

# Hall County Regional Planning Commission

# Wednesday, June 4, 2014 Regular Meeting Packet

### **Commission Members:**

<b>Terry Connick</b>	Hall County	
Karen Bredthauer	<b>Grand Island</b>	Vice Chairperson
Julie Connelly	<b>Grand Island</b>	
<b>Craig Vincent</b>	Grand Island	
Mark Haskins	Hall County	
Bill Hayes	Doniphan	
Dean Kjar	Wood River	
<b>Dennis McCarty</b>	<b>Grand Island</b>	
<b>Richard Heckman</b>	Cairo	
Pat O'Neill	Hall County	Chairperson
Deb Reynolds	Hall County	
Leslie Ruge	Alda	Secretary

### **Regional Planning Director: Chad Nabity**

Planning Technician:	<b>Planning Secretary:</b>
Edwin Maslonka	<b>Rose Rhoads</b>

### 6:00 PM City Hall

### **Call to Order**

#### **Roll Call**

### **A - SUBMITTAL OF REQUESTS FOR FUTURE ITEMS**

Individuals who have appropriate items for City Council consideration should complete the Request for Future Agenda Items form located at the Information Booth. If the issue can be handled administratively without Council action, notification will be provided. If the item is scheduled for a meeting or study session, notification of the date will be given.

### **B - RESERVE TIME TO SPEAK ON AGENDA ITEMS**

This is an opportunity for individuals wishing to provide input on any of tonight's agenda items to reserve time to speak. Please come forward, state your name and address, and the Agenda topic on which you will be speaking.

### **DIRECTOR COMMUNICATION**

This is an opportunity for the Director to comment on current events, activities, and issues of interest to the commission.



# Hall County Regional Planning Commission

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Item .A1

Agenda

Staff Contact: Chad Nabity

#### **REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION**

#### AGENDA AND NOTICE OF MEETING Wednesday, June 4, 2014 6:00 p.m. City Hall Council Chambers — Grand Island

1. Call to Order.

This is a public meeting subject to the open meetings laws of the State of Nebraska. The requirements for an open meeting are posted on the wall in this room and anyone who would like to find out what those are is welcome to read through them.

- 2. Minutes of May 7, 2014.
- 3. Request Time to Speak.
- **4. Public Hearing -** Concerning adoption of the Hall County 1 & 6 Year Road Improvement Plan. (C-12-2014HC)
- 5. Energy Elements Discussion on Energy Elements for the Cities of Grand Island and Wood River and Hall County.

#### Consent Agenda

- 6. Final Plat Karle Subdivision located south of Old Potash Hwy and east of Monitor Road, in the 2 mile extra territorial jurisdiction of the City Of Grand Island, in Hall County, Nebraska, consisting of 4.92 acres and (2 Lots).
- Final Plat Copper Creek Estates Eighth Subdivision located south of Old Potash Hwy and east of Engleman Road, in the City Of Grand Island, in Hall County, Nebraska, consisting of 13.203 acres and (44 Lots).
- 8. Directors Report
- 9. Next Meeting July 2, 2014.

#### 10. Adjourn

PLEASE NOTE: This meeting is open to the public, and a current agenda is on file at the office of the Regional Planning Commission, located on the second floor of City Hall in Grand Island, Nebraska.



# Hall County Regional Planning Commission

Wednesday, June 4, 2014 Regular Meeting

# Item E1

**Meeting Minutes** 

Staff Contact: Chad Nabity



#### THE REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION OF HALL COUNTY, GRAND ISLAND, WOOD RIVER AND THE VILLAGES OF ALDA, CAIRO, AND DONIPHAN, NEBRASKA

Minutes	
for	
May 7, 2014	

The meeting of the Regional Planning Commission was held Wednesday, May 7, 2014, in the Community Meeting Room - City Hall – Grand Island, Nebraska. Notice of this meeting appeared in the "Grand Island Independent" April 26, 2014.

