

**TWIN PLATTE NATURAL RESOURCES DISTRICT
Board of Directors Meeting**

DATE: April 13, 2006

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

LOCATION: TierOne 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 TierOne 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

(#) - Identifies section in Directors' meeting notebook for handouts

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. Sandhills Task Force – Kyle Gramm, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service
7. Board of Directors Meetings - J. Weaver, Secretary
 - A. Minutes for March 9, 2006 Meeting
8. Requests for Assistance - J. Rubenthaler, Chairperson
 - A. Logan County Coop
9. Cooperating Agencies Reports (2)
 - A. USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service – M. Reece, District Conservationist
 - 1) District Conservationist Report
 - B. Other Agencies
10. Subcommittee Meetings Report (3)
 - A. Land Resources Subcommittee – J. Baldrige, Chairperson
 - B. Water Resources Subcommittee - J. Meismer, Chairperson
 - 1) Ground Water Management
 - a. Over Appropriated Area
 - 1) Operation Guidelines – New Wells & New Irrigated Acres
 - b. Variances
 - c. Certifying Irrigated Acres
 - 2) South Platte River Compact
 - C. Wildlife Habitat & Urban Affairs Subcommittee – D. Stack, Chairperson
 - D. Executive Subcommittee - J. Rubenthaler, Chairperson
- 11 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 May 11, 2006 Board of Directors meeting
12. Directors' Reports (4)
 - A. Nebraska Association of Resources Districts - J. Meismer, Board Representative
 - 1) Board of Directors Meeting
 - 2) Water Policy Task Force
 - B. Governor's Platte River Advisory Council – J. Meismer, Board Representative
 - C. Sandhills RC&D Council – E. Hansen, Board Representative
 - D. Requests for Authorization to Travel
13. District Report (5) - K. Miller, General Manager
 - A. Cost-Share Programs
 - 1) NE Soil & Water Conservation Program
 - 2) District Conservation Program

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- B. Tree Programs
- C. Range Programs
- D. Soil Conservation Programs
- E. Wildlife Habitat Programs
 - 1) WILD Nebraska Program
 - 2) Corners for Wildlife Program
- F. Water Programs
 - 1) Ground Water Management
 - a. Variances
 - b. Certifying Irrigated Acres
 - c. Integrated Management Plans (IMP)
 - 2) Platte River Cooperative Agreement
 - 3) Watersheds
 - a. Brule
 - b. Western Irrigation
 - 4) Interlocal Cooperation Agreements
 - a. Cooperative Hydrology Study
 - b. Ground Water Management Coalition
 - c. South Platte Coalition
 - d. NE Habitat Conservation Coalition
 - 5) South Platte River Compact
- G. Regulatory Programs
 - 1) Chemigation
 - 2) Erosion and Sediment Control
 - 3) Ground Water Runoff
- H. Trails
- I. Information & Education Programs
 - 1) Nebraska State Envirothon
 - 2) NRD Radio Program
- J. Legislation
- K. Requests for Authorization to Travel
- L. Meetings and Dates of Interest (6)
- M. Miscellaneous Information (7)

14. Other Business (8)

15. Adjournment

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