

### **Board of Directors Meeting Agenda**

East Multnomah Soil and Water Conservation District Wednesday, July 5, 2023, 6:00 – 8:00 PM

To be held at the EMSWCD Office at 5211 N Williams Ave, Portland, OR 97217 or Join online via GoToMeetings: <a href="https://meet.goto.com/EastMultSWCD/boardmeeting">https://meet.goto.com/EastMultSWCD/boardmeeting</a> or call in: United States (Toll Free):1 (866) 899-4679 Access Code:578-282-301

# **AGENDA**

Item #	Time	Board Meeting Agenda Item	Purpose	Presenter	Packet				
1	<b>6:00</b> 10 min	<ul> <li>Welcome and meeting called to order:</li> <li>Introductions</li> <li>Review/revise agenda</li> <li>Review previous action items</li> <li>Review/approve June Board Meeting Minutes &amp; June Special Board Meeting Minutes</li> </ul>	Information/ Decision	Zimmer- Stucky	a) 6/5/2023 Board Meeting Minutes b) 6/21/2023 Special Board Meeting Minutes  Previous Action Items				
2	<b>6:10</b> 5 min	Time reserved for public comment and introductions <sup>1</sup>	Information	Public	N/A				
DISTRICT BUSINESS									
3	<b>6:15</b> 15 min	Executive Director and Leadership Team Updates  • Something to Celebrate	Information	Leadership Team	a) ED & L-Team Updates Memo Something to Celebrate				
4	<b>6:30</b> 5 min	Legislative Updates	Information	Hamilton/ Guebert	Sent Separately				
5	<b>6:35</b> 25 min	Annual Work Plan	Discussion/ Decision	Hamilton/ Mitten	Sent Separately				
6	<b>7:00</b> 10 min	Response to a Constituent's Concerns	Discussion	Zimmer-Stucky/ Hamilton	N/A				
7	<b>7:10</b> 25 min	Executive Session under ORS 192.660(2)(e) held for real estate negotiations	Discussion	Board of Directors	Sent Separately				
		FINANCE AN	ID OPERATIONS						

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 $<sup>^{\</sup>mathrm{1}}$  Each member of the public who wishes to speak shall be given approximately 3 minutes.



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8	<b>7:35</b> 10 min	Monthly Financial Reports:     May 2023  Information  Mitten		a) May 2023 Financial Reports						
	BOARD OF DIRECTORS BUSINESS									
9	<b>7:45</b> 10 min	Board of Directors Discussion  • August Board Meeting?	Discussion	Board of Directors	N/A					
	CLOSING ITEMS									
10	<b>7:55</b> 5 min	<ul><li>Announcements and reminders</li><li>Action items</li><li>Adjourn meeting</li></ul>	Information	Zimmer-Stucky	N/A					



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# **EMSWCD Board Members, Committees and Meeting Dates**

EMSWCD Board					EMSWCD Committees					
Members Positions		Officers	Budget	Land Legacy	Personnel	Grants	PIC			
Joe Rossi Direc		Director - Zone 1		Х	Х					
Laura Maste	rson	Director - Zone 2	Secretary	Х	Х	Х				
Mike Guebe	rt	Director - Zone 3	Vice Chair	Х	Х	Х		Х		
Jim Carlson		Director - At-Large 1	Treasurer	Х	Х	X		Х		
Jasmine Zimmer-Stucky		Director - At-Large 2	Chair	Х	Х	Х				
Upcoming Schedule										
		July	5		31	17				
		August	7							
		September	6		25					
	2023	October	2			16				
		November	6		27					
FY23-24		December	4							
F123-24		January	3		22	17				
		February	5							
		March	4	4	25					
	2024	April	1	1		15				
		May	6	6	29	_	_			
		June	3							

#### **Internal EMSWCD Teams**

- Equity Team: Heather Nelson Kent, Matt Shipkey, Alex Woolery, Jon Wagner, Tiffany Mancillas, Jeremy Baker
- CLIP Team: Jeremy Baker, Whitney Bailey, Julie DiLeone, Kathy Shearin
- <u>Safety Committee</u>: Scot Wood (lead), Jon Wagner, Katie Meckes, Jeremy Baker, Sasha Schwenk

#### **EMSWCD Representation on External Committees**

- 4-County Cooperative Weed Management Area Chris Aldassy
- Beaver Creek Conservation Partnership Kathy Shearin; Lucas Nipp; Chelsea White-Brainard
- Columbia Gorge Cooperative Weed Management Area Jon Wagner
- Columbia Slough Watershed Council Whitney Bailey (CSWC Tech Team)
- Gray Family Foundation Grant Review Committee Heather Nelson Kent
- Inter-jurisdictional Committee for Johnson Creek Watershed Whitney Bailey; Jeremy Baker
- Northwest Adult Conservation Education Kathy Shearin
- Oregon State University Metro Small Farms Advisory Group Rowan Steele
- Oregon State University Solve Pest Problems Advisory Committee Kathy Shearin (Steering Committee); Julie DiLeone
- Oregon Watershed Enhancement Board Lower Willamette-East Small Grant Team Julie DiLeone

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# East Multnomah Soil and Water Conservation District Board of Directors FINAL Meeting Minutes

Monday, June 5, 2023

#### 6:02pm- Call to Order

**Zimmer-Stucky**, called to order the regular meeting of the EMSWCD Board of Directors at 6:02pm on Monday, June 5, 2023, at EMSWCD's Office.

#### 6:03pm- Introductions, Review/revise agenda, Review previous action items.

#### Zimmer-Stucky conducted introductions for the record. The following persons were present:

<u>Board of Directors</u>: Jasmine Zimmer-Stucky (At-Large 2 Director, Chair), Mike Guebert (Zone 3 Director, Vice-Chair), Laura Masterson (Zone 2 Director, Secretary) (virtual), Jim Carlson (At-Large 1 Director, Treasurer), Joe Rossi (Zone 1 Director)

<u>Staff:</u> Nancy Hamilton (Executive Director), Dan Mitten (Chief of Finance & Operations), Kathy Shearin (Urban Lands Program Supervisor), Julie DiLeone (Rural Lands Program Supervisor), Heather Nelson Kent (Grants Program Manager), Matt Shipkey (Land Legacy Program Manager), Asianna Fernandez (Executive Assistant)

<u>Guests:</u> Scott Ekstrom (public) (arrived at 7pm), Larry Bailey (Multnomah County Farm Bureau), Amanda Welker (USDA)

**Changes to the agenda:** Delay Public Comment

#### Previous action items:

Action Item: Fernandez to send Past Plan for Guerrero property's office building to Board Members. –In Progress

**Action Item: Fernandez** to send all FY 23-24 Board and Committee meeting dates to Carlson and Rossi and schedule meetings as stated. -Done

Action Item: Staff to make necessary edits to the Board Handbook before finalizing. -Done

#### 6:04pm- Approval of minutes

MOTION: Guebert moved to approve the May 1, 2023, Board of Directors Meeting Minutes, Masterson 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion passed unanimously (5-0).

MOTION: Guebert moved to approve the May 1, 2023, Budget Committee Meeting #3 Minutes, Masterson 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion passed unanimously (5-0).

