



# Idaho Soil & Water Conservation Commission

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## IDAHO SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION PUBLIC MEETING & TELECONFERENCE

**Date and Time:**

Thursday, May 22, 2025  
10:02 AM – 12:23 PM MST

**Location:**

322 E. Front St., Suite 560  
Boise, Idaho 83702

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### MINUTES

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**COMMISSION MEMBERS PRESENT:**

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| Erik Olson (Chair) (Z)       | Blake Hollingsworth (Secretary/Treasurer)(Z) |
| Wendy Pratt (Vice Chair) (Z) | Karen Sharpnack (Z)                          |
| Mitch Silvers (Z)            |                                              |

**COMMISSION STAFF PRESENT:**

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| Mat Weaver (Administrator)(Z)           | Loretta Strickland (Ag Program Manager) (Z) |
| Melonie Ziegler (Fiscal Manager)        | Bill Lillibridge (Lead Engineer) (Z)        |
| Sarah Quidgeon (Natural Res.)           | Brenda Charles (Loan Assistant)             |
| Terry Hoebelheinrich (Loan Officer) (Z) |                                             |
| Corri Parsley (Admin Assistant)         |                                             |
| George Hitz (Operations Manager) (Z)    |                                             |

**PARTNERS AND GUESTS PRESENT:**

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| David Perkins (OAG)              | Karma Bragg (Custer SWD) (Z)               |
| Lynn Ruspuss (Nez Perce SWD) (Z) | Wendy Green (Adams SWD) (Z)                |
| Steve Becker (Nez Perce SWD) (Z) | Sascha Marston (IDWR) (Z)                  |
| Clint Zenner (Nez Perce SWC) (Z) | George Zamora (Latah SWD) (Z)              |
| Ken Stinson (Latah SWD) (Z)      | Travis Jones (IASCD) (Z)                   |
| Ryan Lawrence (Latah SWD) (Z)    | Lisa Godfrey (East Side/West Side SWD) (Z) |
| Shana Joy (WA State CC) (Z)      | Darren Damon (OOG) (Z)                     |
| Andrew Hill (Nez Perce SWD) (Z)  |                                            |

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**ITEM #1: WELCOME, SELF-INTRODUCTIONS AND ROLL CALL**

**Presented by: Chairman Olson**

Chairman Olson called the meeting to order at 10:02 AM  
Roll call: Chairman Erik Olson, Commissioners Karen Sharpnack, Wendy Pratt, Blake Hollingsworth and Mitch Silvers were present.

**ITEM #2: AGENDA REVIEW**

**Presented by: Chairman Olson**

**ITEM #3: PARTNER REPORTS**

Action: None Taken

**ITEM #4: REPORTS COMMISSIONERS & STAFF ONLY**

Action: None Taken

**ITEM #5 FISCAL REPORT**

Action: None Taken

**ITEM #6 ACTING ADMINISTRATOR UPDATE**

Action: None Taken

**ITEM #7: ENGINEER UPDATE**

Action: None Taken

**ITEM #8: CREP REPORT**

Action: None Taken

**ITEM #9: WATER QUALITY PROGRAM FOR AGRICULTURE (WQPA)**

Action: None Taken

**ITEM #10: DISTRICT SUPPORT SERVICES REPORT**

Action: None Taken

**ITEM #11: ENVIROTHON REPORT**

Action: None Taken

**ITEM #12: MINUTES**

Action: Approval of April minutes as presented was made 1<sup>st</sup> by Commissioner Hollingsworth and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Commissioner Pratt, all approve.

**ADJOURN:**

Motion to adjourn meeting by 1<sup>st</sup> Commissioner Hollingsworth and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Commissioner Silvers, motion approved at 12: 23 PM. The next Regular Commission Meeting will be on June 16, 2025, at 10:00 AM MT in Boise, Idaho.

Respectfully submitted