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Absentee	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
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SDCL	County Road 31-12A Annually, on the first Tuesday in	Ambulance 34-11A Annually, during the	Rural Fire Protection 34-31A	Sanitary 34A-5 Annually, on	Irrigation 46A-4	Watershed	Water Project
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	the first Tuesday in			Annually on		46A-14	46A-18
	May (SDCL 31-12A-15).	first quarter of the year (SDCL 34- 11A-29).	Annually, during the first quarter of the year (SDCL 34- 31A-43).	any Tuesday in the month following the anniversary date of the first election (SDCL 34A-5- 20).	Annually, on the last Tuesday in October (SDCL 46A-4- 25).	Annually, before the first day of May (SDCL 46A-14-37).	Annually, before the first day of May (SDCL 46A-14-37).
Where	At an annual meeting.	At an annual meeting.	At an annual meeting.	At a polling place.	At a polling place or by mail.	At an annual meeting.	At an annual meeting.
How	Pursuant to SDCL 8-3.	Pursuant to SDCL 8-3.	Pursuant to SDCL 8-3.	Pursuant to SDCL 9-13.	Pursuant to SDCL 46A-4- 32 through 46A-4-38.	Pursuant to SDCL 46A-14- 37 through 46A-14-38.	Pursuant to SDCL 46A-18- 23 through 46A-18-25.
	Landowners; one vote, regardless of lots owned (SDCL 31- 12A-1.2).	Registered voters who have resided in the district for at least thirty days.	Registered voters who have resided in the district for at least thirty days.	Registered voters who have resided in the district for at least thirty days.	Landowners w/ at least thirty-five acres in the district (SDCL 46A-4-2).	Landowners; corporate landowners receive one vote (SDCL 46A-14-15.1).	Registered voters who reside in the district or landowners (SDCL 46A- 18-2.1; 46A- 18-2.2).
Who Can Serve	Landowners	Residents	Residents	Residents	Electors who reside within twenty-five miles of the district boundary (SDCL 46A-4- 27).	Landowners	Residents
Notices	Pursuant to SDCL 31-12A- 15.1.	Pursuant to SDCL 34-11A- 29.	Pursuant to SDCL 34-31A- 43.	Pursuant to SDCL 9-13 and SDCL 34A-5-21.3.	Pursuant to SDCL 46A-4- 31.	Pursuant to SDCL 46A-14- 43.	Pursuant to SDCL 46A-18- 23.
Method of Nomination	Petition (SDCL 31- 12A-17).	Pursuant to SDCL 8-3.	Pursuant to SDCL 8-3.	Petition (SDCL 34A-5- 21).	Petition (SDCL 46A-4- 28).	Application (SDCL 46A-1- 38).	Petition (SDCL 46A- 18-25).
Hours	N/A	N/A	N/A	7am to 7pm	7am to 7pm	N/A	N/A
Absentee	Pursuant to SDCL 8-3.	Pursuant to SDCL 8-3.	Pursuant to SDCL 8-3.	Yes (SDCL 9- 13-21).	Yes (SDCL 46A-4-32).	Yes (SDCL 46A-14-38).	Not specified in SDCL 46A- 18.
Board Person	Trustee	Director	Director	Trustee	Director	Manager	Director