#### 6:05pm- Executive Director and Leadership Team Updates

**Hamilton** shared the ED Updates.

#### Looking Back at May:

- TSCC hearing was finished, and it went well. Rossi and Carlson attended the hearing, representing the Board. The Q&A are in the packet.
- Land Legacy Committee (LLC) Meeting: We spent most of our time reviewing the Gordon Creek property valuation, and real estate issues under Executive Session.
- Office building upgrades: Three interested contractors. Their proposals are due to us by mid-June. Two of the GCs grew up in the area and used to come to the building when it was a funeral home and have a good understanding of the neighborhood as well.



- Staff changes: Lucas moving to Wisconsin with his family, had his last day with the District on June 2<sup>nd</sup>. Now looking at recruitment structures and how to go forward. Should have an update by the PC Meeting. He will be missed!
- Staff Appreciation Day: Staff participated in Creo chocolate making and had lunch together. Thanks to Schwenk for planning it all!
- Performance Evaluations are underway. The Board will be meeting to discuss Hamilton's with Critchfield in a couple weeks. The Leadership Team now has all of the staff evaluation templates.
   Hamilton has seven evaluations to write this year since she's supervising the Conservation Legacy Team.
- Multnomah County Farm Bureau BBQ: June 23 at 6pm at Rossi Farms. EMSWCD is assisting/sponsoring the event for food and beverages at \$25,000. There is a tour of the farm from 1-5pm.
  - Action Item: Fernandez to send the Multnomah County Farm Bureau BBQ invitation and tour details to the Board.
  - Need a representative from the District to join the tour, would like someone from the Board to do that, but can send someone from staff if needed.
- SB 775 had a hearing on May 23<sup>rd</sup> and will have another hearing on June 6<sup>th</sup>. The Republicans aren't in the building so there's hundreds of bills stacked up waiting for a hearing and will likely not be moved. Many of the Rules Committee members didn't know about the law until the hearing and were thrilled to see Senator Fredrick bring it forward.
- CO&E Team: Has begun meeting weekly, ready to begin work on July 1<sup>st</sup>. Working with a communications firm on developing an RFP plan, which will include a 2<sup>nd</sup> contractor opportunity for HIP Farmer recruitment improvement.
- The packet includes a couple of times the District was mentioned by the press recently.

#### **External Meetings in May:**

- Ted Labbe of Urban Green Spaces: Discussed community engagement and our strategic plan. He was excited to hear our core priorities. He and some of his colleagues are also supportive of SB 775 and are planning to testify in favor of it.
- SWCD DMs quarterly meeting: Up to 10 DMs are now attending these meetings. Share ideas, documents, policies, protocols, etc. The SWCD CFOs are also meeting quarterly now too.
  - Jon Blasher attended part of the meeting with some of the Districts to discuss how
     SWCDs can work more closely with Metro on land access and restoration-related issues.
- Larry Bailey of Multnomah County Farm Bureau and runs a Nursery: Has also received a CLIP
  grant from the District. He gave some feedback on the program, and shared some ideas on how
  we can continue to work on mitigating some of the hesitation established farmers have in
  working with the District.
- Heather King of Columbia Slough Watershed Council: They've done some great fundraising work.
   Columbia Slough is very urban, so they discussed urban issues affecting the water and surrounding areas, as well as how to get the public out onto the water to enjoy.
  - Asked Shearin to step down from the Columbia Slough Watershed Council, and DiLeone from the Johnson Creek Watershed Council simply due to staff time allocation and priorities. They can't vote anyways since the District partners with both of them.
- Lynn Barlow, Executive Director at West Multnomah SWCD: Planning to discuss a Harbor cleanup project, and how other Districts can help.



- Jay Udelhoven of Multnomah County Farm Bureau: Discussed the BBQ, and how we can share Farmer names for technical assistance opportunities.
- Andrea Weiner, Oregon Association of Conservation Districts (OACD): Comes from Delaware, acted as an introductory meeting. As an SWCD, we haven't gotten much from the OACD, and while we don't need anything from them, we would like to remain at the table, especially when it comes to policy issues.
  - She will be meeting with the SWCD DMs list as well, at the next meeting in August, with Nellie McAdams from Oregon Agricultural Trust (OAT).

#### External Meetings planned for June/July:

- Steve Fancher City of Gresham
- Adena Long City of Portland
- Candace Avalos Verde
- Tony DeFalco Latino Network
- Sara Grigsby Corbett Gran
- Derron Coles Blueprint Foundation

#### **Leadership Team Updates**

Hamilton shared the Conservation Legacy Team updates: last month of this team existing.

- Headwaters Farm Program:
  - Held a farmer meeting on May 26<sup>th</sup> to address strong frustration that some farmers had expressed around the lease, and to introduce DiLeone as Steele's new supervisor. Steele, DiLeone, and Hamilton met recently to discuss next steps as well.
  - Raptor Workshop on site as a Rural Lands project.
  - No-till drill testing.
  - o Innovative Tools workshop
    - Action Item: Fernandez to send the Board the invitation to the Innovative Tools
       Workshop
  - Guebert Is the sewer system in the works yet? Hamilton is unsure.
  - Rossi What were the farmers' concerns? How many farmers are there this year?
     Hamilton One or two of the farmers were unhappy that we were asking them to move some things around on their plots at the last minute for safety concerns. There are 14 farmers, 11 farms.
  - Masterson Are there some business and budgeting lessons or workshops coming up for the farmers yet? Hamilton Yes, they happen every year, Rowan has two professionals coming in to sit down with each farmer to help them in a more personalized way, during the slower time of the year.
- Grants Program: All the SPACE Grant money has been allocated for the year. All PIC Grants are
  out the door. Through EFSOG, we're funding Black Oregon Land Trust (BOLT) and iUrbanTeen.
  - Zimmer-Stucky How much is being allocated to each organization through EFSOG?
    Hamilton \$25,000 this Fiscal Year, each, which will go up another \$25,000 next FY based on increased budget approved by Board.
  - BOLT: Own a farm property and will be using the funds for improvements on it, and to secure tenure for a long-term lease.
  - iUrbanTeen: Teaching high school students about GIS, carbon sequestration, restoration, etc.
- Land Legacy Program:



 The Gordon Creek property is now on the market. Shipkey has reviewed some responses to the evaluation methodologies for easements. Meeting with OAT tomorrow. Still working on Oxbow Well situation. Still working on getting survey results. Thanks to Carlson and Rossi for reaching out to those who haven't responded to the survey yet.

#### **Shearin** shared the Urban Lands updates:

- Planting with Partners: the second one of the year happened.
  - o Wisdom of the Elders.
  - Zenger Farms Interns.
  - Native Gathering Gardens at Cully park: 50 attendees, and we had someone from each EMSWCD team attend to help.
- PBS was referred to by Bureau of Environmental Services (BES) and reached out to the District asking for help to find someone for their next episode of This Old House, where they were looking to install a raingarden into a Portland resident's yard. The District will be leading the rain garden installation and acting as a spokesperson for the episode.
- Wood Village is updating their Water Management and Conservation Plan and asked for feedback on the water conservation section. She has let them know about some of the District's other services if they wanted to implement anything else or share information with their community.

#### Mitten shared F&O updates:

- TSCC Hearing finished.
- Schwenk is now our official Notary Public. These services are not available to the public or to staff/Board for personal matters.
- SWCD CFOs have also begun meeting monthly.
- Timesheet/payroll process changes: We're moving the pay period from the current first of the month to the last of the month, to the 24<sup>th</sup> of the month to the 23<sup>rd</sup> of the following month. Doing so streamlines the whole process and makes it quicker and easier for everyone.
- The Employee Handbook updates are to be presented at the Personnel Committee Meeting in July.
- Fiscal Policy updates are finished, and the full document is available for review in the Packet and online.
- The Truck purchase from the State did go through.

