# AGENDA – February 14, 2006

The Middle Republican NRD Board of Directors will hold their regular meeting at the NRD office in Curtis, Nebraska, on February 14, 2006 at 1:30 P.M.

# Regular Meeting:

- 1. Meeting called to order.
  - a. Verify quorum
  - b. Excused absences
- Circulate agenda and roster
  - a. Items added since mailing
- 3. OFFICIAL NOTICE OF THIS MEETING WAS PUBLISHED IN THE NORTH PLATTE TELEGRAPH AND THE MCCOOK DAILY GAZETTE AND WAS POSTED IN THE NRD OFFICE AND ON THE DISTRICT WEBSITE AT WWW.MRNRD.ORG. AS A COURTESY IT WAS ALSO PROVIDED TO LOCAL RADIO STATIONS.
- 4. Approve minutes for January regular board meeting.
- 5. Open Hearing for Variance Request
- 6. Close Hearing
- 7. Consider Variance Requests
- 8. Legal Matters
  - a. Case status
- 9. Financial Actions
  - a. Approve Financial Report for January 2006
  - b. Retirement Fund withholding
- 10. Open Forum Comments from guests
- 11. Reports Agencies, Associations, Others
  - a. NRCS 1) District Conservationist Report 2) Budget cuts & TSP
  - b. NARD 1) Report-Moore 2) Legislative Conf. Reports
    - 3) Approve 457 Plan participation
  - c. NACD Newsletters
  - d. NNRC Report
  - e. Information & Education Gall
    - 1) Envirothon 2) SWNE Water Conf. March 8
  - f. NE Republican River Management Districts Association

- Next meeting McCook-Feb 22<sup>nd</sup>
   Info & Educ Coalition meetings
- g. Other Agencies or Associations
  - 1) RC&D Roger Stockton.
  - 2) Ne Game & Parks Camp Hayes proposal
- h. Legislation
  - 1) Testimony on LB 971
  - 2) Handouts

### 12. Ground Water Management

- a. Ground Water Management Area
  - 1) Well permits 2) Surface water reports 3) Meter repairs, readings and inspections 4) CREP and EQIP 5) Transfer requests
  - 6) Compact compliance issues-Platte transfer
- b. Ground Water Quality Management Area
- c. Other Ground Water Activity

### 13. Programs

- a. WILD
- b. Buffer Strips
- c. Livestock Waste Control Applications
- d. Conservation Management Funds

**NSWCP** items

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**Approve Applications** 

- e. Watersheds
- f. Complaints
- g. Chemigation
- h. Tree Planting

### 14. General Operations

- a. Personnel
- b. Sales and Rental Equipment
- c. 2006 Elections

### Adjourn

Next regular meeting date – March 14, 2006 at 7:30 P. M. at the Fairgrounds meeting room in McCook, Nebraska.



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# Middle Republican Natural Resources District

### **MEETING NOTICE**

The Middle Republican Natural Resources District Board of Directors will hold their regular monthly meeting at the NRD office, 220 Center Ave, Curtis, Nebraska on February 14, 2006 at 1:30P.M. The agenda, kept current, is available during regular business hours at the NRD office in Curtis. Individuals requiring physical or sensory accommodations should call the NRD at 308-367-4281 or 800-873-5613 five days prior to the meeting.

Publish prior to February 4.

# MIDDLE REPUBLICAN NRD ATTENDANCE ROSTER 2006

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### February 1, 2006

Honorable Dave Heineman, Governor State Capitol Building Lincoln, Nebraska 68509

Re: Republican River Water Issues

Dear Governor Heineman:

The Board of the Lower Republican Natural Resources District (LRNRD) would like to thank you for your interest and involvement in addressing the difficult water administration and management issues that we are facing in the Republican River Basin. In particular, the Board is encouraged by your support for those incentive programs and activities that will help the State of Nebraska comply with the terms of the Republican River Compact and the *Kansas v. Nebraska* Settlement Agreement.

