



Board of Trustees Meeting  
July 29, 2009

- I. Call to order. Dan Burr called to order the meeting of the Teton County Mosquito Abatement District Board of Trustees at 18:10 hours, July 29, 2009 at the Emergency Services Building in Driggs, Idaho
- II. The following persons were present: Dan Burr, Jack Liebenthal, Summer Winger, and Greg Adams. The mosquito abatement contractor Vector Disease Control Incorporated (VDCI) was represented by Allan Loe, Abigail Edwards, and Adam Hlad.
- III. Review and Approval of Minutes. Jack made a motion to accept the minutes from the last meeting, and Summer seconded the motion. All voted to accept the minutes.
- IV. Vendor report on activities accomplished. Representatives of VDCI presented a written report on activities since the start of the contract. The Board asked that a summary and selected sections of the report dealing with operations be posted on the TCMAD website <http://www.tcmad.org/index.php> Key issues are that
  - Extensive surveillance, adulticiding, and public information have been performed since the start of the contract, which built on extensive preparations after the award decision was made.
  - VDCI President Loe has overseen the startup of operations with top staff assistance.
  - No West Nile Disease has been found in the County, although there has been a human case in Bonneville County.
  - Culex mosquitoes, which are the primary carriers of West Nile Virus, are just now being found in the County, and emphasis will be placed on these mosquitoes now.
  - The Board reported overwhelming approval of the public for the abatement activities so far, and added its own satisfaction with the program.
  - The VDCI call-in line has fielded many calls, both positive and negative, and reports general success in educating callers on the program and the background.
- V. Other business. There was no other business.
- VI. Adjournment. The meeting was adjourned at 19:34 hours upon motion by Jack, second by Summer, and unanimous vote.