#### **DiLeone** shared RL Updates:

- Awarded a CLIP Grant for an upgraded irrigation system at a nursery. Started as a small project, and with trust building, it has grown pretty well.
- Lucas did a great job in setting the District up for the summer and fall without him after his departure. Everything is organized well for whomever takes over.
- Weeds and garlic mustard control is almost done, very early in the year. Our next focus will be on false brome and spurge laurel.

#### **Something to Celebrate- Budget Completion and TSCC Success**

**Hamilton** Leadership Team agreed that we should take a moment to celebrate that the budget process went well this year. The TSCC hearing went well, and our budget is certified. Referencing everything



against the Strategic Plan was very helpful. Doing narratives in writing instead of Power Points was helpful in articulating the why and how of our next fiscal year's budget. Thanks to Mitten!

#### 6:40pm- Legislative Updates

**Hamilton** There's not a lot to report, HB 3021 is dead.

Guebert OACD went to oppose HB 3021.

**Hamilton** SB 751 also died. The bill on soil health initiatives is continuing to move forward. HB 3016A, led by Verde, is running very strong. Thinks it would be a great change to the law if it hits the floor. SB 538 got many great reviews and is now waiting for floor votes. The last day of session is June 25<sup>th</sup>.

**Guebert** Some of them won't get votes this year due to what's happening in Salem, hoping some of them can be reintroduced at the short session.

**Masterson** Are we still tracking Oregon Heritage Program's bill? There was some confusion about what grants have and haven't been spent, so they ended up allocating less funds than requested.

**Hamilton** The Board has already approved support on this, we can submit the letter to the right committee once the hearing comes up.

#### 6:45pm- Grant Policy Updates (including CLIP)

**DiLeone** The District's Grants policies included very small aspects that weren't necessary to remain policy, so Kent came up with a new policy format for all the grants.

**DiLeone and Kent** walked the Board through all of the changes that are laid out in the provided tables (Item 5a in the Packet).

**Zimmer-Stucky** Were the recommendations from some of the programs included in these changes? **Hamilton** No, these are just the policies, we will continue to make staff level procedure changes.

**Masterson** How often do we expect the Board to review the policies? Could see this information in the packet included in the onboarding packet for new Board Members. Would like to continue to see high-level Grants updates presented at Board Meetings as well as a few necessary smaller updates.

**DiLeone/Kent**: Only as necessary for most of them. For EFSOG, since it's still in the pilot stage, we may bring it back in a few years for review.

**Hamilton** Kent could start to add Grants updates to Leadership Team updates.

**Zimmer-Stucky** Agreed that it's a great idea since the recent Budget cycle has allocated more to Grants as well.

**Masterson** Are we at capacity for number of projects? Is there a reason we're not doing more outreach? **Rossi** Any ideas on more outreach?

**DiLeone** We are doing outreach, but because things are expensive right now, believes people are hesitant to start projects. Don't want to advertise it in certain ways, so that we only get the higher quality projects. Staff is presenting the opportunity to farmers. We are also working on some targeted marketing.

**Guebert** We got a lot of applicants from the Lunch with Farmers event.

Masterson The new communications team could help too.

**Kent** The new EFSOG wasn't in a policy format yet, but now is. Will post it on website for everyone to see how everything's set up and who's making decisions.

**Zimmer-Stucky** Under the duration recommendation about either cementing the pilot program or amending it after two or three years or after a meaningful number of projects have been funded and completed, do you have a sense of which of those you're leaning towards?



**Kent** One of the questions we're still considering is are we filling a gap, or just adding another place for people to get funds that could come from one of our other grants?

Action Item: Kent to start giving Grants updates in her Leadership Team updates.

MOTION: Carlson moved to approve the Grants policy updates as presented, Guebert 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion passed unanimously (5-0).

#### 7:05pm- Mosaic Ecology LLC Contract Approval & Signature

**DiLeone** went over the memo included in the packet. The contracted amount is over the Executive Director's signing limit. The District is contracting with Mosaic Ecology LLC for weed control and StreamCare work with contractors while we're in between staff, after Lucas' absence. They will also be doing boating associated to the work, starting July 1, 2023. It's for do not exceed \$100,000 in the Fiscal Year.

Action Item: DiLeone to forward the full Mosaic Ecology LLC contract to the Board.

MOTION: Guebert moved to approve the Executive Director's signature on the contract with Mosaic Ecology LLC, Carlson 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion passed unanimously (5-0).

#### 7:10pm- Time reserved for public comment.

Amanda Welker introduced herself as the new Farm Service Agency Urban Conservation County Executive Director for USDA. Worked with NAS before. Glad to be back in the Agricultural sector, in this brand-new USDA position. There are 17 pilots across the country, 3 are fully staffed. Making farming programs equitable and available. New York, Texas, and Georgia are fully staffed. Confident that committee input will get sent up to the top, creating a pretty direct line in the USDA.

Masterson How can we keep up with the program?

**Wilkinson** The first few emails will be sent out to the email list soon. There will also be an opportunity to join the committee soon.

Action Item: Fernandez to get USDA information from Welker to the Board.

Scott Ekstrom introduced himself as a fourth-generation farmer, who has used EMSWCD's services to save some of his crops through technical help and water projects. He appreciates working with the District in those ways. He is the first generation of his family to know/utilize the District and is still becoming more familiar with the services. The District bought land from Ekstrom's neighbors for the Headwaters Farm Incubator Program (HIP). Ekstrom was originally looking forward to greenhouses going up, and some other projects happening on the property, and was interested in joining the program but was told he didn't fit the required niche. Ekstrom's father met with the HIP staff and was also told that he is not the target audience for the program. Finds that weeds are being blown into his fields often because it's not being properly manicured. EMSWCD also bought the neighboring piece of land, south of Headwaters Farm (HWF), which Ekstrom was interested in buying, but the deal was closed and signed internally to a HIP graduate. Long ROI for Ball and Burlap farmer. Felt like he missed an opportunity, as he didn't see the property going up for public sale. When a piece goes up for sale on the, most farmers would like to know about it. Many people asked why he didn't pursue the land when it was up for sale. Saw the house going up, which Ekstrom thinks is great, but not sure how much of the property was sold. What was the sale process and why wasn't the sale made public? Lease topics seem to have been muddled lately. Not sure if this is against tree farmers/b and b farmers specifically. Leasing ground is the best way for farmers to further their business, maintains farmer relationships in the area,



and is beneficial to the landowners. Has done the same thing (leased land) himself as a 22-year-old. Does EMSWCD have a philosophical bent against the strategies of b and b farmers, or do you not like leases with b and bs? Ball and Burlap farms are some of the most profitable revenue generators for Oregon every year. It seems like EMSWCD has a bent against leasing farmland. Has been leasing himself for over 45 years, and it helps the landowners as well, especially with taxes. The HIP farmers are leasers, but only veggie and flower farmers. Feels like the District is picking and choosing who they want to work with. If HIP farmers don't take care of their crops, he has to deal with their blow in weeds when they're done harvesting for the year. Not excited about farming the urban edge, his family farmed 420, now he farms 220 due to the urban edge growing.

**Zimmer-Stucky** We do have a policy about not responding to public comment in the meetings, would like a chance to follow up soon. The questions will go on the record. But also continued to give Ekstrom the floor, even though it went over the allotted time.

