SDCUC Board Meeting

September 16, 2020

**SDCUC Director Present:** Robert Walsh, Laron Krause, Grant Rix, Stuart Samson, Jim Ketelhut

**SDCUC Directors Absent:** Chad Blindauer, Justin Minnaert, Jim Klebsch

**Others Present:** Lisa Richardson, Teddi Mueller, Heather Neugebauer, John Smith, Dave Ellens, Doug Noem, Travis Strasser, Taylor Sumption, Mike Cronin, Scott Stahl, Trent Kubik, Gary Duffy, Wes Chambers, Bill Gibbons, David Clay, Ron Alverson, Ryan LeGrand via Zoom, Carry Sifferath via Zoom, Ellen Zimmerman via Zoom, Marty Ruikka via Zoom

1. SDCUC President Robert Walsh called the meeting to order at 1:15 pm on Wednesday, September 16, 2020.
2. Motion made and supported to approve minutes for the SDCUC July meeting. Motion Approved.
3. Motion made and supported to approve the Draft (pre-audited) SDCUC June, July and August financials. Motion Approved.
4. Motion made and supported to approve the agenda. Motion Approved.
5. Bill Gibbons from SDSU gave an update on what has been going on at SDSU College of Ag & Bio and SDSU Extension. He went over staffing changes, research projects, building projects and goals.
6. Ryan LeGrand, Cary Sifferath and Ellen Zimmerman joined the meeting from U.S. Grains Council. Ryan and Cary gave an overview of what they are seeing from a national level.
7. Marty Ruikka from ProExporter discussed Supply and Demand at the state and national level.
8. **Trip Pre-Approval:**
* Laron Krause, Grant Rix, Chad Blindauer and Robert Walsh– Commodity Classic (March 3-6)
1. Motion made and supported to adjourn the meeting. Motion Approved.