Present:	Pat O'Neill	Les Ruge
	Richard Heckman	Terry Connick
	Mark Haskins	Karen Bredthauer
	Dean Kjar	Bill Hayes
	Deb Reynolds	Dennis McCarty

Absent: Julie Connelly and Craig Vincent

Other:

Staff: Chad Nabity, Rose Rhoads

Press:

#### 1. Call to order.

Chairman O'Neill called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

O'Neill stated that this was a public meeting subject to the open meetings laws of the State of Nebraska. He noted that the requirements for an open meeting are posted on the wall in the room and easily accessible to anyone who may be interested in reading them.

#### 2. Minutes of April 2, 2014 meeting.

A motion was made by Reynolds and seconded by Ruge to approve the Minutes of the April 2, 2014 meeting.

The motion carried with 10 members present and 7 voting in favor (O'Neill, Haskins, Bredthauer, Connick, Ruge, Reynolds and Heckman) and 3 members present abstaining (McCarty, Kjar and Hayes).

#### 3. Request Time to Speak.

Chris Helzer (The Nature Conservatory), PO Box 438, Aurora, NE 68818, item #4.

**4.** Request for Conservation Easement - Concerning a Conservation Easement – Sections 13 and 14 in Township 9 N, Range 11 W. of the 6<sup>th</sup> P.M. (C-11-2014HC)

Nabity briefed the commissioners on the reason for the request and Mr. Helzer spoke in favor of the Conservation Easement.

A motion was made by Bredthauer and seconded by McCarty to approve the Conservation Easement.

The motion carried with 10 members present and all voting in favor (O'Neill, McCarty, Reynolds, Haskins, Bredthauer, Heckman, Ruge, Kjar and Connick) and no member present voting against.

 Public Hearing - Concerning an amendment to the redevelopment plan for CRA Area 1, for a Site Specific Redevelopment Plan for 217 N. Locust Street in Grand Island Nebraska also known as: Masonic Temple Building or "Tower 217". Resolution No. 2014-06. (C-12-2014GI)

O'Neill opened the Public Hearing.

Nabity reviewed the site specific Redevelopment Plan for 217 N Locust St.

O'Neill closed the Public Hearing.

A motion was made by Ruge and seconded by Hayes to approve the Redevelopment Plan for 217 N Locust, Resolution No 2014-06.

The motion carried with 10 members present and all voting in favor (McCarty, Connick, O'Neill, Ruge, Hayes, Reynolds, Heckman, Haskins, Bredthauer and Kjar) and no member present voting against.

Consent Agenda

- 6. Final Plat Little Angel Subdivision located west of Congdon Ave., and south of E 7<sup>th</sup> St., in the City Of Grand Island, in Hall County, Nebraska, consisting of .920 acres and (2 Lots).
- Final Plat Ummelville Second Subdivision located south of E 4<sup>th</sup> St., and west of Sky Park Road, in the City Of Grand Island, in Hall County, Nebraska, consisting of

10.571 acres and (3 Lots).

8. Final Plat – Horizons Second Subdivision – located south of Loup River Rd and west of 130<sup>th</sup> Rd., in Hall County, Nebraska, consisting of 4.8941 acres and (1Lot).

A motion was made to approve the plats as presented by Bredthauer and seconded by Reynolds.

The motion carried with 8 members present and all voting in favor (O'Neill, Reynolds, Hayes, Haskins, Bredthauer, Heckman, Ruge, and Connick) and two members present abstaining (McCarty and Kjar).

#### 9. Planning Director's Report

#### 10. Next Meeting June 4, 2014

#### 11. Adjourn

Chairman Pat O'Neill adjourned the meeting at 6:36 p.m.

