July 17, 2019

District Meeting

Nicky's Restaurant Madison, SD Lake County

Those present were DeAnna and Kendra from Moody, Maggie from Kingsbury, Jacob and Reid from Brookings, Tracy from McCook, Rick from Lake, Darcy from Miner and Chris and Kyle from Minnehaha.

Tracy has a report compiled from the May conference and will provide a copy via email to anyone that would like to have it.

Brief discussion and review of current Bills:

SB 4 – Agland Study – Brookings is the only county present that is taking part. Jacob has submitted information but has not received feedback yet.

HB 1080 – Disabled Veteran – from \$100,000 to \$150,000

HB 1081 – Paraplegic Veteran – no longer required to reapply each year

HB 1215 – If putting Ordinance changes on county website, you must put old ordinance and new ordinance to show the changes.

HB 1079 – Plumbing license application is not needed for working on person's own property but must pay inspection fee.

Maggie brought up the issue of flooding on Lake Thompson and Lake Henry, asking if others were experiencing similar circumstances. No one is having extreme issues like Kingsbury County is facing. Maggie noted they have received 40+ abatement applications due to having no access to homes and farmland. Chris and Jacob suggested doing an Access Adjustment for 2020. Darcy shared that a small group of Kingsbury residents attended the Miner County Commission meeting on July 16, 2019 regarding the Lake Thompson outlet located in Miner County. The issue must go through the State Water Management Board in Pierre, a meeting has been set for October 2019.

2019 NCRAAO Conference August 11-15 in Bismark, ND. Tracy reported that currently only 4 people from SD have registered. Chris offered there have been great, informative sessions at past NCRAAO conferences and recommended attending if possible.

SDAAO School - August 19-23 in Pierre

Statewide GIS Workshop – July 24-25 in Mitchell

Synergy/Proval – September 22-26 in Virginia Beach, VA

Our next meeting will be October 16 in McCook County

Meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by:

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