

**2017 North Dakota State Crop Improvement Seed Association
Certified Seed Committee Meeting Minutes**
(Minutes taken by Tim Goeser)

Called to order by Del Gates.

Minutes were approved by Charlie Stein with a second from Dave Copenhaver. Motion carried.

Old Business – None

New Business – Updates from Carrington and Minot REC's on their grain cleaning facilities. Carrington requested the same amount of funds from Crop Improvement that Minot received.

Brian Otteson, ASF – Casselton

- A few new employees
- Had a good crop
- Wheat seems like it is moving pretty good

Chad Anderson, NCREC – Minot

- Bolles and Glenn HRSW have seen interest
- ND Henson moving pretty good
- Durum pretty slow because of Vom issues

Dave Copenhaver, CREC – Carrington

- Seed sales slow
- Divide – sold out
- Carpio & Joppa slow because of Vom issues
- Shelly HRSW moving good
- ND Bison and ND Henson moving pretty good
- Omega – sold out

Kyle Dragseth, WREC – Williston

- Bolles – almost sold out
- Peas & Lentils moving good

Joe Magnuson, ND State Seed Dept

- Durum samples testing good
- Field peas samples testing good
- Germs pretty good
- Some weeds on the radar – Common Vetch and Palmer Amaranth. Look for purple flowers. Looks almost like a lentil. Storage of seed lots with Vom for several months, may help lower vom numbers.
- Lentils – send a common sample request check for Common Vetch or Rogue Lentil.
- On-line bulk certs ready to use

Jack Ingemansen, SD Crop Improvement

- Oats selling more than spring wheat
- General Mills Breeder working with SD Oats Breeder
- No new wheat releases for 2017
- Royalties – Oats \$0.30, Wheat \$0.60 are collected by Crop Improvement

Motion to adjourn by John Schatz, second Aaron Johnson. Motion carried.