

**Grant Soil & Water Conservation District
Board of Supervisors Regular Monthly Meeting
July 15, 2025**

The regular monthly meeting of the Grant Soil & Water Conservation District Board of Supervisors was held on Tuesday, July 15, 2025, 8:00 AM, USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service office, 130 2nd street Colfax, La 71417

Supervisor's Present:

Mr. Richard Bonner, Chairman
Joshua Fletcher, Vice chairman
Mrs. Conan Soileau, Supervisor
Mr. Kennth Richardson, Supervisor

Supervisors Absent:

Others Present:

Au'Daeus Rockingham, Supervisory District Conservationist
Mrs. Karly Higgs, District Secretary
Mr. Mitch Willis, Soil Con
Tommy Crook
Steven McKay, CPA
Dylan Spor, CPA
Todd Sewell, US Forest Service Catahoula Ranger District

Chairman Bonner called the meeting to order at 8:00 AM.

Approval of Minutes:

The minutes of the previous District Board meeting were reviewed. Chairman Bonner asked for any public comments and there were none. Chairman Bonner called for a motion to approve the minutes of the June 2025. Regular board Meeting.

Chairman Bonner asked for any public comments and there were none

Motion: Mrs. Conan made a motion to approve, as read, the minutes of June 2025, regular Board Meeting. The motion was seconded by Mr. Ken and passed unanimously. Motion carried July 15, 2025, minutes were approved and signed accordingly.

Secretary-Treasurer Report:

Chairman asked for any public comments and there were none.

June 2025 Receipts:

LDAF Feral Swine Program	\$225.00
AT&T Feral Swine Phone	\$108.22
Grant Hardware	\$1,090.00
Feral Swine Gas	\$1,140.31
AutoZone	\$111.53
Petrus	\$143.70
LDAF PP#7,8,9	\$205.77

June 2025 Disbursements:

AT&T	\$108.22
Valley Farmers CO-OP	\$99.99
Grant Hardware	\$1,099.96
Spring Market Gas	\$473.09
Chevron Gas	\$86.02
Pantry Pal Gas	435.75

Supervisors' Per Diem & Mileage-

<u>Supervisor</u>	<u>Per Diem</u>	<u>Mileage</u>	<u>Total</u>
Josh Fletcher	35.00		
Richard Bonner	35.00		
Conan Soileau	35.00		
Kenneth Richardson	35.00		

The board went over the bills to be paid for the month of July 2025. Total expense for the bills is 2,528.71

Motion: by Mr. Ken, seconded by Mrs. Conan, the board approved to pay bills as submitted.

Chairman Bonner asks for a motion to pay the monthly LDAF PP# 12,13 Invoice.

Motion by Mrs. Conan, seconded by Mr. Josh, the board approved the monthly LDAF Payroll Invoice.

Correspondence:

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Unfinished Business:

- A. Hog Trap Contract
- B. Ta Grant
- C. Feral Swine Funds – Board wants to use the funds to get a portable building to store traps and hog gear if possible.

New Business:

- A. Possible Partnership with Valley Co-op
- B. Raising money for District Ideas
- C. New SWCD CPA – Steven McKay
- D. Outreach Ideas
- E. Appointed Secretary/Treasurer, Mrs. Conan Soileau

Other Business:

Supervisor's attendance form
District Accomplishment Report
District Farm Bill Report

Feral Swine Report - James Slayter
District Conservation Report

Chairman asked for any public comments and there were none

Motion: Mr. Ken made a motion to accept the June 2025 District Accomplishment Report as presented. The motion was seconded by Mrs. Conan and passed unanimously.

Chairman asked for any public comments and there were none

The Board reviewed the District Farm Bill Report for the month of June 2025

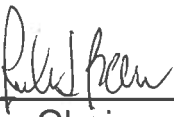
Motion: Mrs. Conan made a motion to accept the June 2025 District Farm Bill Report as presented. The motion was seconded by Mr. Ken and passed unanimously.

Chairman asked for any public comments and there were none

The next regular monthly meeting of the Grant Soil & Water Conservation District Board of Supervisors will be held on August 19 ,2025 at 8:00 AM in the Colfax USDA-NRCS field office located at 130 2nd Street. Colfax, LA 7147

Adjourn:

Having no further business to discuss, a motion was made by Mr. Ken and seconded by Mrs. Conan to adjourn the meeting at 10:00 AM. Motion carried.


Chairman


Vice-Chairman