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Through the cooperation of all agencies, businesses, groups and individuals it has been possible to develop a strong soil and water conservation program in Grundy County.

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Farm Plans Developed During Last Year

Clifford Vandevender	Kenneth Johnson	Danny Murphy
Howe Bros.	Doris Marshall	Hibbs & McKibben
Lynn Westcott	Jack Dannull	Dennis McDonald
Rodney McDonald	Ray Johnson	Wayne Sisler
Ralph Hamby	Hubert Borgelt	Anne Mitchell
Mack & Woodard	Hugh Watkins	Wendell Veach
Russ Mason	James Gregg	David Weatherfield
Harold Moore	Randy & Kendall Foster	Jim Hicks
Floyd Trump	Huel Campbell	Gary Provorse
William Mantlo	Henry Peacock	Charles Owens
Hubert Price	Fred W. Dustman	Kenny Roberts
Gary King	Everett Gass	Sidney Watkins
Cecil Pollock	Francis Dolan	Harry Cox
C. J. Bunnell	Robert H. Scott	Chester Dolan
Hershell Roberts	Charles Berry	Gerald Sibbit

"Rain drops can't hit the ground running if they fall into a good grass sod"

TENTH ANNUAL MEETING

Grundy County Soil and Water Conservation District

Pleasant View R-VI School

Thursday, March 24th, 1977

7:30 p.m.



Dr. Russell E. Johns
FARMLAND INDUSTRIES, INC.

Program Courtesy of

Grundy County Implement Company

1208 East 17th Street

TRENTON, MISSOURI 64683

Phone (816) 359-2800



PROGRAM

Invocation	Ervin Gray
Welcome and Introductions	Byron Grisamore Chairman SWCD Board
Entertainment	R-IX Music Department Loren Hutchison, Instructor
Resource Conservation and Development	Robert Harryman RC & D Coordinator
Recent Conservation Developments	Millard Blane District Conservationist
Introduction of Speaker	Ronny Swank SWCD Board
Guest Speaker	Dr. Russell E. Johns Farmland Industries, Inc.
Presentation of Sixth Grade Conservation Poster Awards—	Charles Patterson, Trenton Trust Bank Eugene Hutson, Treasurer SWCD
Outstanding Cooperator Awards—	Goodyear—Bob Ward, Territory Sales Manager Production Credit Assn.—Charles Owens
Refreshments	Courtesy of SWCD Board

SOIL AND WATER DISTRICT BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Byron Grisamore	Chairman
Ronny Swank	Vice Chairman
Dale Herring	RC & D Representative
Eugene Hutson	Treasurer
Rodney O. Hexem	Secretary
Carol Plumb	District Clerk

PAST SUPERVISORS

Clifford Goodrich - Estel Rhoades - John Speck Lelan Ryan	
Larry Madux - George McCollum	Past Sec's.

USDA SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE PERSONNEL

Millard Blane	District Conservationist
Raymond L. Parker	Soil Conservation Technician
Roger K. Klepper	Soil Conservationist
Gene Petty	RC & D Technician

DISTRICT PROGRESS ASSISTANCE

	July 1, 1975 to Oct. 30, 1976	Sept. 1, 1967 to Oct. 30, 1976
New Cooperators with District	56	545
Conservation Plans	23	180
ASCS Referrals Serviced	167	—
Terraces (all types)	19 miles	67 miles
Diversions	6 miles	36 miles
Grassed Waterways	31 acres	142 acres
Drainage Ditch	17 miles	113 miles
Land Grading for Drainage	185 acres	3,462 acres
Tile Drain for Tile Terr. Outlets	3 miles	10 miles
Wildlife Habitat Development	761 acres	2,468 acres
Pasture Planting	727 acres	14,103 acres
Farm Ponds	41	304
Structures	40	151

BUDGET AND FINANCIAL DATA

1977

EXPENSES

	Budget
Secretarial and Technical Help	\$5,000.00
Postage and Supplies	250.00
Annual Meeting	200.00
Fair Booth	20.00
Soil Stewardship	150.00
Conservation Education	127.00
Contest and Awards	250.00
Election Expense	24.00
Information Activities	148.00
State and National Dues	240.00
Marking Flags and Stakes	400.00
RC & D Tree Sale	200.00
Miscellaneous	150.00
TOTAL	\$7,159.00

INCOME

State Commission (Secretarial)	1,500.00
State Commission (Expendable Supplies)	75.00
State Commission (Election Expense)	24.00
Individual Donations	1,200.00
County Court	3,850.00
Plate Book Sales	60.00
RC & D Tree Sale	200.00
Donations from Banks	250.00
TOTAL	\$7,159.00