**Masterson** hopes Ekstrom feels heard by the Board and would also like to have time to look over the questions provided before responding.

Ekstrom continued. This is all making it harder to farm, as HIP's neighbor. At HIP, you don't have to produce a product, but he has to and can make a profit from that land. Is there a way we can work together? Who is the target farmer you're looking for? Saturday Market side hustle or legacy farmer? Feels hurt. Studied soil and water conservation Kansas strategies, visited a conservation district presenter in Kentucky. Does appreciate the benefits of Guffey and Baker's work on his properties on various projects, but he is already down a large revenue now due to not being able to farm there now during the finishing of those projects. Has almost lost two tractors in the field because it's not passable December through April. Also, the District saving certain trees is making his work more expensive. Constantly looking for ways to improve his soil, entirely at his own cost. Would love to have access to more tools and equipment for conservation techniques. Can't rest ground due to productivity issues. Needs more access to ground in this competitive market. Has spent \$50k on equipment. Would like to reduce carbon footprint. Would like a guarantee on ROI on all his investments. Shared a story about friend who now does hydroponics in a different district due to being pushed out. Doesn't want to have to move his farm business to another district, but he continues to be pushed out by urban sprawl. Multnomah has high land value, which makes it hard for farmers. As the only generation of his family who took on farming as a lifestyle, he is continuing a family legacy. Not saying the side hustle people are bad and that people shouldn't have the opportunity to start, but if the goal is to only support and wedge out niches, as opposed to those who have been working their family farmers overtime every week, it's not right. Has helped neighbors with managing problems and has been welcomed onto the HIP farm but hasn't been given any opportunities from them. HWF land purchase manipulated the market and added labor and costs to those in the market. His expansion dreams have been stifled by deep pockets. Believes the District doesn't see the butterfly effect that is now hurting him, due to ideology. Thank you for listening, does feel listened to. Appreciates feeling heard.

**Bailey** added to Ekstrom's message. Ekstrom is the person you want around. He works with Ekstrom's farm on a regular basis, sees his passion. Has owned the property he works on for many years. Thanked the District for the changes he's seen in the way the District wants to interact with the local farmers. Scot's family is holding back from the urban growth from going further. Will still reach out to people who haven't finished the District's survey, but to the ones he has reached out to, has found that many of them have similar stories to the one Ekstrom shared. Understands the District gets grouped into



government agencies, which is hard to battle, but the fear/hesitancy is real. Appreciates the District's sponsorship of the Farm Bureau BBQ.

#### 7:45pm- Board Handbook Review

**Zimmer-Stucky** Confirmed that there were a few minor changes throughout the handbook and that there's a key code now that distinguishes between policy and law.

**Mitten** It was adopted already based on previous changes, but in making those changes, he found a few other errors and added updates that were not part of the previous adoption. Advises the Board to adopt this final draft.

MOTION: Masterson moved to approve the Board Handbook, Guebert 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion passed unanimously (5-0).

#### 7:47pm- Offsite Board Meetings Recommendations

**Zimmer-Stucky** asked the Board to individually make their vote on the handouts given at the beginning of the meeting.

**Rossi** feels like he'd only offer an uninformed decision, so would accept staff's recommendation instead. Hopes it's not too many offsite meetings.

Hamilton The hope is to get three or four of these scheduled, evenly throughout the District.

#### 7:50pm- Executive Session under ORS 192.660(2)(e) held for real estate negotiations.

Began 7:50pm

Ended 8:13pm

#### 8:14pm- TSCC Hearing Update

**Mitten** gave a brief overview of the materials included in the packet; Q&A and the Tax Certification Letter.

### 8:15pm- Resolution to Adopt FY 23-24 Budget, Make Appropriations, and Impose Tax Limit

Mitten gave a brief overview of Resolution No 2023-06-01 for the Board to approve.

MOTION: Guebert moved to approve Resolution 2023-06-01, Masterson 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion passed unanimously (5-0).

#### 8:16pm- Monthly Financial Reports- April 2023

Mitten April looks great; nothing on the balance sheet worth mentioning To note, our balance sheet is 1.67% higher than last year at this time. On the P&L Budget Performance, our interest on our bank accounts is \$252,000, which is \$174,000 ahead of projections. Interest rates are now at 4.05. On Line 4700, Sale of Real Property, the \$275,294 is the Mainstem sale. Masterson asked if the Mainstem proceeds sit in the Land Conservation Fund. Mitten said yes and was incorporated in the FY23-24 budget. On Line 9020 (Vehicles) those funds were the purchase of the two trucks from DAS. The P&L by Class looks healthy and in line with YTD spending.

#### 8:18pm- Updates to Fiscal Policy

**Mitten** The cleaned-up version is in the packet, but the redlined version was attached in an email to the Board. Most of the changes coincide with the Board Handbook, mentioned on page 3. Page 4 is about referencing the Operations Administrative Assistant rather than the non-existent Office Manager position, but also to incorporate that position's involvement in the payroll and payables process., which is shown on Pages 10-12. Page 14 shows a large change around the position levels, classifications, and



increased spending authorities for each position. Page 17 shows the payroll process changes. Page 26 updated the reference to existing grants.

**DiLeone** found a typo on page 13. The Program Manager's purchasing/signature authority is placed at \$5,000 but is referenced at \$3,500. It should be \$5,000. Mitten will make that correction.

MOTION: Guebert moved to approve the Fiscal Policy with the correction for the Program Manager purchasing authority, Carlson 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion passed unanimously (5-0).

**Masterson** requested some kind of list explaining how all the policies are linked to each other and to know where each policy can be found, and how each one connects to each position.

**Kent** All of the policies are on a policy page on the website: <a href="https://emswcd.org/about/organizational-resources/policies/">https://emswcd.org/about/organizational-resources/policies/</a>.

#### 8:25pm- Board of Directors Discussion

**Board** agreed to cancel the August 2023 Board Meeting.

**Action Item: Fernandez** to ensure that there is a clear cancelled message on the website for the August 2023 Board Meeting.

**Board** agreed to hold a special Board meeting on June 21<sup>st</sup> at 4pm to discuss the sale of Gordon Creek under Executive Session.

#### 8:30pm- Announcements, Action Items, and Adjournment

#### **Action Items:**

- Fernandez to send the Multnomah County Farm Bureau BBQ invitation and tour details to the Board.
- Fernandez to send the Board the invitation to the Innovative Tools Workshop.
- Kent to start giving Grants updates in her Leadership Team updates.
- **DiLeone** to forward the full Mosaic Ecology LLC contract to the Board.
- Fernandez to get USDA information from Welker to the Board.
- **Fernandez** to cancel the August Board meeting and schedule the June Special Board meeting about the Gordon Creek sale.
- **Fernandez** to ensure that there is a clear cancelled message for the August Board Meeting on the website.
- Zimmer-Stucky to work with Hamilton and Julie on a response to Scot Ekstrom.

**Zimmer-Stucky** adjourned the meeting at 8:33pm.

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# East Multnomah Soil and Water Conservation District Special Board of Directors FINAL Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, June 21, 2023

#### 4:00pm - Call to Order

**Zimmer-Stucky**, called to order the special meeting of the EMSWCD Board of Directors at 4:00pm on Wednesday, June 21, 2023, at EMSWCD's Office.

