

CCA Board Meeting

Held at Centennial Ag on November 6, 2009.

By Ruth Ann Koch

5 out of 9 passed state test in February. 2 had processed license paperwork (one was CCA from another state.)

At March board meeting there was discussion involving an individual who was reported as having (knowingly) applying for false credits at a concurrent session event.

CSU has submitted some training modules with the CCA website (for credits). A portion of the fee for taking those modules comes back to Colorado.

California is now requiring a CCA sign off for nutrient management plans. This may become a nationwide trend. There will be investigations by EPA into Chesapeake Bay pollution from agriculture & then a study on the Mississippi River Basin for the same. These results may promote CCA involvement in approving fertilizer applications.

Lanny Houston & Roy S. are retired from board. Jeff Tichota & Don Graffis will replace them. Sandra McDonald will still need to be replaced. Committes were reassigned.

CCA Booth will be at the RMAA & High Plains NoTill in 2010, Greely Farm Show in 2011.

Applications for test are due 1st week December 2009. Test date is February 5, 2010 at "The Ranch" in Loveland.

There is a test prep course to be held in Hugo (December 2009 or January 2010). Check Colorado CCA website for details.