

Highlands Soil and Water Conservation District

Board of Supervisors Meeting

Date: Tuesday, May 20th, 2025

Time: 3:00 p.m.

Location: HSWCD Conference Room - Bert J. Harris Jr. Agricultural Center
4505 George Blvd., Sebring, FL 33875

Agenda:

- I. Call To Order, Welcome & Introductions – Chairman Causey
- II. Approval of Agenda – Chairman Causey
- III. Approval of Meeting Minutes
 - a. Board of Supervisors Meeting Minutes – April 15, 2025
- IV. Financial Activity
 - a. Overview & Approval of Financial Reports – April 2025 – S. Bishop
- V. Agency Partner Updates
 - a. FDACS
 - b. MIL
 - c. NRCS
 - d. HCBCC
- VI. Old Business
 - a. Elected Officials Financial Disclosures – S. Bishop
- VII. New Business
 - a. Landowner Assistance Expo – S. Bishop
 - b. RFP for Services for FDACS-OAWP – S. Bishop & K. Nickerson
 - c. Leadership Highlands Application – S. Bishop
 - d. Biotech Applied Research 501c(3) (BAR) Funding Request – S. Bishop & K. Nickerson
 - e. Local Working Group, Priorities for FY 2026 – K. Nickerson
- VIII. Executive Director’s Report – S. Bishop
- IX. Citizens Not on the Agenda
- X. Supervisor Comments

Next Board Meeting

Board of Supervisors Meeting, June 24, 2025 at 3:00 p.m.

Citizens Not on the Agenda requesting to speak will be limited to 3 minutes unless additional time is allotted by the Chairman. The Chairman reserves the right to remove anyone from the meeting who is unruly or displays disruptive behavior.