The Republican River Basin Natural Resources Districts (NRD) are committed to do their part to help the State of Nebraska maintain compliance with the Compact as adopted in 1943, and as implemented in accordance with the 2003 Settlement Agreement approved by the United States Supreme Court. We are also committed to ensuring that Republican River ground water and surface water resources are protected and preserved for our benefit, as well as that of future generations.

We are encouraged by the water use reports for this past year. Precipitation was not only more abundant in 2005, but generally arrived at the most advantageous time for our growers, allowing them to take advantage of this resource. That precipitation pattern, along with the farmers' good stewardship of their ground water resources, allowed the growers to pump an average of 33% less water in 2005 than they were allocated. Consequently, the ground water users within the LRNRD met the Goals and Objectives identified in the Integrated Management Plan (IMP) that was jointly developed by the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) and the LRNRD. We are proud of the manner in which the farmers have worked to deal with one of the worst droughts on record, and encourage them to maintain high levels of water use efficiency. They are continually adapting their operations to deal with changing conditions, while at the same time remain some of the top corn producers in the world, thereby providing substantial benefits to the State of Nebraska and our local communities.

The IMPs for the Republican River Basin NRDs call for Compact compliance to be achieved through a combination of regulatory and incentive programs designed to

limit and, if necessary, reduce beneficial consumptive use of Basin water supplies. All of the Districts, including the LRNRD, have adopted regulatory programs approved by the DNR to maintain compact compliance. The LRNRD is committed to enforcing its Ground Water Management Rules and Regulations and the IMP to ensure that the ground water users comply with its provisions. The LRNRD is also committed to complying with the various provisions of the Ground Water Management and Protection Act (GWMPA), which describes, among other things, the procedure and public hearing/notice requirements that must be followed if the IMP or the Rules and Regulations are to be amended at some point in the future to address changing hydrologic conditions. While the GWMPA precludes the Board from agreeing to amend the IMP or Rules and Regulations in any particular way without following the appropriate public process, the LRNRD wants to make it clear that it will work with the other Republican River Basin water users and the State to address changing needs in the future.

In short, while the LRNRD, like everyone else, is hopeful that the Republican River Basin may be returning to average precipitation conditions, it also recognizes that it is not possible to make any predictions as to long-term hydrology. The LRNRD is committed, however, to complying with the Compact, the IMP and related Rules and Regulations, and the GWMPA in order to confront and deal with changing conditions as they arise.

Basin-wide incentive programs, particularly those aimed at reducing surface water consumption, will be an effective tool to help Nebraska comply with the Compact during water short years. In the longer term, other activities, such as riparian vegetation management and maximizing Nebraska's imported water supply credit, will also help to ensure Compact compliance.

In conclusion, we look forward to continuing to work with you, the DNR, the Irrigation Districts, and the other Republican River Basin NRDs to honor Nebraska's commitment to comply with the Republican River Compact and the *Kansas v. Nebraska* Settlement Agreement. Your interest in, and involvement with, these difficult issues will ensure that we are able to develop a long-term solution to the water situation in the Republican River Basin.

Sincerely,

Nelson Trambly, Chairman

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Water Use Reports - Republican River Basin \*1

NRD	Certified Acres	2005 Acre Feet Pumping	2005 Acre Inches per Certified Acre	2005 Allocation	Allocation less acre feet pumped = Savings	Acre Feet used less than 2002 = Savings	
Upper Republican	449,075	426,585	11.40	13.50	78,083	243,249	
Middle Republican	313,605	219,868	8.78	13.00	110,284	399,000	
Total	762,680	646,453	n/a	n/a	188,367	642,249	

<sup>\*1 -</sup> Lower Republican NRD 2005 water use not available at this time (1/17/06) but will be finalized and made available next week. Preliminary data indicates a 33% reduction in pumping below the allocation.

