

Yadkin Valley Wildlife Federation  
meeting minutes March 20<sup>th</sup> 2025

Attendees = Joshua Powell – Kurt Hemrick – Kristian Blackburn – Gerry Malmo

We did not have a quorum so necessary votes will be done via email on March 21<sup>st</sup> 2025

- Annual Banquet – This year’s annual banquet will be held at the Richard Childress Racing Facility on September 4<sup>th</sup>. Kristian Blackburn will chair the banquet committee. Committee members will include Joshua Powell, and Richard Harrington. Committee updates will be provided as necessary. Banquet committee meetings will be announced soon. Please contact Kristian or me if you are interested in helping this year.
- Seed Program – We have received 63 requests for seed. The committee has requested a \$5000 budget increase. After a board vote the motion is passed 8= yes 1= not present.
- 3rd annual wild game dinner - The game dinner was attended by approx. 35 members. Thanks to Cindy Dillard this event was a great success.
- Scholarship Program – We have 2 qualified applicants with more expected to arrive soon. Your scholarship committee is working very hard to get the word out and will be providing results shortly.
- Your chapter has purchased an industrial sprayer for use in the dove field as well as other areas to be determined at future meetings.
- Youth Quail Hunt – Our 1<sup>st</sup> annual youth quail hunt is coming up soon. The safety portion will be held on Saturday March 22<sup>nd</sup> and the hunt will be held on Saturday March 29<sup>th</sup>.