# NEBRASKA DAIRY INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT BOARD

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## Board Meeting Ramada Hotel and Conference Center, Columbus, NE February 19, 2016

#### **Minutes**

Members Present: Jim Eschliman, Lowell Mueller, Kent Pulfer, Doug Temme, Bill Thiele

Members Absent: Mike Henn, David Murman,

Ex-Officio Members Present: Bobbie Kriz Wickham, Bob Storant

Others Present: Midwest Dairy Staff: Rod Johnson; UNL: Paul Kononoff, Kim Clark

1. Call to Order

Meeting was called to order at 8:18 a.m. by Chairman Jim Eschliman.

2. Roll Call

Doug Temme took the Roll Call and announced the presence of a quorum.

3. Approve Agenda

Kent Pulfer moved, Bill Theile seconded to approve the agenda. A Roll Call vote was taken and the motion carried unanimously.

4. Minutes

Lowell Mueller moved, Kent Pulfer seconded to approve the NDID minutes from November 5, 2015. A Roll Call vote was taken and the motion carried unanimously.

5. Department of Ag. Reports

Fee Collection and Income and Disbursements

Bob Storant reported on Fee Collection Services Report, Income and Disbursements, and the Department of Ag. Bob also reported on the new auditor.

Doug Temme moved, Bill Thiele seconded to accept the financial report by the Nebraska Department of Agriculture. A Roll Call vote was taken and the motion carried unanimously. Rules and Regulations Report

Bob Storant reported on public notice waiver due to snow storm on February 2-3 granted by Governor Ricketts for Title 484 Nebraska Administrative Code, Chapter 1.

Lowell Mueller moved, Bill Thiele seconded to appoint Bobbie Kriz Wickham as hearing officer for the public hearing. A roll call vote was taken and the motion carried unanimously.

Doug Temme moved, Kent Pulfer seconded to recess the NDIDB at 8:58 a.m. for the public hearing. A roll call vote was taken and the motion carried unanimously.

The meeting reconvened at 9:10 a.m.

Kent Pulfer moved, Bill Thiele seconded to approve the Administrative Code and to forward to the Governor's Office. A roll call vote was taken and the motion carried unanimously.

#### 6. Other New Business

Bobbie Kriz Wickham announced that Mike Henn was reappointed, and that the terms of Kent Pulfer, Doug Temme and Bill Thiele expire on November 1, 2016.

The next meeting will be held on June 8, 2016 at a location to be determined.

### 7. Adjourn

Bill Thiele moved, Doug Temme seconded to adjourn the meeting at 9:15 a.m. A Roll Call vote was taken and the motion carried unanimously.

Jim Eschliman, Chair Doug Temme

Secretary/Treasurer