#### 4:01pm - Introductions, Review/revise agenda, Review previous action items.

Zimmer-Stucky conducted introductions for the record. The following persons were present:

<u>Board of Directors</u>: Jasmine Zimmer-Stucky (At-Large 2 Director, Chair), Mike Guebert (Zone 3 Director, Vice-Chair), Laura Masterson (Zone 2 Director, Secretary), Joe Rossi (Zone 1 Director), Jim Carlson (At-Large 1 Director, Treasurer)

<u>Staff:</u> Nancy Hamilton (Executive Director) (virtual) (left at 4:40pm), Julie DiLeone (Rural Lands Program Supervisor) (left at 4:40pm), Matt Shipkey (Land Legacy Program Manager) (left at 4:40pm), Asianna Fernandez (Executive Assistant) (left at 5:03pm)

Guests: N/A

Changes to the agenda: N/A

4:03pm - Executive Session under ORS 192.660(2)(e) held for real estate negotiations.

Started 4:03pm

Ended 4:37pm

Action Items: Shipkey to send the Gordon Creek Working Farmland Easement term sheet to Masterson.

Motion: Guebert moved to authorize Shipkey to move forward with Offer A as discussed during Executive Session, Masterson 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion passed (3(Zimmer-Stucky, Guebert, Masterson) – 2(Rossi, Carlson)).

Motion: Guebert moved to approve Resolution No. 2023-06-02, Masterson 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion passed (3(Zimmer-Stucky, Guebert, Masterson) – 2(Rossi, Carlson)).

#### 4:40pm - break

**Hamilton, DiLeone, and Shipkey** left the meeting at 4:40pm.

Fernandez left the meeting at 5:03pm.

5:04pm - Executive Session under ORS 192.660(2)(i) held to review and evaluate the employment-related performance of a public officer.

Started 5:04pm

Ended 5:52pm

Action Item: Zimmer-Stucky to send Hamilton a copy of her performance evaluation from the Board.

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### 5:53pm - Announcements, Action Items, and Adjournment

**Board** agreed to have Zimmer-Stucky go over Hamilton's performance evaluation with Hamilton as a one-on-one meeting, and to move the July Personnel Committee Meeting from July 17<sup>th</sup> to July 10<sup>th</sup>.

**Action Item: Fernandez** to schedule Zimmer-Stucky and Hamilton's performance evaluation meeting and reschedule the July Personnel Committee Meeting.

#### **Action Items:**

- Shipkey to send the Gordon Creek Working Farmland Easement term sheet to Masterson.
- **Zimmer-Stucky** to send Hamilton a copy of her performance evaluation from the Board.
- **Fernandez** to schedule Zimmer-Stucky and Hamilton's performance evaluation meeting and reschedule the July Personnel Committee Meeting.

**Zimmer-Stucky** adjourned the meeting at 5:55pm.

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# Executive Director Update – July 5, 2023

#### **External Meetings in June:**

- Jen Aron, Blue Heron Farm and contractor for Headwaters (taking place after packet goes out)
- David Peters, Portland Water Bureau discussed county hearing. That hearing has since taken
  place. Here is a link to the outcome of that hearing. The county approved the application with
  conditions.
  - o <a href="https://multco-web7-psh-files-usw2.s3-us-west-2.amazonaws.com/s3fs-public/T3-2022-16220%20Staff%20Report.pdf">https://multco-web7-psh-files-usw2.s3-us-west-2.amazonaws.com/s3fs-public/T3-2022-16220%20Staff%20Report.pdf</a>
- Senator Lew Frederick's Chief of Staff, Nathan Solz and hearings in Salem in support of SB 775, which ultimately passed and is now on the Governor's desk for signature.
- EPA Caleb Schaffer and SKEO Alisa Wilson, Bianca Boggs briefing on Portland Harbor Superfund Cleanup – part of their stakeholder outreach; want to know what our future reuse along the riverfront might look like as well as how we work with industrial landowners along the riverfront. Follow-up discussion being pulled together now with Caleb, WMSWCD and UL on the east side to see if there is an opportunity to collaborate moving forward. More on that in the Fall.
- Willie Levenson, Human Access Project (HAP) received a presentation on what HAP is doing on the Willamette focused on Ross Island and the PIC grant they just received to create a channel there to mitigate algae bloom problems in the lagoon area there.

#### **External Meetings planned for July/August:**

- Steve Fancher City of Gresham
- Tony DeFalco Latino Network
- Adena Long City of Portland Parks
- Candace Avalos Verde
- Sara Grigsby Corbett Grange President
- Derron Coles Blueprint Foundation
- Bob Sallinger- Willamette Riverkeepers
- Cassie Cohen Portland Harbor Community Coalition and Lynn Barlow, WMSWCD to explore possible collaboration.

#### **Looking Back at June:**

- It was a major accomplishment working with legislators and supporters to get SB 775 passed. This effort included virtual testimony by Chair Zimmer-Stucky and written testimony by over 60 supporters, including members of our board. WMSWCD Board member Terri Preeg Rigsby was also critical to the success of this effort.
- Writing the Annual Plan, in collaboration with many staff. Special thanks to the leadership team and to Sasha Schwenk, for getting this completed. It is in the Board Packet.
- Working on transitioning Land Legacy and Headwaters programs to Rural Lands
- Communicated with the Board and Staff regarding my planned retirement at the end of 2023.
- Worked on response to Scott Ekstrom.
- Performance Evaluations completed Dan Mitten, Kathy, Shearin, Heather Nelson Kent
- Worked with Paul Lumley, who is leaving NAYA, to pull celebration together (scheduled for 7/21) on completion of their Capital Campaign, which was successful in large part due to our early financial support.
- This Old House (see Kathy Shearin's update)
- Off-site board meetings prioritized based on Board feedback:
  - NAYA

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- McFadden
- Outgrowing Hunger
- Our Village Garden
- o BOLT/Mudbone
- Backyard habitat instead of NAYA, if they can attend July 21?

#### **Looking Forward to July:**

- Beginning of new fiscal year
- Performance Evaluations for Matt Shipkey, Julie DiLeone, Rowan Steele, Asianna Fernandez
- Significant vacation time 7/17-8/9
- My Performance Evaluation with Jasmine Zimmer-Stucky on behalf of the board
- Personnel Committee Meeting on 7/10
- NAYA celebration on July 21, invite to follow. Board participation would be great.

# Leadership Team Updates - July 5, 2023

#### Nancy Hamilton, Interim Conservation Legacy Supervisor

- **Headwaters** Sent follow-up to Farm Meeting that took place in May; built out anonymous feedback form structure; crafted follow-up information on Gross v Net, per Joe Rossi's request. Prepping for Tool Innovation Workshop; planning walk-thru in July of Headwaters to discuss weeds, HIP framework, etc.
- Grants Heather working to get all the 2023 PIC Grant Agreements completed. Have begun signing contracts; No new SPACE grants awarded in June all funding was expended in May. The new 2023-24 SPACE grants application is open and ready for new fiscal year's grantees. Completed final grant agreement scope of work and deliverables with the two new (2022-23) Equity Focused grantees, iUrban Teen and BOLT.
- Land Legacy Moving offer forward on Gordon Creek property, per June Executive Session; In the process of getting appraisal on two properties as possible buy/sell/protect acquisitions.
  - Valuation methodology contract signed with EcoNorthwest.

