

TWIN PLATTE NATURAL RESOURCES DISTRICT
Board of Directors Meeting

DATE: May 13, 2004

TIME: 7:30 p.m. CDT (6:30 p.m. MDT)

LOCATION: United Nebraska Bank Center
Meeting Room - 2nd Floor, West Wing
111 South Dewey Street
North Platte, NE

NOTICE: Legal notice was published in the North Platte Telegraph.

NOTES: The agenda of subjects to be considered is kept continually current and is available for public inspection during normal business hours at the District's office located in the United Nebraska Bank Center, 111 South Dewey Street, North Platte, NE.

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Board of Directors reserves the right to hold a closed session during the meeting as provided by NE Public Meeting Law 84-1410

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AGENDA

1. Meeting called to order – J. Rubenthaler, Chairperson
2. Announcements - J. Rubenthaler, Chairperson
 - A. Report of Directors Excused
 - B. Other Announcements
3. Distribution of Information to Board of Directors - J. Rubenthaler, Chairperson
 - A. Directors Notebooks Containing Information Items available for Handout
 - B. Other Items
4. Public Forum - Public Statements, Requests or Questions
5. Agenda Modification - J. Rubenthaler, Chairperson

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6. General Information
 - A. Lake McConaughy Visitors Center – Tom Plummer, Advisory Committee
 - B. NPPD Gerald Gentleman Station Wells – Frank Kwapnioski, NPPD

7. Board of Directors Meetings - J. Weaver, Secretary
 - A. Minutes for April 8, 2004 Meeting

8. Cooperating Agencies Reports (2)
 - A. USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service – M. Reece, District Conservationist
 - 1) District Conservationist Report
 - B. Other Agencies

9. Subcommittee Meetings Report (3)
 - A. Land Resources Subcommittee – J. Baldrige, Chairperson
 - B. Water Resources Subcommittee - J. Meismer, Chairperson
 - 1) Cost-Share Programs
 - a. Nebraska Soil & Water Conservation Program
 - b. District Program
 - 2) Integrated Management of Ground Water & Surface Water
 - a. Temporary Well Drilling Suspension
 - 1) Rules and Regulations
 - 2) Variances Procedures and Guidelines
 - b. Joint Action Plan
 - 3) Ground Water Programs
 - a. Management Plan
 - b. NPPD Gerald Gentleman Wells
 - 4) South Platte River
 - a. South Platte River Coalition
 - 1) Interlocal Cooperation Agreement
 - 5) Rainfall Network
 - 6) Canal Screen Cleaning Demonstration Project
 - 7) Miscellaneous Information
 - C. Wildlife Habitat & Urban Affairs Subcommittee – J. Weaver, Chairperson
 - D. Executive Subcommittee - J. Rubenthaler, Chairperson

10. Financial Report (1) - J. Meismer, Treasurer
 - A. Financial Statement
 - B. Accounts Payable
 - C. Budget Status
 - D. Bids/Proposals
 - E. Bids/Proposals Scheduled to be presented for Consideration during the June 10, 2004 Board of Directors meeting
 - F. Audit for 2004 Fiscal Year

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11. Directors' Reports (4)

- A. Nebraska Association of Resources Districts - J. Meismer, Board Representative
 - 1) Board of Directors Meetings
 - 2) Water Policy Task Force
- B. Platte River Citizens Advisory Council – J. Meismer, Board Representative
- C. Sandhills RC&D Council – E. Hansen, Board Representative
- D. Requests for Authorization to Travel

12. District Report (5) - K. Miller, General Manager

- A. Requests for Assistance
- B. Cost-Share Programs
 - 1) NE Soil & Water Conservation Program
 - 2) District Conservation Program
 - a. Sealing Abandoned Wells
 - 3) NE Buffer Strip Program
- C. Tree Programs
- D. Range Programs
- E. Soil Conservation Programs
- F. Wildlife Habitat Programs
 - 1) WILD Nebraska Program
 - 2) Corners for Wildlife Program
- G. Water Programs
 - 1) Ground Water Program
 - a. District Programs
 - b. 319 Project
 - c. Ground Water Management Coalition
 - 2) Integrated Management of Ground Water & Surface Water
 - a. Joint Action Plan
 - b. Temporary Suspension
 - 3) Watershed Program
 - a. Brule Watershed
 - b. Western Irrigation Watershed
 - 4) Platte River Activities
 - a. Cooperative Agreement
 - b. Cooperative Hydrology Study
 - c. NE Habitat Conservation Coalition
 - d. Economic Coalition
 - e. North Platte River
 - f. South Platte River
- H. Regulatory Programs
 - 1) Chemigation
 - 2) Erosion and Sediment Control
 - 3) Ground Water Runoff
- I. Trails
 - 1) Lake Maloney

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J. Information & Education Programs

1) Nebraska State Envirothon

2) Scholarships

K. Requests for Authorization to Travel

L. Meetings and Dates of Interest (6)

M. Miscellaneous Information (7)

13. Budget for 2004 Fiscal Year (8)

A. Preparation Schedule

14. Other Business (8)

15. Adjournment

Next meeting to be held June 10, 2004 - 7:30 p.m. CDT (6:30 p.m. MDT) – North Platte

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