NWDB Leadership Committee Meeting Minutes May 17, 2022

Present: Sean Lavin (Chair), JD Williamson, , Tameka Gibbs, Larry Dave Whitmer (staff)

Absent With Notice: Kimberly Gregory

Minutes prepared by Dave Whitmer.

Absent Without Notice: Janet Russ (Vice-Chair)

1. Current staffing developments – status and actions moving forward: Chair Lavin opened the discussion by stating that both the Center Manager and Assistant Manager had resigned. Director Whitmer stated that when the Center Manager resigned, she told him "Larry (Donley) demoted me once, he will do it again." Chair Lavin stated that the developments over the past several months including Larry's decision to not allow center management to remain as functional managers have impacted employees and their sense of value. Things such as this can continue to grow unless something is done. After further discussion, the Committee directed Director Whitmer to draft a letter to Assistant Secretary Chet Mottershead, requesting disciplinary action for DWS Regional Operations Director, Larry Donley, including reassignment to another region. In addition, since his direct supervisor supported the decisions Mr. Donley made that have negatively impacted the NWDB region, disciplinary action should be requested for him as well.

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