# TWIN PLATTE NATURAL RESOURCES DISTRICT Board of Directors Meeting

**DATE**: March 12, 2009

**TIME**: 3:00 p.m. CDT (2:00 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. Nebraska Open Meeting Act
  - B. Report of Directors Excused
  - C. Distribution of Information
  - D. Other Announcements
- 3. Public Forum Public Statements, Requests or Questions
- 4. Agenda Modification J. Rubenthaler, Chairperson
- 5. General Information
- 6. Board of Directors Meetings J. Weaver, Secretary
  - A. Minutes for February 19, 2009 Meeting

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- 7. Requests for Assistance J. Rubenthaler, Chairperson
- 8. Cooperating Agencies Reports (2)
  - A. USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service
    - 1) District Conservationist Report M. Reece
  - B. Other Agencies
- 9. Subcommittee Meetings Report (3)
  - A. Land Resources Subcommittee Eric Hansen, Chairperson
  - B. Water Resources Subcommittee J. Meismer, Chairperson
    - 1) Ground Water Management
      - a. Variances
      - b. Violations
      - c. Certified Irrigated Acres
    - 2) Integrated Management Plan (IMP)
      - a. Platte River Basin
        - 1) Over Appropriated IMP
      - b. Twin Platte Natural Resources District
        - 1) Stakeholders Meetings
        - 2) IMP
    - 3) Joint Water Resources Subcommittees Meeting (Central Platte NRD, North Platte NRD, South Platte NRD, Tri-Basin NRD, Twin Platte NRD)
      - a. March 13, 2009
  - C. Wildlife Habitat & Urban Affairs Subcommittee D. Stack, Chairperson
    - 1) Wildlife Habitat Programs
      - a. Program Information Report
        - 1. WILD Nebraska
        - 2. Corners for Wildlife
      - b. WILD Nebraska Program
      - c. Corners for Wildlife Program
  - 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 April 9, 2009 Board of Directors meeting
- 11. Directors' Reports (4)
  - A. Nebraska Association of Resources Districts J. Meismer, Board Representative
    - 1) Board of Directors
    - 2) Legislation
  - B. Water Policy Task Force J. Meismer, Board Representative
  - C. Sandhills RC&D Council E. Hansen, Board Representative
  - D. Requests for Authorization to Travel

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

- A. Cost-Share Programs
  - 1) NE Soil & Water Conservation Program
  - 2) District Conservation Program
- B. Tree Programs
- C. Range Programs
  - 1) Ranch Practicum
- D. Soil Conservation Programs
- E. Wildlife Habitat Programs
  - 1) WILD Nebraska Program
  - 2) Corners for Wildlife Program
- F. Water Programs
  - 1) Ground Water Management
  - 2) Integrated Management Plans
  - 3) Platte River Recovery Implementation Program
  - 4) Watersheds
    - a. Brule
    - b. Western Irrigation
  - 5) Interlocal Cooperation Agreements
    - a. Cooperative Hydrology Study
    - b. Ground Water Management Coalition
    - c. South Platte Coalition
    - d. NE Habitat Conservation Coalition
- G. Regulatory Programs
  - 1) Chemigation
  - 2) Erosion and Sediment Control
  - 3) Ground Water Runoff
- H. Hazard Mitigation Plan
- I. Information & Education Programs
- J. Legislation
- K. Requests for Authorization to Travel
- L. Meetings and Dates of Interest (6)
- M. Miscellaneous Information (7)
- 13. Other Business (8)

#### **FUTURE MEETINGS:**

### April 2, 2009 - 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. CDT (12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. MDT) North Platte

- Work Session on IMP (NO ACTIONS)
- Lunch will be available at 12:30 p.m. CDT (11:30 a.m. MDT)

(Please Park in City Parking Lot Northeast of TierOne Bank Center)

### April 9, 2009 - 7:30 p.m. CDT (6:30 p.m. MDT) North Platte

• Regular Board Meeting