

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

DATE: January 11, 2018
TIME: 3:00 pm
LOCATION: Great Western Bank Center - Board Room
2nd Floor, West Wing
111 South Dewey Street
North Platte, NE

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The Board of Directors reserves the right to hold a closed session, if necessary, pursuant to NE Public Meetings Law 84-1410.

AGENDA

1. Meeting called to order – D. Schilz, Chairperson
2. Announcements - D. Schilz, Chairperson
 - A. Nebraska Open Meeting Act
 - B. Report of Directors Excused
 - C. Information available for the Public
 - D. Other Announcements
3. Public Forum - Public Statements, Requests or Questions
4. Requests for Assistance
5. Cooperating Agencies Reports
 - A. USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service
 - 1) District Conservationist Report – M. Reece
 - 2) Brule Watershed – M. Reece
 - B. Other Agencies
6. General Information
 - A. NE DNR Offset Water Requirements for NRDs to Return to 1997 Conditions – Jesse Bradley, NE DNR
7. Board of Directors Meetings - J. Weaver, Secretary
 - A. Minutes for December 14, 2017

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8. Financial Report - J. Meismer, Treasurer
 - A. Financial Statement
 - B. Accounts Payable
 - C. Budget Status
 - D. Bids
 - E. Bids to be presented February 8, 2018

9. Subcommittee Meetings Report
 - A. Land Resources Subcommittee – E. Hansen, Chairperson
 - B. Water Resources Subcommittee - J. Meismer, Chairperson
 - 1) Variances
 - 2) Violations
 - 3) Offset Water
 - a. Nebraska Cooperative Republican Platte Enhancement Project (NCORPE) (#2)
 - 1) Sale of Land
 - 2) Land Taxes
 - 3) North Pipeline
 - 4) Wellfield Operations
 - 5) Ground Water Levels
 - 6) Board Meetings
 - b. TPNRD Integrated Management Plan (IMP) Second Increment
 - c. Irrigation Districts (#1)
 - 1) Western Pilot Project
 - 2) Cody-Dillon Instream Flows
 - 3) K&L, Paxon-Hershey, Platte Valley, Suburban
 - 4) Excess Flows
 - 5) Engineering Analysis
 - d. Non-Irrigated Certified Acres (#5)
 - e. J2 Project (#4)
 - f. CPNRD Agreement (#3)
 - g. Conservation Tillage Measures (#6)
 - 4) Subcommittee Priorities
 - 5) Regulations
 - 6) Platte Basin Over-Appropriated Plan
 - 7) Platte River Recovery Implementation Program
 - 8) South Platte River Compact Coalition (#7)
 - 9) Brule Watershed
 - a. NRCS Special Investigation
 - C. Wildlife Habitat & Urban Affairs Subcommittee – R. Petersen, Chairperson
 - D. Executive Subcommittee - Dennis Schilz, Chairperson

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10. Directors' Reports

- A. Nebraska Association of Resources Districts - J. Meismer, Board Representative
 - 1) Board of Directors
 - 2) Legislative Conference, January 23-24, 2018
- B. Sandhills RC&D Council – E. Hansen, Board Representative
- C. Sandhills Task Force - E. Hansen, Board Representative
- D. Board of Directors Election 2018 - Dennis Schilz, Chairperson
- E. Requests for Authorization to Travel

11. District Report - K. Miller, General Manager

- A. Cost-Share Programs
 - 1) NE Soil & Water Conservation Program
 - 2) District Conservation Program
- B. Miscellaneous Information

12. Election of Officers

- A. Chairperson
- B. Vice Chairperson
- C. Secretary
- D. Treasurer

13. Selection of NE Association of Resources Districts Representative

14. Subcommittee Appointments - Chairperson

15. Other Business

16. Adjournment

UPCOMING MEETINGS

January 23-24, 2018	NARD Legislative Conference – Lincoln
February 8, 2018	Board Meeting – 3:00 pm – North Platte
March 8, 2018	Board Meeting – 3:00 pm – North Platte
April 12, 2018	Board Meeting – 7:30 pm – North Platte
May 10, 2018	Board Meeting – 7:30 pm – North Platte
June 14, 2018	Board Meeting – 7:30 pm – North Platte
July 19, 2018	Board Meeting – 7:30 pm – North Platte
August 9, 2018	Board Meeting – 7:30 pm – North Platte
September 13, 2018	Board Meeting – 7:30 pm – North Platte
September 24-25, 2018	NARD Annual Conference - Kearney
October 11, 2018	Board Meeting – 7:30 pm – North Platte
November 8, 2018	Board Meeting – 3:00 pm – North Platte
December 13, 2018	Board Meeting – 4:30 pm MST – Keith County
January 10, 2019	Board Meeting – 3:00 pm – North Platte