#### Kathy Shearin, Urban Lands Supervisor:

- Solve Pest Problems web tool has moved from OSU's Horticulture department to the Oregon IPM Center. This is great news for the tool, as these folks are experts in all-things pest management. They will continue to create and publish content to the site, maintain the site, translate content, as well as promote and market the site under the guidance of the Steering Committee (representatives from Metro, City of Gresham, EMSWCD, and WMSWCD.
- Planting with Partners (NARA) Kathy, Whitney, and Monica met with staff at NARA (Native American Rehabilitation Association) to discuss technical assistance needed with stormwater management and future planting as well as other infrastructure needs at their Healing Garden.
- (Something to Celebrate) Ask This Old House came to Portland and requested assistance identifying a location for a segment on sustainable landscaping/stormwater management as well as assistance coordinating the installation. Kathy took the lead (with help from other UL staff) to work with them to identify a location, scope out potential properties, create a design and planting plan, and purchased all the necessary tools and equipment for the video shoot. Kathy led the install along with their lead landscaper. The shoot went smoothly, and they will be crediting our organization on the video and on their website. They will also connect with us to promote the video on social media.

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#### Dan Mitten, Chief of Finance & Operations:

- End of Fiscal Year Prep Preparing for the fiscal year end. Encouraging staff and vendors to get in all FY22-23 payables to be processed as soon as possible. Running Budget versus Actual reports (BvAs) weekly rather than monthly for all programs and sending out to the Leadership Team to keep on top of spend rate and remaining budget.
- Annual Plan Efforts along with Program Supervisors and staff, compiling and coordinating the FY23-24 Annual Plan (presented in this Board Meeting).
- HR/Personnel Housekeeping coordinating offer letters, move letters, wage analysis, and
  assisting in job description development for new staff changes as a result of COE development
  and folding in of HIP and Land Legacy under Rural Lands. Preparing for F&O performance
  evaluations at beginning/mid-July as well as preparing for annual salary & COLI adjustments for
  all staff.
- Building Modifications Proposal Review received one proposal from the three interested parties. Along with Nancy and Harka Architects, I am reviewing deduct alternates and overall proposal to make project manageable.
- IT efforts F&O staff have been working on a detailed website tutorial to train key staff on
  making website changes and uploads; have been doing a good amount of IT assistance with staff
  and working with TeamLogic on some email and internal connectivity issues; beginning to turn
  back on looking at and working on the Headwaters equipment forms and technical solutions.

#### Julie DiLeone, Rural Lands Supervisor; Headwaters, Land Legacy:

- Jon will be switching roles to become our new lead for StreamCare. Chris Aldassy and I will be looking at our weed control work through the lens of the Strategic Plan as well as the current status of the work on each weed species. This will help us plan for the current season in light of Jon's transition, and for the hire.
- Jeremy and Matt are working to streamline the Agricultural Management Plan format. The template will be made available to farmers early on in Matt's work with them on potential easements.
- Jeremy coordinated the installation of soil moisture sensors at Headwaters. Next step is installation of a new flow meter on the well that farmers and staff can access electronically.

#### **Heather Nelson Kent, Community Outreach & Education; Grants Program:**

- The new Outreach and Engagement Team is busy getting ready to hit the ground running in July. The team of Heather, Chelsea and Katie has been meeting weekly since May getting to know each other, developing a work plan, updating job descriptions, and identifying each member's roles/responsibilities.
- The team is also in the process of hiring consultants to help the District develop a Strategic Communications Plan including an assessment of opportunities and areas for improvement; key audiences and messages, how best (and when) to communicate to these key audiences, and suggested roles and responsibilities for the core (and extended) team members.
  - The Strategic Communication Plan will also provide a framework that can be applied to individual projects to help the district meet its community outreach and engagement goals including a planned revamp of the district's website in FY 23-24, new outreach to farmers about our conservation easement program and recruitment of next year's HIP applicants.

10:00 AM 06/22/23 Accrual Basis

# **EMSWCD Balance Sheet Prev Year Comparison**

As of May 31, 2023

	May 31, 23	May 31, 22	\$ Change	% Change
ASSETS				
Current Assets				
Checking/Savings				
1000 · Beneficial checking	145,550.67	70,948.47	74,602.20	105.15%
1010 · LGIP savings acct #1	12,286,368.45	11,833,068.83	453,299.62	3.83%
Total Checking/Savings	12,431,919.12	11,904,017.30	527,901.82	4.44%
Accounts Receivable				
1200 · Accounts Receivable				
1205 · Property Taxes Receiveable	126,354.45	139,137.47	-12,783.02	-9.19%
1200 · Accounts Receivable - Other	14,614.16	21,846.81	-7,232.65	-33.11%
Total 1200 · Accounts Receivable	140,968.61	160,984.28	-20,015.67	-12.43%
Total Accounts Receivable	140,968.61	160,984.28	-20,015.67	-12.43%
Other Current Assets				
1300 · Prepaid Expense	810.07	3,685.40	-2,875.33	-78.02%
1499 · Undeposited Funds	0.00	50.00	-50.00	-100.0%
Total Other Current Assets	810.07	3,735.40	-2,925.33	-78.31%
Total Current Assets	12,573,697.80	12,068,736.98	504,960.82	4.18%
Fixed Assets				
1500 · Fixed Assets				
1501 · Fixed Assets Cost	334,329.61	334,329.61	0.00	0.0%
1502 · Accumulated Depreciation	-278,825.43	-247,506.71	-31,318.72	-12.65%
Total 1500 · Fixed Assets	55,504.18	86,822.90	-31,318.72	-36.07%
1600 · Building				
1601 · Building Cost	494,516.42	494,516.42	0.00	0.0%
1602 · Accum Depreciation Building	-241,457.07	-224,973.19	-16,483.88	-7.33%
1605 · Building/Capital Improvements	1,378,208.66	1,345,133.76	33,074.90	2.46%
1606 · Accum Depreciation Improvements	-333,647.33	-288,405.26	-45,242.07	-15.69%
Total 1600 · Building	1,297,620.68	1,326,271.73	-28,651.05	-2.16%
1700 · Land	5,741,336.47	5,741,336.47	0.00	0.0%
Total Fixed Assets	7,094,461.33	7,154,431.10	-59,969.77	-0.84%
TOTAL ASSETS	19,668,159.13	19,223,168.08	444,991.05	2.32%