Tri-Basin NRD - Republican Basin Average Water Use \*2\*3

Total	55,524.00	62,025.00	n/a
Combination Pivot & Gravity	6,529.00	7,294.00	14.12
Gravity	23,325.00	21,785.00	16.35
Center Pivot	25,670.00	32,946.00	9.65
Irrigation System Type	Total Pumpage (in Acre Feet)	Total Irrigated Acres	Average Acre Inch

\*2 - Represents 32.7% of all certified irrigated acres in the Republican River Basin as of 11/29/05 \*3 - Tri-Basin NRD is not required to be on an allocation system

As of January 17, 2006



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# Middle Republican Natural Resources District



08-Feb-06

### **Total Certified Acres**

County Frontier	CertifiedAcres 74056.30	No of Wells 668	
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County Hitchcock	CertifiedAcres 39048.95	No of Wells 553	
County Lincoln	CertifiedAcres 76467.80	*	
County	CertifiedAcres	No of Wells	

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Total Wells: 18

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County	Certified Acres	No. of Wells
Frontier	24455.2	271
County	Certified Acres	No. of Wells
Hayes	16126.3	166
County	Certified Acres	No. of Wells
Hitchcock	24224.9	397
County	Certified Acres	No. of Wells
Lincoln	7703.0	60

Quick Response Acres

County	Certified Acres	No. of Wells
Red Willow	35897.8	672
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### Platte Area Acres

Red Willow

County Certified Acres No. of Wells Frontier 864.2 4

County Certified Acres No. of Wells Lincoln 2549.5 14

### Usage by County

Total Acres 3413.70

CountyID	UseID	Water Usage	IrrigatedAcres	# of Meters	Average Use:
Frontier	Irrigation	550142.26	70718.8	585	7.78
Hayes	Irrigation	586164.25	67170.8	473	8.73
Hitchcock	Irrigation	294910.12	37485.7	510	7.87
Lincoln	Irrigation	711967.75	75763.7	514	9.40
Red Willow	Irrigation	513158.75	53280.2	825	9.63

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AverageUse:

8.81

### **MINUTES**

## Middle Republican Natural Resources District Board of Directors Meeting January 10, 2006 McCook, Nebraska

Hearing Agenda

Board Members Present: Joe Anderjaska, Duane Dodson, Kevin Fornoff, Gayle Haag, Dennis Hoyt, Stan Moore, Mike Peters, Don Roberts, Rick Spencer, and Kelly Wertz

Board Members Absent: Jerry Mustion

NRD Staff: Dan Smith, Bob Merrigan, Kara Gall, Christy Peterson

NRCS Staff: Doug Whisenhunt

Others: Roberta Felker, Brad Johnson, and David Cookson

**Information Mailed to Directors:** 

January Agenda

December Minutes

December Financial Report

Public Hearing Minutes

December Budget Comparison

January 3, 2006 E-notes I & E Report

Bortner Variance Request Well Permit Report

E-mail concerning TSP hours NARD Washington DC trip

Cost Share Summary Lower Republican NRD Resolution

RC&D agenda USGS Discharge Report

Information Distributed at Meeting:

Updated Cost Share Summary Tree Cost Share

Certified Acre and Usage Report January 7 NARD Update
Legislative Conference Tentative Agenda Legislative Bill 930

Russ Topp's "25 Interesting Facts" Fred Baumert's "Nebraska Water"

Letter of Assurance

### REGULAR MEETING

The regular monthly board meeting was called to order by Chairman Haag at 1:38p.m. The agenda and roster were circulated to those present. Items added since mailing: 12a9) Letter of Assurance

Notice of the regular monthly meeting was published in the North Platte Telegraph and the McCook Daily Gazette and was posted at the MRNRD Office and on the District Website at <a href="https://www.nrrnd.org">www.nrrnd.org</a>. As a courtesy it was also provided to local radio stations.

The minutes for the December public hearing and regular board meeting were mailed to Directors. Rick Spencer was omitted from the Directors present on the regular meeting minutes.

• A motion was made by Dodson and second by Fornoff to approve the minutes for the December board meeting as corrected.

