

Sunday, September 25, 2005

| Time             | Room              | Session   |
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| Noon – 6:00 p.m. |                   | NRD Golf Outing - Meadowlark Hills Golf Course, Kearney, NE |
| 5:00 p.m.        | Ballrooms I&II    | Exhibit set up available                                    |
| 6:00 - 7:00      | Pre-function area | Pre-Registration  |
| 7:00 - 9:00      | Suite 176         | President's Reception, everyone welcome                     |

Monday, September 26, 2005

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| 7:30 a.m.       |                | <b>Pre-Function area Registration Desk Open</b>  |
| 8:20            | Loper Hall     | <b>Presentation of Colors, Kearney VFW</b>   |
| 8:30            | Loper Hall     | <b>Opening Remarks</b><br><i>Governor Dave Heineman (invited) confirmed</i><br><i>Ann Bleed</i> , Interim Director of Department of Natural Resources<br><i>Doug Gahn</i> , Acting State Conservationist, NRCS<br><i>Mike Linder</i> , Director, Nebraska Dept. of Environmental Quality   |
| 9:30-10:30      | Loper Hall     | <b>Rules &amp; Regs for Basin Determination*</b><br><i>Ann Bleed</i> , Interim Director of Department of Natural Resources   |
| 10:30-10:45     | Ballrooms I&II | <b>BREAK</b>   |
| 10:45 - 11:45   |                | <b>Concurrent Sessions</b>   |
|                 | Room DEF       | <b>Developing Interated Management Plans, Part I*</b> - Time Frames, Creating Stakeholder Groups and how the 10/50 Rule will affect their district.<br><i>Ron Bishop</i> , CPNRD, <i>Kent Miller</i> , TPNRD and <i>Lyndon Vogt</i> , UNWNRD   |
|                 | Rom C          | <b>NDEQ's Onsite Wastewater/Septic Tank Program, what it meas to the NRD's*</b><br><i>Gary Buttermore</i> , Nebraska Dept of Environmental Quality<br><b>Onsite Wastewater/Septic Tank Issues in an NRD Watershed Project*</b><br><i>Mike Sousek</i> , Lower Pltte North NRD<br><b>NRD and State Agency Cooperation in Well Abandonment Following the Hallam Tornado*</b> , <i>Dan Schulz</i> , Lower Platte South NRD |
|                 | Room B         | <b>Staff Development</b>   |
| 12:00–1:30 p.m. | Loper Hall     | <b>Luncheon</b><br><i>Awards - Tree Planter of the Year; Outstanding Grassland; Community Conservation and Director of the Year</i><br><i>Speaker - Senator Ed Schrock</i> , Chair Natural Resouce Committee, District 38  |
| 1:45 - 2:45     |                | <b>Concurrent Sessions</b>   |
|                 | Room DEF       | <b>Farm Bill Update</b><br><i>Don Thober</i> , Assistant State Conservationist for Programs, NCRS  |
|                 | Room C         | <b>Prescribed Burns</b><br><i>David Carr</i> , Programs Administrator, Central Platte NRD  |
|                 | Room B         | <b>Bookkeeping and Accounting Update</b><br><i>Hanigan Bjorkman &amp; Ecklund CPA's</i>  |
| 2:45 - 3:00     | Ballrooms I&II | <b>BREAK</b>   |
| 3:00 - 5:00     | Room B         | <b>NRD Retirement Plan Changes</b> , Avaiable to NRD Office Managers/Support Staff<br><i>Mark Geist</i> , Financial Advisor, Morgan Stanley  |
| 3:00 - 4:30     | Loper Hall     | <b>Business Session</b>  |
| 5:00 - 6:00     | Ballrooms I&II | <b>Vendor Reception</b>  |
| 6:00 - 8:00     | Loper Hall     | <b>Banquet</b>   |
| 8:00 - 10:00    | Ballrooms I&II | <b>Silent Auction</b>  |

Tuesday September 27, 2005

**Time**                      **Room**                      **Session**

**7:45 - 9:15 a.m.**      **NRD Basin Meetings**  
Platte River -  
Elkhorn-Missouri River -  
Blue River -  
Niobrara River -  
Lower Platte River -  
Republican River -

**9:30 - 10:30**                      **Concurrent Sessions**

**Room DEF**      **Developing Integrated Management Plans, Part II\*** - Certification of Acres, How to treat new uses and variances and transfers. *Dan Smith*, Manager MRNRD, *Mike Clements*, Manager LRNRD and *Jasper Fanning*, Manager RNRD.

**Room C**              **Natural Legacy Project**  
*Crystal Stoner and Mark Humpert*, Nebraska Game and Parks Commission

**Board Room**      **NRD Conservation Tree Program Part I, Sensor Data Report**  
*Jay Dunbar and Mike Tegberg*, National Forest Service

**10:30-10:45**      **Ballrooms I&II**      **BREAK**

**10:45 - 11:45**                      **Concurrent Sessions**

**Room DEF**      **Developing Integrated Management Plans Part III\*** - How to treat municipal, industrial and other uses under and integrated management. *John Turnbull*, Manager UBBNRD, *Rod Horn*, Manager SPNRD and *Don Blankenau*

**Room C**              **Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program (CREP)\***  
*Greg Reisdorff*, Program Specialist, Nebraska State FSA

**Board Room**      **NRD Conservation Tree Program Part II Future Planned Production**  
*Jay Dunbar, Mike Tegberg*, National Forest Service

**12:00 - 1:30 p.m.**      **Loper Hall**      **Luncheon**

**1:30 - 3:00**              **Loper Hall**      **Business Session**

**1:30 - 5:00**              **Room E**              **NRCS Staff Session**

**3:00 - 5:00**              **Room F**              **NARD Board Meeting**

**3:00 - 5:00**              **Room D**              **DNR Meeting**

**\*Continuing Education Credits**

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