

**Minutes of SDAAO District 8  
Wednesday, November 9, 2016, Day County Courthouse,  
Webster, South Dakota**

**Members Present:**

<b>Dari Schlotte</b>	<b>Day County</b>
<b>Mary Worlie</b>	<b>Brown County</b>
<b>Sarah Swenson</b>	<b>Brown County</b>
<b>Shannon Lee</b>	<b>Marshall County</b>
<b>Barbra Block</b>	<b>Day County</b>
<b>Renee Buck</b>	<b>Hamlin County</b>
<b>Chris Schafer</b>	<b>Hamlin County</b>
<b>Gayleen Rothenberger</b>	<b>Hamlin County</b>
<b>Kathy Steinlicht</b>	<b>Grant County</b>
<b>Ryan Gruba</b>	<b>Grant County</b>
<b>Heidi Selchert</b>	<b>Codington County</b>
<b>Donna Rhody</b>	<b>Deuel County</b>
<b>Corina Erickson</b>	<b>Dept. of Revenue</b>
<b>Jarvis Reidburn</b>	<b>Clark County</b>
<b>Shari Gamber</b>	<b>Roberts County</b>

**Chairman Shannon Lee called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone.**

**Dari motioned to approve the minutes from our last meeting and Donna 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion.**

**A gift was given to Renee Buck for her retirement. Her official last day is November 15, 2016. She will be busy traveling and enjoying her retirement. Chris was appointed the new Director in Hamlin County.**

**Chris introduced Gayleen Rothenberger as his new Deputy. Mary from Brown introduced Sarah Swenson. Sarah is a new appraiser in Brown County. Mary also stated she hired a new clerk named Rebecca.**

**Donna and Mary discussed the Ag Task Force meeting that was held Sept 12<sup>th</sup> in Pierre. Donna passed out handouts on what the bill is now and the proposed Senate Bill 3. Donna stated they made the Bill easier to understand. Corina stated that they made it a 2 part. We**

**had a discussion on the Olympic year averages and also how the land owners are not reporting on their Grass and Crop land.**

**We also discussed the issues going on in Walworth County and all hoped this will pass soon and Deb can get back to work.**

**Shannon asked how each county does their Owner Occupied. We discussed if each county goes by if they have another residence in the United States or just with in South Dakota.**

**Dari touched on his 2014 appeal about a perpetual easement that went to OHE and then on to Circuit Court.**

**Corina brought up the Education Committee and how they are now offering a spring class for those whom cannot attend school in the fall. This will help out small offices that only have 2 employees so they do not have to close the office for a week to attend school. The class this year will be held in Yankton. This class will help out new directors. The question was asked if a person attends both classes will they receive 2 credits. Corina said she would check into that.**

**Lots of discussion on GIS- who has it and if they have a website are they charging for it and if so how much. Codington County used First District for GIS and currently has GIS Workshop for a website and charges \$300 a year plus a \$25 set up charge. Brown County has the same charges but they also have a one month fee of \$100 and if they choose to keep the website the \$100 is put towards their \$300 yearly charge. Deuel and Grant Counties also use First District and their websites should be up and going January 1, 2017**

**There being no further business, a motion to adjourn was made by Dari Schlotte. The motion was seconded by Chris Schafer.**