



August 28, 2007

Ann Bleed, Director
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E. Robert Meaney
Senior Vice President

Dear Ms. Bleed:

The purpose of this letter is to confirm the intention of Valmont Industries to participate in the project entitled "Enhancing the Value of Water through Management Education". The project is being submitted to the Nebraska Environmental Trust as part of the 2008 grant cycle and it is our intention to act as a partner in that effort. In doing so it is our intention to contribute, in association with three other center pivot manufacturers, to a combined total of \$25,000 cash per year and \$25,000 in in-kind services per year for three consecutive years. Thus the association of pivot manufacturers will supply a total of \$75,000 in cash and \$75,000 in in-kind services over the course of the project.

We believe this project can help conserve water through providing irrigators with the knowledge and skill to obtain maximum benefit from a constrained water supply. We also believe this project will help produce on-the-ground water savings in areas of the state needing those savings the most, as well as benefiting the rest of the state. We look forward to this opportunity to help improve the conservation and management of our water resources.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "E. R. Meaney", with a long, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

E. Robert Meaney
Senior Vice President

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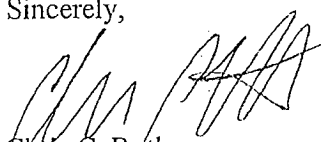
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Dear Ms. Bleed,

The purpose of this letter is to confirm the intention of Reinke Mfg. Co., Inc. to participate in the project entitled, "Enhancing the Value of Water Through Management Education". The project is being submitted to the Nebraska Environmental Trust as part of the 2008 grant cycle and it is our intention to act as a partner in that effort. In doing so it is our intention to contribute, in association with three other center pivot manufacturers, to a combined total of \$25,000 cash per year and \$25,000 in in-kind services per year for three consecutive years. Thus the association of pivot manufacturers will supply a total of \$75,000 in cash and \$75,000 in in-kind services over the course of the project.

We believe this project can help conserve water through providing irrigators with the knowledge and skill to obtain maximum benefit from a constrained water supply. We also believe this project will help produce on-the-ground water savings in areas of the state needing those savings the most, as well as benefiting the rest of the state. We look forward to this opportunity to help improve the conservation and management of our water resources.

Sincerely,



Chris C. Roth
President

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August 30, 2007

Ann Bleed
Director
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Dear Ms. Bleed:

The purpose of this letter is to confirm the intention of the University of Nebraska to participate in the project titled "*Enhancing the Value of Water Through Management Education.*" The project is being submitted to the Nebraska Environmental Trust as part of the 2008 grant cycle, and it is our intention to be a partner in the project. If the project is funded, we commit to provide \$60,000 of in-kind support over the three-year life of the project as detailed in the proposal. The University of Nebraska Extension and the Biological Systems Engineering Department will also provide the educational program and workshops that will be provided through the funding provided by the Trust, and through the partnership with the four Center Pivot Manufacturers of Nebraska.

We believe this project will help conserve water by providing irrigators with knowledge and skills to obtain maximum value from a constrained water supply. We also believe this project will help produce on-the-ground water savings in areas of the state needing those savings the most, as well as benefitting the remainder of the state. We look forward to this opportunity to help conserve and better manage our water resources.

Sincerely,

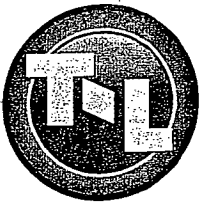


Ronald E. Yoder, Ph. D., P. E.
Professor and Head

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Dear Ms. Bleed:

The purpose of this letter is to confirm the intention of T-L Irrigation Co. to participate in the project entitled "Enhancing the Value of Water through Management Education". The project is being submitted to the Nebraska Environmental Trust as part of the 2008 grant cycle and it is our intention to act as a partner in that effort. In doing so it is our intention to contribute, in association with three other center pivot manufacturers, to a combined total of \$25,000 cash per year and \$25,000 in in-kind services per year for three consecutive years. Thus the association of pivot manufacturers will supply a total of \$75,000 in cash and \$75,000 in in-kind services over the course of the project.

We believe this project can help conserve water through providing irrigators with the knowledge and skill to obtain maximum benefit from a constrained water supply. We also believe this project will help produce on-the-ground water savings in areas of the stat needing those savings the most, as well as benefiting the rest of the state. We look forward to this opportunity to help improve the conservation and management of our water resources.

Sincerely,

David W. Thom
Vice President Sales

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Dear Ms. Bleed:

The purpose of this letter is to confirm the intention of Lindsay Corporation to participate in the project entitled "Enhancing the Value of Water through Management Education". The project is being submitted to the Nebraska Environmental Trust as part of the 2008 grant cycle and it is our intention to act as a partner in that effort. In doing so it is our intention to contribute, in association with three other center pivot manufacturers, to a combined total of \$25,000 cash per year and \$25,000 in in-kind services per year for three consecutive years. Thus the association of pivot manufacturers will supply a total of \$75,000 in cash and \$75,000 in in-kind services over the course of the project.

We believe this project can help conserve water through providing irrigators with the knowledge and skill to obtain maximum benefit from a constrained water supply. We also believe this project will help produce on-the-ground water savings in areas of the state needing those savings the most, as well as benefiting the rest of the state. We look forward to this opportunity to help improve the conservation and management of our water resources.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Barry Ruffalo", written in a cursive style.

Barry Ruffalo
President, North America Irrigation

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