



Meeting Agenda
Custer County Conservation District
Thursday, March 13, 2025 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
Commissioners Conference Room, Custer County Courthouse
420 Mt Rushmore Rd, Custer

Call to Order/Attendance roster/Welcome

Approve Minutes/Agenda – Minutes of the February 13, 2025 CCCD meeting and today's agenda

Partnership/Guest Reports –

- County Commission –
- NRCS –
- SD DANR-RCF –
- USFS general –
- SD GF&P –

Financial Report –

- Account balances
- Bills to pay/approve

New Business –

- Discuss SD Family Forests Association and Forest Stewardship Plans – presenter Mary LaHood, SDFFA Executive Director
- Renewal of Joint Powers Agreement with Pennington Conservation District
- Hills Area meeting date potential change
- Thinning grants:
 - o Forest Health grants
 - o State Commission grants

Old Business –

- Landowner forestry meeting
- Firewise Communities: outreach to road districts

Correspondence –

- Invitations to upcoming events
- Soil Health Coalition: Soil Health Awareness Week, March 9-15
- SD DANR: Notice of SD Conservation Commission spring grant round, application deadline March 21. Commission meeting April 8 @ 7:15 AM.
- SD DANR: Letters placing an immediate pause on funds for Forest Health grants
- Legislative updates from Angela
- SD Wildlife Federation Youth Conservation Camp, June 1-7

Other Business –

- Office manager report

Public Comment –

Critique/Adjournment –

Next Meeting – Thursday, April 10, 9:00-11:00 AM, Commissioners Conference Room, Custer County Courthouse