# EMSWCD Balance Sheet Prev Year Comparison

As of May 31, 2023

	May 31, 23	May 31, 22	\$ Change	% Change
LIABILITIES & EQUITY				
Liabilities				
Current Liabilities				
Accounts Payable				
2000 · Accounts Payable	91,846.34	44,629.84	47,216.50	105.8%
Total Accounts Payable	91,846.34	44,629.84	47,216.50	105.8%
Credit Cards				
2050 · Beneficial Credit Cards				
2052 · VISA - JD - 0960	148.92	147.66	1.26	0.85%
2053 · VISA - KS - 0994	0.00	386.96	-386.96	-100.0%
2054 · Visa - RS - 2818	2,941.46	2,857.03	84.43	2.96%
2058 · Visa - SW - 1901	1,372.10	618.28	753.82	121.92%
2059 · Visa - AB - 2529	0.00	1,417.96	-1,417.96	-100.0%
2061 · Visa - NH - 4046	532.77	879.80	-347.03	-39.44%
2062 · Visa - SS - 8195	2,957.71	1,216.85	1,740.86	143.06%
2063 · Visa - CA - 5240	134.80	0.00	134.80	100.0%
Total 2050 · Beneficial Credit Cards	8,087.76	7,524.54	563.22	7.49%
Total Credit Cards	8,087.76	7,524.54	563.22	7.49%
Other Current Liabilities				
2105 · FSA Liabilities	367.87	606.74	-238.87	-39.37%
2400 · Security Deposits Returnable	2,700.00	2,700.00	0.00	0.0%
2100 · Payroll Liabilities	-122.09	57,410.38	-57,532.47	-100.21%
2110 · Direct Deposit Liabilities	49.18	49.18	0.00	0.0%
2150 · Accrued Compensated Absences	137,381.46	147,592.79	-10,211.33	-6.92%
Total Other Current Liabilities	140,376.42	208,359.09	-67,982.67	-32.63%
Total Current Liabilities	240,310.52	260,513.47	-20,202.95	-7.76%
Total Liabilities	240,310.52	260,513.47	-20,202.95	-7.76%
Equity				
3900 · Retained Earnings-Unrestricted	11,408,821.78	10,592,285.20	816,536.58	7.71%
3950 · Board Designated Restrictions				
3951 · Land Conservation Fund	6,709,859.81	6,367,746.81	342,113.00	5.37%
3952 · Projects & Cost Share	327,750.32	811,100.32	-483,350.00	-59.59%
Total 3950 · Board Designated Restrictions	7,037,610.13	7,178,847.13	-141,237.00	-1.97%
Net Income	981,416.70	1,191,522.28	-210,105.58	-17.63%
Total Equity	19,427,848.61	18,962,654.61	465,194.00	2.45%
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	19,668,159.13	19,223,168.08	444,991.05	2.32%

# Profit & Loss Budget Performance July 2022 through May 2023

1					
	Jul '22 - May 23	YTD Budget	\$ Over Budget	% of Budget	Annual Budget
Income					
4000 · Income					
4100 · EMSWCD prop'ty tax	5,520,814.90	5,400,306.00	120,508.90	102.23%	5,411,306.00
4400 · Event Income					
4420 · Native Plant Sale	47,510.00	50,000.00	-2,490.00	95.02%	50,000.00
Total 4400 · Event Income	47,510.00	50,000.00	-2,490.00	95.02%	50,000.00
4500 · Interest	323,360.70	77,916.00	245,444.70	415.01%	85,000.00
4600 · Grants					
4610 · Federal	19,500.00	19,500.00	0.00	100.0%	19,500.00
4620 · State	109,461.48	94,078.25	15,383.23	116.35%	109,462.00
4650 · City	0.00	49,500.00	-49,500.00	0.0%	49,500.00
4660 · Other	0.00	25,000.00	-25,000.00	0.0%	25,000.00
Total 4600 · Grants	128,961.48	188,078.25	-59,116.77	68.57%	203,462.00
4700 · Sale of Real Property	275,294.45				
4800 · Rental Income 4900 · Misc Income	44,728.50	45,195.00	-466.50	98.97%	46,080.00
4910 · Refunds/Rebates/Reimbsmnts	6,165.07	5,000.00	1,165.07	123.3%	5,000.00
4900 · Misc Income - Other	0.00	5,440.00	-5,440.00	0.0%	5,440.00
Total 4900 · Misc Income	6,165.07	10,440.00	-4,274.93	59.05%	10,440.00
Total 4000 · Income	6,346,835.10	5,771,935.25	574,899.85	109.96%	5,806,288.00
Total Income	6,346,835.10	5,771,935.25	574,899.85	109.96%	5,806,288.00
Gross Profit	6,346,835.10	5,771,935.25	574,899.85	109.96%	5,806,288.00
Expense					
5000 · Payroll Expenses					
5100 · Salaries & Wages	1,924,335.03	2,022,746.00	-98,410.97	95.14%	2,207,573.00
5200 · Payroll Taxes	186,034.30	181,368.17	4,666.13	102.57%	197,963.00
5300 · Wkrs Comp Insurance	13,355.46	25,050.00	-11,694.54	53.32%	25,050.00
5400 · Emp Benefits	372,684.08	471,195.67	-98,511.59	79.09%	514,030.00
Total 5000 · Payroll Expenses	2,496,408.87	2,700,359.84	-203,950.97	92.45%	2,944,616.00
6000 · Professional Services					
6005 · Contracted Bkkpr/Acctant	22,000.00	24,500.00	-2,500.00	89.8%	27,000.00
6010 · Contracted Audit Services	5,800.00	6,400.00	-600.00	90.63%	6,400.00
6020 · Contracted Attorney	23,581.43	164,908.00	-141,326.57	14.3%	179,000.00
6050 · Contracted Services	447,563.30	1,094,200.00	-646,636.70	40.9%	1,198,590.00
6065 · Contracted IT Support	17,474.10	29,750.00	-12,275.90	58.74%	33,000.00
Total 6000 · Professional Services	516,418.83	1,319,758.00	-803,339.17	39.13%	1,443,990.00
6100 · Admin					
6110 · Audit Filing Fee	300.00	250.00	50.00	120.0%	250.00
6120 · Bank Charges	2,927.43	2,350.00	577.43	124.57%	2,525.00
6130 · Bulk Mail Permit Renewal	290.00	300.00	-10.00	96.67%	300.00
6135 · Legal Notice	3,266.24	2,750.00	516.24	118.77%	3,000.00
6140 · Payroll Svcs	446.00	687.50	-241.50	64.87%	750.00
6150 · Licenses & Fees 6160 · Taxes	5,581.42	7,132.00	-1,550.58	78.26%	7,703.00
ı	7,694.43	8,718.00	-1,023.57	88.26%	8,718.00
Total 6100 · Admin	20,505.52	22,187.50	-1,681.98	92.42%	23,246.00
7100 · Occupancy	22 222 65	17 000 00	4 422 GE	104 010/	10 670 00
7110 · Utilities	22,233.65	17,800.00	4,433.65	124.91%	19,672.00
7120 · Telecommunications 7130 · Repairs/Maintenance	25,098.63 37,352.52	24,716.00 41,234.00	382.63 -3,881.48	101.55% 90.59%	26,964.00 44,050.00
	84,684.80	83,750.00	934.80	101.12%	90,686.00
Total 7100 · Occupancy 7500 · Insurance	04,004.00	05,750.00	534.00	101.1270	30,000.00
7505 · General Liability Insurance	14,316.00	12,000.00	2,316.00	119.3%	12,000.00

