

# STOREY COUNTY WILDLIFE ADVISORY BOARD MEETING

### MONDAY, 26 APRIL 2021 @ 4:00pm PONDEROSA SALOON 106 SOUTH C STREET, VIRGINIA CITY, NEVADA

## **AGENDA**

MEMBERS: GREG HESS, *CHAIRMAN*; RICH BACUS, *VICE-CHAIRMAN*; ROB DUFRESNE; CASEY KELLEY; GREG "BUM" HESS CLERK-TREASURER: DENY DOTSON

#### CALL TO ORDER AT 4:00pm

4:03 pm

*Present: Greg Hess, Rich Bacus, Rob Dufresne, Casey Kelley, Deny Dotson, Carl Lackey with NDOW and Colt Dotson from the public.* 

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

#### CONSENT AGENDA

- \*APPROVAL OF AGENDA FOR 26 APRIL 2021
- \*REVIEW & APPROVE MINUTES FROM 04-30-2019

Motion to approve R. Dufresne, second C. Kelley; all ayes

#### AGENDA ITEMS:

#### 1. NOMINATION OF OFFICERS

- CHAIR / GREG HESS
- VICE CHAIR / *RICH BACUS*
- CLERK TREASURER / DENY DOTSON

\*DISCUSSION / POSSIBLE ACTION

Motion to approve the slate stay the same by R. Dufresne, second C. Kelley; all ayes

#### 2. <u>2021 BIG GAME STATUS REPORT: RECOMMENDATIONS FOR DEER &</u> <u>BEAR QUOTAS IN UNIT 195.</u>

- YOUTH
- RESIDENT
- NON-RESIDENT

\*DISCUSSION / POSSIBLE ACTION

C. Lackey reviewed prior year hunter success with the board. Board reviewed all recommended tags and whole heartily agreed with NDOW's recommendations. Motion to approve C. Kelley, second R. Dufresne; all ayes

#### 3. NDOW GENERAL UPDATE

- MULE DEER ENHANCEMENT PROJECT
- BIGHORN SHEEP

1. LANDOWNER ISSUES / ACCESS

2. POSSIBLE HUNT

\*DISCUSSION / POSSIBLE ACTION

*C.* Lackey explained the mule deer enhancement project and reasons why it's needed.

C. Lackey said that the lamb population (16 total counted) was down, and herd estimate is around 130. The biggest reason is most likely the competition for habitat with feral horses. C. Lackey was going to speak with EP minerals to see about gaining access to the guzzler so it can be repaired.

#### 4. FUTURE MEETINGS AND AGENDA ITEMS.

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\*DISCUSSION / POSSIBLE ACTION

TBD / Most likely in January of 2020

#### BOARD COMMENT

*R. Dufresne gave an update on the habitat work they are doing in American Flats so more fish can be planted this summer.* 

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

4:47 pm

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