Leslie Ruge, Secretary

By Rose Rhoads



# Hall County Regional Planning Commission

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# Item F1

Adoption of Hall County 1 & 6

Staff Contact: Chad Nabity



# 2014-2015 FISCAL YEAR

# **ONE AND SIX YEAR**

# **ROAD PROGRAM**

# HALL COUNTY, NEBRASKA

### Board of Public Roads Classifications and Standards Form 11 Report of Previous Year Highway or Street Improvement

County: HALL		City:		V	'illage:	
PROJECT NUMBER	LENGTH (Nearest Tenth)	UNIT OF MEASURE	PROJECTED COST (Thousands)	CONTRACT PROJECT	OWN FORCES	DATE COMPLETED (Actual or Estimated)
C40(261)-3	2.0	MILE	500	Х		Delay 1 Yr.
C40(369)	0.1	MILE	175		Х	6-2014
C40(387)	0.1	MILE	50		х	6-2014
C40(400)	0.1	MILE	20		х	04-2014
C40(401)	0.5	MILE	150	Х		08-2013
C40(405)	0.1	MILE	50		х	05-2014
C40(406)	0.1	MILE	50			Deleted
C40(410)	0.1	MILE	5		х	10-2013
C40(411)	0.1	MILE	30		Х	10-2013
C40(412)	0.1	MILE	15		Х	12-2013
C40(413)	0.1	MILE	10		Х	04-2014
C40(414)	0.1	MILE	50		Х	12-2013
C40(415)	0.1	MILE	5		Х	09-2013
C40(416)	0.1	MILE	30		Х	06-2014
C40(417)	0.1	MILE	40		Х	05-2014
C40(418)	0.1	MILE	20		Х	10-2013
C40(420)	0.1	MILE	10		Х	09-2013
C40(421)	0.1	MILE	10		Х	08-2013
C40(428)	0.5	MILE	8		Х	10-2013
C40(429)	0.1	MILE	60		Х	Delay 1 Yr
gnature	las la	Title:	Hall County	v Surveyor	Date: Ju	ne 17, 2014

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### Board of Public Roads Classifications and Standards Form 8 Summary of One-Year Plan

