earlier expected. Dredging will possibly start in May and the spoil will have to set for 6 months to settle before planting. Unfortunately, the spoil will be unprotected through the hurricane season. Hopefully, we will have an uneventful hurricane season and planting can be done early next spring.

The Senate House Bill 783 was reviewed with the board. A mandatory meeting of all five supervisors of the governing body of the district must meet at least once per calendar year in a public meeting pursuant to s.286.011. If a meeting without a full board has commenced will result in an automatic dissolution of the district and transfer of the assets and liabilities of the district will be transferred to Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services.

The next scheduled meeting will be May 19th, 2022. Meeting was adjourned.