



Legislative Research Council

REGIONAL WATERSHED ADVISORY TASK FORCE AGENDA

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Representative Brian Gosch, Chair
Senator Mike Vehle, Vice Chair

First Meeting
2013 Interim
April 22, 2013

Ramada Inn and Suites Conference Center
1525 W. Havens
Mitchell, South Dakota

- 9:00 a.m. Call to Order
Determination of Quorum
Approval of Minutes
Opening Remarks – Rep. Brian Gosch, Chair
- 9:15 a.m. Review of Task Force Activity, Purpose – Rep. Gosch and LRC staff
- 9:30 a.m. Climate Implications for Watershed Management and Drainage Issues
- *Dr. Dennis Todey, SDSU, State Climatologist*
- 10:30 a.m. Break
- 10:40 a.m. Drainage Practices and Issues
- *Dr. Chris Hay, SDSU, Agricultural and Biosystems Engineering*
- 11:40 a.m. The Offsite Impacts of Improved Soil Health
- *Mr. Jeff Zimprich and Mr. Jeff Hemenway, Natural Resources Conservation Service*
- Noon Lunch Break
- 1:00 p.m. Issues with Watershed Management and Drainage
- *Mr. Clark Moeckly, Upper Crow Creek Watershed District*
- 1:30 p.m. County Perspectives and Experiences with Drainage Issues
- Brown County – *Mr. Duane Sutton and Mr. Gary Vetter*
 - McCook County – *Mr. Bill Smith, Mr. Sheldon Butzke, Mr. Marc Dick, and Mr. Mic Kreutzfeldt*
 - Kingsburg County – *Mr. Roger Lee*
 - Yankton County – *Mr. Allen Sinclair, Mr. Garry Moore, Mr. Pat Garrity, and Mr. Rob Klimisch*
- 3:30 p.m. Break
- 3:45 p.m. Public Testimony
- 4:30 p.m. Task Force Discussion
- 5:00 p.m. Adjourn

Note: All times are approximate.

Members: Representative Brian Gosch, Chair; Senator Mike Vehle, Vice Chair; Senators Jason Frerichs, Tom Jones, and Russell Olson; Representatives Dennis Feickert, Spencer Hawley, and Leslie Heinemann; Ms. Kim Vanneman; and Messrs Dennis Duncan, Mike Jaspers, Rick Sommers, Paul Symens, and George Vandel.

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