

MEMORANDUM

TO THE BOARD:

SUBJECT: General Manager's Report

DATE: February 1, 2018

FROM: John Winkler, General Manager



A. **INFORMATION/EDUCATION HIGHLIGHTS:** The Information and Education Department highlights for the month of January 2018 are attached for your review.

B. **PERSONNEL/MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS:**

1. Papillion City Engineer Jeff Thompson sent the District a thank you note for "...all of the great partnership projects we've completed in Papillion the last several years." He extended his thanks to the Board, as well as Marlin, Martin, Amanda, Lori, Paul and Eric, whom he said have been great to work with. I would like to echo Jeff's thanks. We have a truly committed and passionate team, Board of Directors, and staff who helps us make our projects and partnerships successful. A copy of Jeff's letter is attached.
2. Darlene Hensley, Program Assistant in the Blair FO, recently received the LICA NRD Outstanding Leadership Award at the LICA State Conference in Kearney on January 17, 2018. A picture of Darlene at the awards dinner is attached.

C. **REPORT ON PURCHASES – CONSTRUCTION SERVICES, PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AND PERSONAL PROPERTY:** Pursuant to Board direction, the report indicating construction services, professional services and personal property purchases from the month of January 2018 is attached for your review. Please review this report and contact me if you have any questions.

D. **CURRENT AND ON-GOING PROJECTS – P-MRNRD LEGAL COUNSEL:** A copy of current and on-going projects for District Legal Counsel, Husch Blackwell, as of January 16, 2018, is attached for your review. I would ask each Director to review this report. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

E. **PAPILLION CREEK WATERSHED PARTNERSHIP REPORT:** The next Papillion Creek Watershed Partnership Subcommittee meeting is scheduled for February 22, 2018.



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Editorial: Offutt levees take a big step toward reality

World-herald editorial Jan 30, 2018



Officials could solicit bids as soon as this fall to strengthen levees that protect Offutt Air Force Base and nearby land from flooding. The project will give the base and the region room to grow.

State and local money had already been set aside to raise 19 miles of levee near the base by 2 feet. But an arduous permitting process with the Army Corps of Engineers and other consultants had delayed progress and increased projected costs from \$25 million initially to as much as \$50 million.

The Papio-Missouri River Natural Resources District is expected to secure final permits soon and start seeking bids for construction, according to the NRD and City of Bellevue.

MORE INFORMATION



INFORMATION & EDUCATION REPORT



FEBRUARY 8, 2018



Jeff Thompson
City Engineer

John,

I just wanted to reach out and thank you, your board + your staff for all the great partnership projects we've completed in Papillion the last several years. Martin, Martin, Ananda, Lori, Paul and Eric have been great to work with. Please extend my thanks to them as well as the entire NED Board.

Thanks
Jeff

NLICA Outstanding Leadership Award
Darlene Hensley





Updated: January 16, 2018

Current and On-Going Projects P-MRNRD Legal Counsel

☼ = Top Priority
F = Future Work – No Assignment
N = New Assignment
O = Others Handling
W = Work in Progress
P = Counsel Portion Completed
B = Next Board Meeting

- **Little Papio:** (Cleveland)
- **Big Papio:** (Cleveland)
- **West Branch:** (Cleveland)
 - Land Exchange with Sarpy Co. (96th St.) (P)
- **Western Sarpy Dike:** (Cleveland/Petermann)
 - NRDs/NE-ARNG Interlocal for Camp Ashland Property (F)
- **Floodway Purchase Program:** (Laster/Grint)
 - Arlington Purchase Agreements, Deeds, etc. (P)
 - ☼ King Lake lot transfer from ENCAP (B)
- **Trail Projects:** (Williams)
 - West Papio Trail, Giles to Millard – Potential Tyson Access License Agreement (F)
- **Missouri River Corridor Project:** (Becic)
 - Draft Purchase Agreement with Reserved Easement for MUD (Platte River/Missouri River) (W)
- **USDA PL 566 Projects, Silver Creek and Pigeon/Jones Watershed:** (Schumacher/Cleveland/Grint)
 - Papio PL 566 Site W-2 Issues (F)
 - ☼ Papio PL 566 Sites S-21/Lincoln Road Easements to Sarpy County (P)

- **Papio Watershed Dam Sites:** (Grint/Laster/Williams)
 - ✦ ROW Acquisition Documents for WP6 & WP7 (W)
 - ✦ City of Omaha Interlocal Agreement for ZB-2 (W)
 - ✦ WP6 & WP7 Interlocal Agreement with Papillion and Sarpy Co. (P)
 - ✦ Purchase Agreements and ROW Documents for Z-B2 (B)
 - ✦ WP6 & WP7 Professional Services Contract Amendment with FYRA Eng. (W)
 - ✦ DS15A ROW Transfer to City of Omaha/Douglas County (W)
 - ✦ Hearing and ROW Documents for WP1 (B)
- **Papio Creek Watershed Partnership (Stormwater):** (Grint)
- **Southern Sarpy Watershed Partnership (Stormwater):** (Laster)
- **Missouri River R-613 and R-616 Levees:** (Cleveland/Woodward)
 - Offutt AFB Culvert O&M Agreement (W)
 - ROW Acquisition Documents (F)
- **Rural Water Projects:** (Nelson)
 - DCRW Main Easements (N)
- **Other:**
 - ✦ Union Dike – Trench Drain Construction Contract (Cleveland) (W)
 - ✦ Groundwater Management Rules and Regs, Review and Resolutions (Woodward) (B)
 - ✦ Chalco O&M Shed Construction Contract (Cleveland) (W)
 - ✦ Lower Platte River Weed Management Area Association and Bylaws (Woodward) (W)
 - ✦ Amendment to Cole Creek Interlocal Agreement w/Omaha (Grint) (P)