Application Number: 05-161

## NEBRASKA ENVIRONMENTAL TRUST FUND 2005 CONTRACT BUDGET SUMMARY

Project Sponsor:	Nebraska Department of Natural Resources
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Nebraska Augmentation Program for USDA Conservation Reserve **Project Name:** 

**Enhancement Program Efforts** 

Project Budget for April 2005 through June 2006 RONMENTA FTRUST D Α NDNR Appropriation **NETF** for Integrated 1. Source of Funds ▶ Water Mgmt Plng Other\* **GRANT** 2. Budget Category ▼ 3. Contract forsomel \$40,000 \$10,000 Pérsonnel of \$30,000 Consultant to administer Nebraska duties under CREP Program-Includes money for overall administration work by personnel as well as travel and supplies for personnel. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. TOTALS \$30,000 \$10,000

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Mary A. Harding, Executive Director

March 22, 2005

Mr. Steve Gaul NE Dept. of Natural Resources INTERAGENCY MAIL - NSOB RECEIVED

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RE:

Authorized Signature on Grant Forms #05-161

Dear Steve:

In order to ensure that the appropriate level of authorization has been given to a project and that matching funds have been authorized we are requesting that our grant forms are signed by the organizations Director/President. We are requesting that all grant paperwork, including the Grant Award Documentation Form, Contract Budget Summary Form and Grant Contract be signed by the Director/President of your organization. We have been requesting a higher level of authorization from other organizations as well to ensure that the applicants are going through the proper channels when applying for grants on behalf of their organizations.

You may still be our primary contact on the grant since you will be implementing the project and will be responsible for project reports. This does not need to change. Your name should be listed as the contact on the Grantee Information Form to ensure this.

I am attaching some grant forms that were received by the Trust, but that we are requiring the additional signature on. Please have the Director/President for your organization sign all of the forms and return them to the Trust immediately. We will require this of the final grant contract that will be sent to you following the April 7<sup>th</sup> grant awards as well.

Thank you for your cooperation. Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this request.

Sincerely,

Lisa Beethe

Grants Administrator

Enclosures