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# MONTHLY MEETING AGENDA

# Thursday, February 9, 2023 – 4:00 PM Dorothy Pecaut Nature Center 4500 Sioux River Road, Sioux City Iowa 51109

- Call to Order/Roll Call Quorum/open meeting compliance
- Welcome Supervisor Mark Nelson, New Board Liaison
- **Public Comment/Input** This is an opportunity for the public to address any subject pertaining to Conservation Board business.

## CONSENT AGENDA

- C1. Approve Minutes of the January 12, 2023, Regular Meeting
- C2. Approve the January 2023 Claims and Expenditures
- C3. Receive and Place on File the January 2023 Financial/Budget Report
- C4. Acceptance of Gifts/Donations:

December 2022 (Accepted and approved January 12, 2023):

- Scheels for \$4,000 cash donation for Summer Interns
- Rosie Kuehne for \$3,000 cash donation for Outdoor Learning Shelter
- Rosie Kuehne for \$200 for Winter Fun Day craft box supplies
- Lawrence L. and Juliann P. Delperdang for \$600 for bird seed/animal food
- Jerry Von Ehwegen for \$50 cash for bird seed
- Greg Pranke and Julie Miller-Pranke for \$25 cash in memory of Bonnie Brown
- Dawn Snyder for \$40 cash in memory of Bonnie Brown
- Jan Null for \$10 cash donation for programs
- Rosie Kuehne, Donna Popp, Mary Siepker, Carol Probst, Helen Anderson, Linda Bockelman, Anne Shaner, Cindy Bennett, Theresa Kruid for craft supplies for winter craft boxes
- Pizza Ranch Sioux City for 200 boxes for winter craft boxes
- Norb Ruhland for gift shop tree stand repair
- Connie Hoag for \$25 cash donation in honor of Cathy Hayes
- Jean Gill for \$300 for HILLarious Trail Race proceeds for trail maintenance
- Missouri River Runners for \$100 for HILLarious Trail Race proceeds for trail maintenance

January 2022:

- Scheels for \$2,500 cash donation for Summer Interns (via WCCF)
- Marilyn Milbrodt for \$100 towards Screech Owl aviary in memory of Patti Brown

### **REGULAR AGENDA**

- R1. Approve Consent Agenda (Conservation Board)
- R2. Equipment Bids Action (Brian)
- R3. Capital Improvement Projects Update (Dan)
  1. Little Sioux Park Old Tent Site Area Clearing Action
- R4. Board Member/Staff Reports Board members and staff may report on meetings or activities that they have been involved with. (Board and Staff)
  - 1. Administrative Items (Dan)
    - a. Set March Meeting Date
    - b. Naturalist I Replacement Update
    - c. Long-Range Planning Follow-Up Comments (Dan)
    - d. Radios from Supervisors ARPA \$\$ Informational
    - e. Budget Update Wage Plan Employees Supervisors Recommendation Informational
    - f. Friend of Conservation and Conservation Educator Awards Action (Theresa)
    - g. Old Business Ike's Update
    - h. Other Business Mark Nelson, Supervisor Liaison Information
  - 2. Nature Center Activities (Theresa)
  - 3. Park Activities (Brian)
  - 4. Board Information (Board Members)
  - 5. Other Business
- R5. Adjournment

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

- 1. Woodbury County Conservation Foundation Annual Meeting February 18, 2023 DPNC
- 2. Conservation Board meeting March 2023 DPNC (TBD)
- 3. ISAC Spring Conference March 9-10, 2023 Des Moines