AGENDA

OTERO SWCD SPECIAL MEETING

# December 16, 2024

**Call in number 559-671-2595**

9:30 Call meeting to order

9:32 Approve Agenda

9:33 New Business/Committee Reports:

EMNRD Sacramento River WUI Fuels Reduction Grant Application Approval

 The grant proposes to conduct fuels reduction treatments on at least 100 acres (exact amount TBD based on conversations with Nick and Tony, but not to exceed 200 acres) of private property adjacent to and near the sunspot highway and Sacramento River, including the communities of Bug Scuffle and Timberon, NM. Specifications will roughly match those of the soon-to-be expired Southern Sacramento WUI grant and will be another 50%-50% match grant. Max reimbursement is TBD, but I am hoping to increase the reimbursement amount above the $1,150/acre currently in the Southern Sacramento WUI.

Ranching without Red Tape - A BILL - To allow holders of certain grazing permits to make minor range improvements and to require that the Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior respond to requests for range improvements within 30 days, and for other purposes.

10:00 Adjourn