

Subcommittee Members: Adam Kearney, Brian Patterson,
Dan Gilbert, Jelindo Tiberti II, Matt Blackburn, Ron Stoker,
Dave Talaga, John Hiatt, Nick Gulli, and Mark Transue

Staff to the Subcommittee: Erin Wood
Anthony Miller

**Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners
Mule Deer Enhancement Oversight Committee
Mule Deer Enhancement Program Subcommittee
Clark County; Management Area 26, 27, 28
Nevada Department of Wildlife
3373 Pepper Lane
Las Vegas, Nevada 89120**

Wednesday, May 10, 2023 / 5:30 p.m.

DRAFT Minutes

1. Call to Order – Department Representative

Meeting called to order 1745.

In attendance:

Erin Wood, Department Representative
Anthony Miller, Department Representative
Jelindo Tiberti, Subcommittee Member
John Hiatt, Subcommittee Member
Matt Blackburn, Subcommittee Member
Ron Stoker, Subcommittee Member
Davin Sudnick, Wildlife Habitat Improvement Nevada

2. Approval of Agenda – Department Representative – For Possible Action

Department Representative Wood motioned to approve the agenda.

Subcommittee Member Hiatt seconded the motion.

The motion passed.

3. Approval of Minutes (February 16, 2023) – Department Representative – For Possible Action

Department Representative Wood motioned to approve the Feb 16 minutes.

Subcommittee Member Hiatt seconded the motion.

The motion passed.

4. Member Announcements and Correspondence – Informational

Department Representative Wood shared project proposals from the US Forest Service to restore springs and riparian areas on public lands using Southern Nevada Public Land Management Act (SNPLMA) funds. Several spring locations identified in the MDEP Spring Mountains Camera Project are slated for fencing/restoration work in two Conservation Initiatives: The Spring Stewardship and Restoration in Southern Nevada Conservation Initiative from Round 17 began implementation in 2020 and the Wild Horse and Burro Herd Monitoring and Resource Enhancement Conservation Initiative will begin surveys in 2023.

5. Area 26 Camera Project – For Possible Action

The Subcommittee discussed the Spring Mountains Camera Project protocols, finalized locations of monitoring sites, and assigned equipment and responsibilities for cooperators.

Department Representative Wood motioned to approve the locations and protocols.

Subcommittee Member Blackburn seconded.

The motion passed.

6. Public Comment Period

Therese Campbell wanted clarification on the purpose and structure of the fencing around identified springs (pipe rail fencing to be installed around identified natural water sources to protect riparian habitat while diverting some flow to a trough for horses/burros to access water).

7. Future Subcommittee Meetings – Department Representative – For possible Action

The Subcommittee will meet after the conclusion of the 2023 camera deployment phase of the project, to be determined.

Meeting adjourned at 1925.