

**State Conservation Commission Meeting
Contested Case Hearing
Kneip Bldg. Conference Room # 3, Pierre, SD
October 20, 2022**

Call to Order: Chairman Doug Hansen called the meeting to order at 11:00 pm CT.

Members Present: Doug Hansen, Dean Odden, Tom Glover, Charlie Moe

Members Present via Conference Call:

Bruce Haines, Dusty Rodiek

Members absent: Mike Konechne, Gene Williams, Bill Coburn

Others Present in Person:

Bill Smith (DANR), Alex Roeber (DANR), Jordan Turgeon (DANR) Kim Paxton (DANR), Angela Ehlers (SDACD), David McVey (SD Attorney General Office), Carla A. Bachand (Capital Reporting Services), Mr. Clint Sargent (Meierhenry Law Firm), Robin Viestenz with Beadle CO. District, Shad Larson from Iroquois, Pam Layton with Beadle CO. District, Russ Layton with Beadle CO. District, Mark Goldhamer from Beadle County, Roger Chase from Beadle County

Conflict of Interest Disclosure: Chairman Hansen asked the Commission members if they had any conflicts of interest to disclose at this time. Tom Glover disclosed that his son worked for the Meierhenry Law firm. Russ Layton was asked if he had any concerns with this. He said that he did not.

The meeting was turned over to David McVey.

Public Hearing – Petition was received from Russ Layton to remove Fran Fritz from the Beadle Conservation District Board of Supervisors pursuant to SDCL 38-8-43. A public hearing regarding the petition and both sides presented their evidence regarding the petition.

A motion was made by Dean Odden and seconded to go into executive session.

Board members went in executive session.

The meeting turned back over to Chairman Hansen.

A motion by Charlie Moe and seconded to deny the petition to remove Fran Fritz.

Roll call vote: Dean Odden-aye, Bruce Haines-nay, Bill Coburn-aye, Charlie Moe-aye, Tom Glover-aye, Rusty Rodiek-aye. Doug Hansen-aye. **Motion carried.**

Business items for an upcoming commission meeting will be the fact finding and objection

Chairman Hansen closed the meeting at 2:11 pm.