Ayes-10

Nays-0

Motion carried

### VARIANCE HEARING

Smith reported that the variance hearing did not need to be held. The acres were already certified.

### **LEGAL MATTERS**

Smith gave a brief update of legal action. Smith will be meeting with Schroeder on Thursday. Dave Cookson with the Attorney General's office was present to discuss legal matters.

A motion was made by Wertz and second by Hoyt to enter into executive session at 1:45p.m to discuss legal matters.

Ayes-10 Nays-0

Motion carried

♦ A motion was made by Fornoff and second by Hoyt to return to regular session at 2:27p.m

Ayes-10 Nays-0

Motion carried

### FINANCIAL ACTIONS

The financial report for December was presented. The County Treasurer's Balance was \$10,220.72.

• A motion was made by Roberts and second by Wertz to approve the December financial report as presented.

Ayes-10

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Motion carried

A copy of this report is on file with the minutes.

The monthly budget comparison was presented and reviewed.

The audit report was handed out to Directors at the December meeting.

• A motion was made by Roberts and second by Hoyt to approve the audit as presented.

Ayes-10

Nays-0

Motion carried

### Retirement Fund withholding

Smith gave an update on the error in the retirement withholding. The correction has been made for 2005. The District is waiting for answers from NARD consultants before doing anything with 2003 and 2004.

### NRCS REPORT

Doug Whisenhunt reviewed NRCS activities. EQIP 2006 first sign up is complete. The second signup will be completed the end of February. Whisenhunt reviewed the number of applications received. A total of 137 applications have been received for the first signup in 2006. There are still funds available from NRCS to change acres from irrigated to dryland. Whisenhunt reviewed CREP numbers. There are currently approximately 150 applications approved. Discussion was held concerning conservation practices and their effect on the water issues. An e-mail from Steve Chick discussing budgeting issues was mailed to directors. By the end of February TSP hours will no longer be available. Prescribe burn school will be held in Curtis on March 15 or 16. LCRA has gathered equipment and will begin working on the black line for Pilcher's burn north of Curtis.

### **NARD**

Moore had a number of press releases if anyone was interested. The agenda for the Legislative Conference was circulated. Currently Moore, Wertz, Anderjaska, and Dodson are registered to go. Spencer and Roberts indicated that they are planning to attend. Information on the Washington D.C. trip was mailed to directors. Haag was the last director to attend. Haag appointed voting delegates. The delegate will be Kelly Wertz and the alternate will be Joe Anderjaska.

### **NACD**

E-notes for the week of January 3, 2006 were mailed to the Directors.

### INFORMATION AND EDUCATION

Gall reviewed the Information and Education report. The Envirothon will be February 22. Planning is underway for the Water Conference. It is scheduled for March 8. Dodson noted that on February 20 there is a meeting in Wray Colorado.

### **NRRMDA**

The next meeting has not been scheduled. There is Information and Educational Coalition meetings are currently being held. Smith reviewed the dates. The one for the Middle Republican NRD will be at the Water Conference.

### OTHER AGENCIES OR ASSOCIATIONS

The agenda for the Southwest Nebraska RC&D planning workshop and council meeting was mailed to directors. These meetings are both scheduled for January 13, 2006. Lynn Wilson would like the District to contribute to the RC&D State Conference. This meeting includes several Western States. After the conference was planned, the group lost some of their funding due to budget cuts.

### LEGISLATION

The Association's Legislative Report was handed out. Smith reviewed the report. A copy of LB 930 was handed out to Directors. This bill creates an Annual Water Conservation fee. LB 933 is the bill that makes several technical changes to LB 962 from the Water Policy Task Force. Smith reviewed the portion of the bill that provides an exemption for municipalities from allocation restrictions imposed after November 1, 2005.

### GROUND WATER MANAGEMENT AREA

The well permit report was mailed to Directors. The Daily Discharge report was handed out to Directors. Smith reviewed the reports. An updated acres and usage report was handed out to directors. The readings are approximately 95% complete. The readings will be sent to the State as soon as they are completed.

