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## Vya Conservation District Meeting Agenda

May 23, 2024; 1:00 p.m

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**Call in Number:** +1 669 900 6833 US (San Jose) **Meeting ID:** 846 1164 0059 **Passcode:** .871008

In person: Rockin' TD Ranch; 102645 SR 34, Long Valley (Vya), NV 89412

### CALL TO ORDER AT:

**ROLL CALL:** Diane Hagelthorn-Stobiecki      Riaan Odendaal      Martishia Romesha  
Pati Smith      Steve Smith      Tony Stobiecki

### ABSENT:

### QUORUM:

### OTHERS PRESENT:

### OPENING REMARKS BY MEMBERS OF THE BOARD:

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### NOT FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

- A. NRCS Report: Bryon Hadwick
- B. BLM Report: Kevin Kunkel
- C. DCNR Report: Marlee Jenkins
  - a. SCC SG Grants: Seeking projects which will benefit Sage-grouse and Sage-grouse habitat. DUE JUNE 30th, 2024.
- D. Update on cell tower: Tony
  - a. No update

### FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

1. Discussion and Possible Approval of Minutes of February 21, 2024 meeting: Tony



2. **Discussion and Possible Approval of Treasurer's Report: Pati/Tony**
  - a. Account balances
  - b. Timecard hours
3. **Discussion and Possible Approval of items related to Work Plan and Budget for FY 24/25: Tony**
4. **Discussion and Possible Approval of items related to weed spraying: Tony**
5. **Discussion and Possible Approval of items related to Modoc Ag Expo: Tony**
  - a. Update on Ag Expo participation
6. **Discussion and Possible Approval of items related to scholarships: Pati**
  - a. Review of scholarship applications
  - b. Review of transcripts from 2023 scholarship recipients
7. **Discussion and Possible Approval of items related to guidelines for VCD Cost Share Distribution Determinations: Tony**
8. **Discussion and Possible Approval of items related to Letter of Intent to Distribute Funds: Tony**
9. **Discussion and Possible Approval of items related to VCD Cost Share applications: Tony**
  - a. Update application wording
10. **Discussion and Possible Approval of items related to the USFWS/PFW FY24 Sage-Bill project funding: Cheryl Mandich**
11. **Discussion and Possible Approval of items related to SCC SG Grant Opportunities: Tony/Marlee**
12. **Discussion and Possible Approval of items related to Mosquito Valley project and potential new NDOW projects: Tony/Katie Andrie**
  - a. Katie Andrie, NDOW, via email: No new projects, Mosquito Valley, or Lawson Aerator updates at this time. Possible update in July/August.

**NEXT MEETING DATE AND TIME:**

**LOCATION:** Rockin' TD in Vya, NV; Zoom and call-in TBA

**ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING:**

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**ADJOURNMENT:**