PROCEEDINGS OF THE BROWN COUNTY
LAND CONSERVATION SUBCOMMITTEE

Pursuant to Section 18.94 Wis. Stats., a regular meeting of the **Brown County Land Conservation Subcommittee** was held on Tuesday, August 23, 2022, in Room 200, Northern Building, 305 E. Walnut Street, Green Bay, WI.

Present: Supervisor Norb Dantinne, Citizen Member Stan Kaczmarek, Supervisor Tom Friberg, Supervisor Morgan Fuller, Supervisor Ray Suennen
Excused: Supervisor Dave Landwehr
Also Present: County Conservationist Mike Mushinski, Project Manager Brent Petersen, and Director of Administration Chad Weininger

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I. Call Meeting to Order.

The meeting was called to order by Chair Dantinne at 5:30 p.m.

II. Approve/Modify Agenda.

Motion made by Supervisor Friberg, seconded by Supervisor Fuller to approve. Vote taken. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

III. Approve/Modify Minutes of July 26, 2022.

Motion made by Stan Kaczmarek, seconded by Supervisor Suennen to approve. Vote taken. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

Comments from the Public None.

1. Resolution Appropriating Second Round of American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Funds for Specific Projects.

County Conservationist Mike Mushinski informed the committee approved the two requests they had for the cover crop no-till planting and the habitat work on the East River, which was included in the resolution.

Motion made by Supervisor Fuller, seconded by Supervisor Friberg to approve. Vote taken. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

2. Resolution Adopting Brown County's 2023 Six-Year Capital Improvement Plan.

Motion made by Supervisor Dantinne, seconded by Supervisor Fuller to forward on to PD&T. Vote taken. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

3. Brown County Land & Water Conservation Budget Status Financial Report for June 30, 2022 – Unaudited.

Mushinski stated they were tracking similar to past years. As they get grant reimbursements, their revenues, and expenses even out.

Motion made by Supervisor Fuller, seconded by Supervisor Friberg to receive and place on file. Vote taken. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

4. Director's Report.

a. Demonstration Farms Network Update.

Land and Water Conservation Project Manager Brent Petersen provided a PowerPoint presentation (attached) regarding demo farms and spoke to current happenings and things that will happen in the future with producers as they move forward with interseeding and planting cover crops by drone spraying, etc.

No action needed.

Other

5. Such Other Matters as Authorized by Law. None.

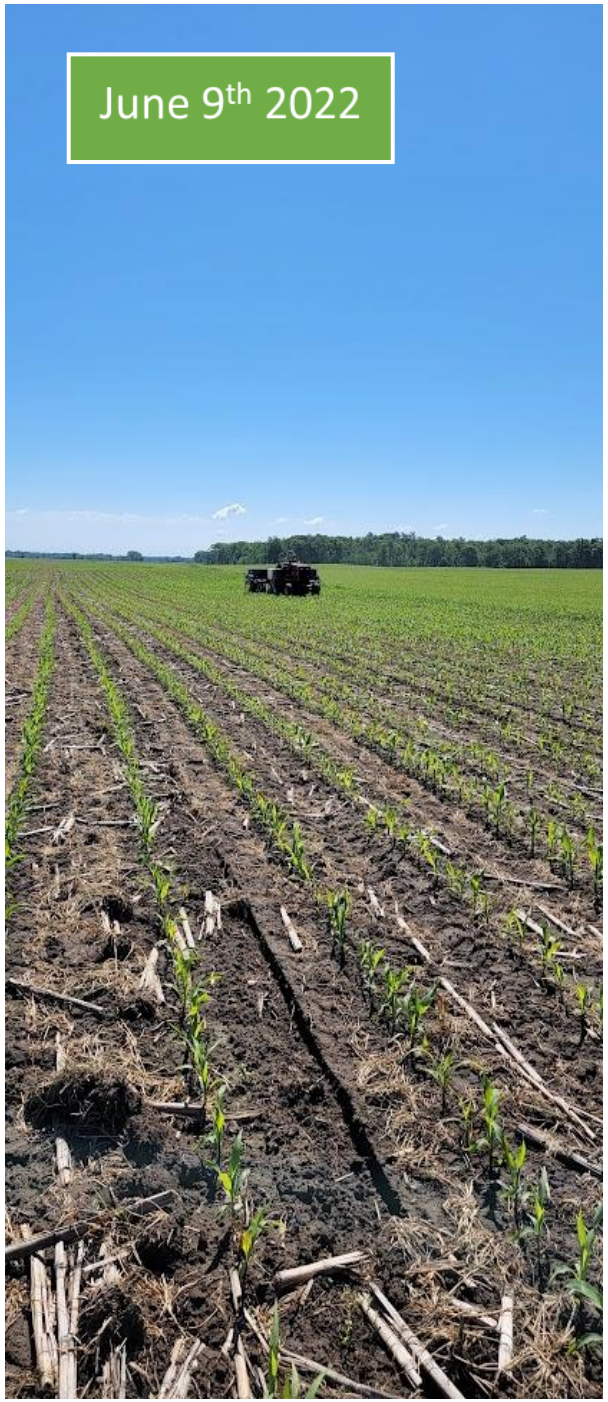
6. Adjourn.