Discussion was held on unused wells. There are 186 wells that have 0 acres certified. Some of these have unused variances in place. There are an additional 23 unused wells that have certified acres. Discussion was held on what the Directors want to do with the continued requests for additional certified acres. Discussion was held on stopping certified acres since, according to the rules, the deadline for certifying acres was two years ago. Discussion was held on allowing landowners to request changes in certified acres prior to each allocation period. The next allocation period starts in 2008.

A motion was made by Moore and second by Wertz to stop certifying acres until the next allocation period in 2008. The rules required all acres were to be certified by January 1, 2004.

Ayes-10 Nays-0 Motion carried

There is a meeting scheduled on January 17<sup>th</sup> in Lincoln with the Governor. Haag, Wertz and Fornoff indicated that they were interested in attending. Discussion was held concerning the Director's position that is open with DNR. A change in the requirements for the position may be considered.

The Lower Republican is requesting that the Middle Republican take a similar stance as their District. A copy of their proposed resolution was circulated to Directors. The Lower has taken the stance that any further regulations should be paid 100% by the State of Nebraska.

Smith circulated a proposed letter of assurance to the Governor. The letter reaffirms the objectives of the Integrated Management Plan. If approved, the letter would be signed by the chairman for all the boards of the Basin. Haag questioned the sentence in the fourth paragraph that discusses the need for revisions "depending on the hydrologic conditions in 2008-2010". Haag questioned whether these years shouldn't be different. Smith will check on this.

A motion was made by Anderjaska and second by Roberts to approve signing the letter of assurance for Governor Heineman.

Ayes-10

Nays-0

motion carried

### WILD

January WILD payments were made.

### **BUFFER STRIPS**

Annual payments were made.

### SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION MANAGEMENT FUNDS

Smith reviewed the cost-share summary report. Applications for tree cost-share were also included.

• A motion was made by Roberts and second by Peters to accept these reports as presented and approve the applications.

Ayes-10

Nays-0

Motion carried

A copy of these reports is on file with the minutes.

### PERSONNEL

Smith gave an update on Betty Fritsch.

### 2006 ELECTIONS

Dodson, Fornoff, Hoyt, Peters, Roberts, and Wertz are up for reelection. Roberts indicated that he does not plan on filing for re-election.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:05p.m.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, February 14, 2006 at the NRD office in Curtis, Nebraska starting at 1:30p.m.

Christy Peterson

Secretary to the Board

# Permit to Construct Summary February 9, 2006

	# of	Apps	Completed	Open	EXP/CNX Suspended	Replacement	
FY 97-98	(SPA only)	44	34	0	10	0	,
FY 99	(2111 22-3)	53	46	0	7	6	
FY 2000		42	32	0	10	. 7	
FY 2001		71	56	0	15	14	•
FY 2002		111	100	0	11	18	
FY 2003		51	38	0	13	38	•
FY 2004		8	6.	2 ·	0	7	
FY 2005	•	7	4	3	0	3	

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Kurt Ross Bernard Koetter Les Sides Baker Corp Dale Dinnel Village of Stratton Village of Moorefield William Kerchal City of McCook	HA RW RW HI HA HI FR HA RW	SE 18-4-31 NW 17-3-29 NW 14-4-27 NE 12-3-33 SW 24-6-34 NW 23-3-35 SW 4-8-27 SE 17-7-35 36-3-30	Complete Complete Complete Complete Complete Complete	Replacement Replacement Replacement Industrial Replacement Test Well Replacement Replacement Replacement Notice of Intent
City of McCook	RW	SW 36-3-30	done	Replacement NEW Municipal
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Verl Jurgens	FR	SE 30-8-24	Complete	Replacement
Russ Williams	FR	SE 23-7-25	Complete	Replacement Replacement
George Seward	HA	NW 23-7-35		Test Well
Village of Stratton	HI	NE 10-3-35		Industrial
Clara Grabenstein	FR ,	NW 8-8-27		Шараны