AGENDA

OTERO SWCD BOARD MEETING

# March 5, 2025

9:30 Call meeting to order

9:32 Approve Agenda

9:35 Approve Minutes

9:45 Financial Report

10:15 Correspondence:

Today is Soil and Water Conservation District Day in New Mexico

DFA approved second quarter report

US DOEI – National Interest Electric Transmission Corridor

Comment Deadline extended to April 15, 2025

Invitation to collaborate with Otero County and Army Corps of Engineers on Flood Mitigation and Watershed Restoration – first week in April

BLM released funding for invasive species projects

10:20 Reports:

New Mexico Department of Agriculture

Natural Resources Conservation Service

Otero County Cooperative Extension Agent

South Central Mountain Resource Conservation & Development

NM State Forestry – Capitan Ranger District

United States Forest Service – Lincoln National Forest

Bureau of Land Management – Las Cruces

Otero Soil and Water Conservation District

10:45 Old Business:

Drone Mapping Update

Ranching without red tape

Capital Outlay - Scope of Work for RFP

11:00 New Business/Committee Reports:

District Opportunity Grant – Landscape Scale Restoration Project

Review for submission by March 14th at noon

North Fork Fresnal/City of Alamogordo project

Healthy Soil Program Applicant(s)

Commercial Applicator for Musk Thistle Project

NM State Land Office - Timberon Project needs approval

Curtis Canyon Dam Early Warning System

Otero County Request for Funding due March 24, 2025

Presentation April 22, 2025 at 9am

U.S. Representative Gabe Vasquez Request for Projects

Special Meeting for remaining Healthy Soil Program Applicant(s)

11:30 Adjourn for Otero County CWMA meeting at 1pm