Motion made by Stan Kaczmarek, seconded by Supervisor Fuller to adjourn at 5:53 p.m. Vote taken. MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

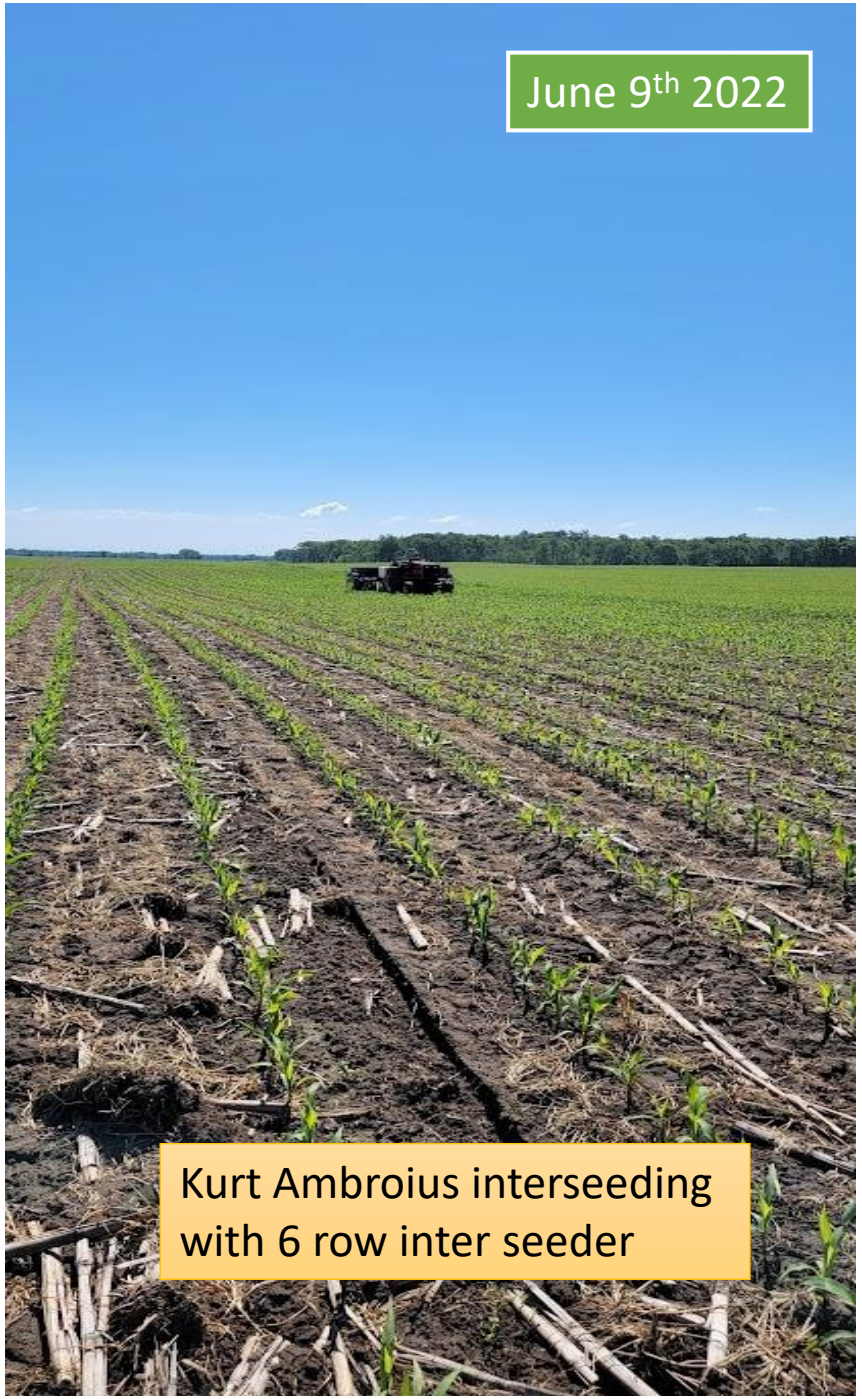
Respectfully submitted,

Alicia A. Loehlein
Legislative Specialist

June 9th 2022



Kurt Ambrouis : Interseeding of Red Clover


June 9th 2022
Kurt Ambroius interseeding with 6 row inter seeder

July 13th 2022
Red Clover (Kurt Ambroius) Field is going into Corn in 2023

July 30th 2022
Annual Rye (Kent Petersen) Interseeded into Corn going into Soybeans in 2023

Wayside Dairy Harvesting rye after planting corn

Growth difference very noticeable. Corn planted 1st (Right Side) has 3 more leaves than corn on the left.

Corn on the Right is 103 day, and corn on the left Is 95 day. Time will tell the difference.

The future of farming. This unit can be used to plant cover crops and do spraying
Brooke Stewart is the owner and pilot.

August 8th 2022

August 15th 1 week later

August 15 2022
Also notice the earthworm castings from 8 years of Cover crops and no-till

August 15 2022

Markesan, WI Rain 360 unit applying 7000 gals of water per acre using satellites for guidance
This unit can apply 225,000 gls per day.

Brown County Land Conservation
Covers and No-till cost share and
acres implemented.

<u>2021 cover Crops:</u>

1598 Acres planted
$59,747 paid out in 2021
6 funding sources

<u>2022 No till:</u>

3051 acres planted
$62,798 paid out
funding sources.