# Profit & Loss Budget Performance July 2022 through May 2023

	Jul '22 - May 23	YTD Budget	\$ Over Budget	% of Budget	Annual Budget
7510 · Property Insurance	8,435.00	7,000.00	1,435.00	120.5%	7,000.00
7515 · D & O Anti Crime	283.00	550.00	-267.00	51.46%	550.00
7540 · Vehicle insurance	2,487.00	2,500.00	-13.00	99.48%	2,500.00
Total 7500 · Insurance	25,521.00	22,050.00	3,471.00	115.74%	22,050.00
8100 · Office Expenses					
8110 · Office Supplies	9,030.38	6,550.00	2,480.38	137.87%	7,050.00
8115 · Postage, Delivery	1,422.46	7,842.00	-6,419.54	18.14%	8,370.00
8120 · Printing, Copying	6,744.11	17,550.00	-10,805.89	38.43%	18,900.00
8130 · Furnishings & Equipment	7,055.28	13,220.00	-6,164.72	53.37%	14,050.00
Total 8100 · Office Expenses	24,252.23	45,162.00	-20,909.77	53.7%	48,370.00
8200 Production					
8210 · Advertising	2,258.99	8,025.00	-5,766.01	28.15%	8,650.00
8230 · Signage, Banners, Displays	569.50	4,491.00	-3,921.50	12.68%	4,700.00
8250 Public Relations Promo & Even	17,907.15	17,200.00	707.15	104.11%	18,700.00
Total 8200 · Production	20,735.64	29,716.00	-8,980.36	69.78%	32,050.00
8500 · Programs & Projects	,	•	,		,
8505 · Dues	13,302.71	13,517.00	-214.29	98.42%	14,575.00
8506 · Subscriptions	37,405.55	46,358.00	-8,952.45	80.69%	49,220.00
8510 · Contracts w/ Partners/Lndownr	·	146,666.00	-127,383.25	13.15%	160,000.00
8520 · Grants to Others	1,925,493.46	1,285,417.00	640,076.46	149.8%	1,400,000.00
8530 · Program Supplies	41,095.23	50,055.00	-8,959.77	82.1%	57,070.00
8540 · Plants & Materials	28,078.00	61,251.00	-33,173.00	45.84%	65,000.00
8560 · Space Rental	2,252.35	2,774.00	-521.65	81.2%	3,102.00
8570 · Equip Rental	5,838.21	12,710.00	-6,871.79	45.93%	12,960.00
8580 · Vehicles Rent/Lease	6,359.91	4,583.00	1,776.91	138.77%	5,000.00
Total 8500 · Programs & Projects	2,079,108.17	1,623,331.00	455,777.17	128.08%	1,766,927.00
8600 · Training	2,073,100.17	1,020,001.00	400,777.17	120.0070	1,700,027.00
8610 · Training/Development Staff	12,358.94	15,168.00	-2,809.06	81.48%	17,050.00
8620 · Training/Development Board	285.00	4,585.00	-4,300.00	6.22%	5,000.00
Total 8600 · Training	12,643.94	19,753.00	-7,109.06	64.01%	22,050.00
8700 Travel	12,043.94	19,733.00	-7,109.00	04.0170	22,030.00
8730 · Out of Town Travel- Staff	11,989.97	7,459.00	4,530.97	160.75%	8,030.00
8740 · Out of Town Travel - Board	523.76	917.00	-393.24	57.12%	1,000.00
8750 · Local Mlg, Pkg, Bus - Staff	5,651.32	8,308.00	-2.656.68	68.02%	9,170.00
8760 · Local Mig, Pkg, Bus - Board	0.00	917.00	-917.00	0.0%	1,000.00
Total 8700 · Travel	18,165.05	17,601.00	564.05	103.21%	19,200.00
8800 · Volunteers & Staff	10,100.00	17,001.00	004.00	100.2170	10,200.00
8810 · Volunteer & Staff Recog	15,035.18	20,004.00	-4,968.82	75.16%	21,350.00
8820 · Vol & Staff Refreshments	5,654.69	9,137.00	-3,482.31	61.89%	9,850.00
Total 8800 · Volunteers & Staff	20,689.87	29,141.00	-8,451.13	71.0%	31,200.00
8900 · Misc Expenses	1,500.00	25,141.00	-0,401.10	7 1.070	31,200.00
9000 · Capital Outlay	1,300.00				
9010 · Office/Field Equipment	36 909 49	60,500.00	23 601 52	60.84%	60,500.00
• •	36,808.48	60,500.00	-23,691.52	00.0470	00,500.00
9020 · Vehicles	6,476.00	115 000 00	115 000 00	0.00/	115 000 00
9030 · Improvements On Real Property 9040 · Purchase of Real Property	0.00 1,500.00	115,000.00 7,587,747.00	-115,000.00 -7,586,247.00	0.0% 0.02%	115,000.00 7,587,747.00
	44,784.48				
Total 9000 · Capital Outlay		7,763,247.00	-7,718,462.52	0.58%	7,763,247.00
Total Expense t Ordinary Income	5,365,418.40 981,416.70	13,676,056.34	-8,310,637.94	39.23%	14,207,632.00
			8,885,537.79	-12.42%	-8,401,344.00
Income	981,416.70	-7,904,121.09	8,885,537.79	-12.42%	-8,401,344.00

# **EMSWCD** Profit & Loss by Class July 2022 through May 2023

			General Fund			Specia		
	Finance & Operations	Rural Lands	Urban Lands	Conservation Legacy	HIP	Grants Fund	Land Conservation Fund	TOTAL
Income								
4000 · Income	5,661,964.99	81,034.52	47,510.00	15,150.00	29,596.49	31,504.63	480,074.47	6,346,835.10
Total Income	5,661,964.99	81,034.52	47,510.00	15,150.00	29,596.49	31,504.63	480,074.47	6,346,835.10
Gross Profit	5,661,964.99	81,034.52	47,510.00	15,150.00	29,596.49	31,504.63	480,074.47	6,346,835.10
Expense								
5000 · Payroll Expenses	680,910.24	701,733.13	530,676.57	341,451.85	241,637.08	0.00	0.00	2,496,408.87
6000 · Professional Services	142,838.30	260,687.11	24,590.00	66,219.15	22,084.27	0.00	0.00	516,418.83
6100 · Admin	9,086.90	25.00	1,890.63	8,318.07	1,184.92	0.00	0.00	20,505.52
7100 · Occupancy	27,963.28	2,956.45	3,253.72	9,590.04	40,921.31	0.00	0.00	84,684.80
7500 · Insurance	25,521.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25,521.00
8100 · Office Expenses	17,358.18	2,031.45	4,179.72	598.99	83.89	0.00	0.00	24,252.23
8200 · Production	9,715.75	0.00	8,191.40	569.50	2,258.99	0.00	0.00	20,735.64
8500 · Programs & Projects	27,581.19	32,487.91	27,837.21	10,752.02	35,673.63	744,776.21	1,200,000.00	2,079,108.17
8600 · Training	3,463.01	3,204.91	3,348.35	1,003.67	1,624.00	0.00	0.00	12,643.94
8700 · Travel	3,287.47	4,974.91	5,335.06	3,210.69	1,356.92	0.00	0.00	18,165.0
8800 · Volunteers & Staff	12,978.46	763.24	1,126.56	5,291.46	530.15	0.00	0.00	20,689.87
8900 · Misc Expenses	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	500.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00
9000 · Capital Outlay	6,476.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	36,808.48	0.00	1,500.00	44,784.48
Total Expense	967,179.78	1,008,864.11	610,429.22	448,005.44	384,663.64	744,776.21	1,201,500.00	5,365,418.40
Net Ordinary Income	4,694,785.21	-927,829.59	-562,919.22	-432,855.44	-355,067.15	-713,271.58	-721,425.53	981,416.70
Net Income	4,694,785.21	-927,829.59	-562,919.22	-432,855.44	-355,067.15	-713,271.58	-721,425.53	981,416.70
Annual Appropriation by Program	\$1,406,860	\$1,419,150	\$935,249	\$648,352	\$500,274	\$1,535,000	\$7,737,747	
Percent of Fiscal Year Passed	92%	92%	92%	92%	92%	92%	92%	
Percentage of Appropriation Spent	69%	71%	65%	69%	77%	49%	16%	
Year-To-Date Appropriation by Program (as of 5/31)	\$1,299,376	\$1,297,630	\$861,648	\$594,614	\$465,459			
Year-To-Date Percentage of Appropriation Spent (as of 5/31)	74%	78%	71%	75%	83%			