

Pit Resource Conservation District

Meeting Minutes Joint Fall River RCD, Pit RCD Meeting

1/8/26 @ 6pm
M.C.T.O. at 6:07 pm

Board Members Present: Bill Buckman [x], Clay Jacobson [x], Chuck Macfarlane []
Don Martin [x], Chris Christofferson [x], Pat Oilar [x] Chris Camarata [x]
Andy Albaugh, Kolten Hawkins, Tim Bacock, Alan Nelson, Thad Deforest,

Staff: Sharmie Stevenson [x], Todd Sloat [], Richard DeAtley [x]

Guests in attendance: Tex Dowdy Modoc County sheriff, John Fry Shasta County Aphis
Via phone:

Public Comment: None

New Business

Wolves Discussion

John Fry informed the Boards on what he has been doing and what the board can do to help.
Tex Dowdy informed the boards on his experience at previous meetings and what they can do to help

Boards decided to have Richard and Sharmie work on the following:

1. FOIA requests to both CDFW and USFWS for information of all known wolf packs in the state and all known and probably depredations in the state. Additional FOIA information such as herd numbers of Deer, Elk, and Antelope will be done as well.
2. Research and attain copies of all County resolutions regarding Gray Wolves for Shasta, Lassen, Modoc, Siskiyou, Plumas and Sierra Counties.
3. Research the wolf plan and contact people such as Paul Rohe (Sierra County Supervisor) and Mike Castello (Howl for Wildlife), for important information. Bullet point all CDFW shortcomings directly from their plan, attend all meetings involving wolves, and make Connections with others in the Gray Wolf circle to attempt to form partnerships.
4. Public Outreach such as website, Facebook, flyers, etc. might be useful in the future.
5. Organize and form partnerships with other groups and organizations such as CA Cattlemen's, Farm Bureau, Mule Deer, CDA, RMF, etc.

Next steps: Sharmie to look for funding for DNA swab kits, Tex to call Tina about DNA and Tex to call Ned about Modoc resolution.

Next Meeting Date – Tuesday February 17th, 2026, at 4:00 PM

Respectfully Submitted,

Sharmie Stevenson, Executive Director

