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The Navajo Tribe
Tuba City, Arizona

LAND BOARD MEETING REPORT

President - Dewey B. Begay
Vice Pres. - John Kaibetoney Sr.
Secretary - Wilson Grey

Date & Time
2-12-61 1:30 P.M.

Members of Land Board met as of February 12, 1961, to formulate a plan of operation in conjunction with some farm problems involving some reviewing few pending land use applications for assignments in Vanzee farm areas are as to following applicants: Lee Kanawood, Albert Slim Utsoie, Gilbert Sellars, George John, Mike Preston, and Millman Hadley.

In cooperation with Branch of Land operations represented by Mr. H.H. Harder, Soil Conservationist, who made some suggestions in carry out a system for operation and maintaining irrigation systems.

The Land Board members stressed some problems in pertaining of purchasing two (2) farm tractors with complete set of attachments, but the subject has been tabled until further development of irrigation especially improvement in the future.

Mr. H.H. Harder, representative of land operations stated that every effort shall be given by Branch of land operations to carry out a plan of operation in cooperation with every land user to donate his labor for improvement of the project.

It has also pointed out that heavy equipments or Dragline to clean the irrigation ditches are now at many farms area, but it could be arranged to be brought to Tuba City for irrigation developments that some of the people already have been requested for operation and uses for various areas.

Eleven (11) land assignments applications filed by Hopi farmers have been rejected by land board until further information from Central Land Board of the Navajo Tribe and local chapter as well for future considerations.

It has been brought to the attention of the land board members of few land use assignees are in position relinquish or withdraw their land use assignments for reason of non-use for period of 2 years, and for other valid reasons.

Land Board adjourned at 5:30 P.M.

Wilson Grey
Secretary

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