Year Ending: Fiscal year end June 30, 2015

Sheet 1 of 1

County:	40 - Hall County	City:		Village:	
PRIORITY NUMBER	PROJECT NUMBER	LENGTH (Nearest Tenth)	UNIT OF MEASURE	ESTIMATED COST (Thousands)	REMARKS
1	C40(261)-3	2.0	MILE	450	New Paving-Local
2	C40(429)	0.1	MILE	60	Intersection-Local
3	C40(133)	0.1	MILE	250	Bridge-Local
4	C40(373)	0.1	MILE	100	CBC, Paving-Local
5	C40(430)	0.1	MILE	20	CMP-Local
6	C40(431)	0.1	MILE	50	Bridge-Local
7	C40(432)	0.1	MILE	10	CMP-Local
8	C40(433)	1.0	MILE	10	Grading-Local
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County: C40 - Hall County	City:		Y	/illage:		
Location Description:						
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southeast corner of Section 2						
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Webb Road 14V	& 14W					
Existing Surface Type and Structures: (S	uch as dirt, gravel, as	phalt, concrete	, culvert, or bridge)			
Gravel and culverts						
Average Daily Traffic:			Classification Type:	(As shown on Fund	ctional Classification Map)	
2008 = 410, 200	<b>28 =</b> 735			Local		
		SED IMPRO	OVEMENT			
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	e Structures	 Fencing		1		
Asphalt Erosion		] Sidewal		]		
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New Bridge					Туре:	
Box Culvert	Span: Rise:		Length:			
Culvert	Diameter:		_ength:	Type:		
Bridges and Culverts Size	d 🗌	Yes 🗌 I	N/A 🛛 H	lydraulic Anal	ysis Pending	
Other Construction Features:						
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Intersection of S Sections 19, 20,		nd 130 <sup>th</sup> Road (	Old NE H	lwy 11),	T-9-N, R-1	1-W at the	intersection	of
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County: C-40 Ha	all County	City:			Villaç	je:		
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110 <sup>th</sup> Road betw	veen Holling F	load and Schult	z Road, b	etween	Sections 2	7 and 28,	T-10-	N, R-11-W.
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Culve	ert	Diameter: 60"		Length:	38'	Тур		CMP
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County: C-40 Ha	ll County	City:			Village:		
Location Description:	ii ooung						
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Box Cul	vert	Span:	Rise:	Lengt	h:	Туре:	
Culve	rt	Diameter:		ength:		Туре:	
Bridges and C	ulverts Sized	I .	Yes 🗌 N	/A 🛛	Hydraulic	Analysis I	Pending
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1/2 Hall County	1/2 Buffalo (	County-Buffalo (	County Nun	nber will be	determine	d in 2015.	
ESTIMATED COST	COUNTY	★ CITY	* STATE	FEC	ERAL 1	OTHER	TOTAL
(in Thousands) ★ OPTIONAL	25					25	50
Project Length: (Nearest	Tenth, State Unit o 0.1	f Measure)	Project	No.:	C40(4	31)	
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County: C-40 Ha	ll County	City:			Village	:		
Location Description:								
Rosedale Road Road County Bridge N		ions 26 and 35,	, T-9-N, R	-11-W b	between 90 <sup>th</sup>	Road and	l Scha	uppsvill
Existing Surface Type a Asphalt, 3' x 5' x		ıch as dirt, gravel, as <sub>l</sub>	ohalt, concret	e, culvert,	or bridge)			
Average Daily Traffic: 20	<u>14 = 300, 20</u>	<b>34 =</b> 500		Classifica	ition Type: <i>(As sh</i>	own on Func ther Arteri		assification Map)
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<ul> <li>☐ Grading</li> <li>☐ Aggregate</li> <li>☐ Armor Coat</li> <li>☑ Asphalt</li> </ul>	Concreta	Gutter	Right o         Utility A         Fencing         Sidewa	djustme J		Ihting		
Bridge to Rema	ain in Place	Roadway Width:		Length:		Type:		
New Bri	dge	Roadway Width:		Length:		Type:		
Box Cul	vert	Span:	Rise:		Length:	Type:		
Culve	rt	Diameter: 36"		Length:	44'	Type:	CMP	-w/FES
Bridges and C	ulverts Sized		Yes 🗌	N/A	🛛 Hydra	ulic Analy		AND A CONTRACT OF A CONTRACT O
Other Construction Feat Replace 3' x 5' x 2		8-36" CMP's w/F	ES					
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(in Thousands) ★ OPTIONAL	10							10
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County: C-40 Ha	ll County	City:			Villag	e:	
Location Description:							
Monitor Road be 11-N, R-10-W.	tween Stolley	Park Road and	d Old Pot	ash Hig	hway betwe	en Sections 2	1 and 22, T-
County Mile 20-0	Ç						
Existing Surface Type a	nd Structures: (Suc	ch as dirt, gravel, asp	halt, concret	e, culvert,	or bridge)		
Gravel, culverts							
Average Daily Traffic: 201	14 = 100, <b>20</b> 3	<b>34 =</b> 200		Classifica	ation Type: (As s	hown on Functiona	l Classification Map)
			SED IMPR	OVEME	NT		
Design Standard Numbe RL-2		Surfac	ing	Thickr	ness: 2"	Wid	th: 20'
<ul> <li>☑ Grading</li> <li>☑ Aggregate</li> <li>☑ Armor Coat</li> <li>☑ Asphalt</li> </ul>	Concrete	Sutter	Right o         Utility A         Fencing         Sidewa	djustm g		ighting	
Bridge to Rema	ain in Place	Roadway Width:		Length:		Type:	
New Bri	dge	Roadway Width:		Length:		Type:	
Box Cul	vert	Span:	Rise:		Length:	Type:	
Culve	rt	Diameter:		Length:		Type:	
Bridges and C	ulverts Sized		Yes 🗌	N/A	🛛 Hydr	aulic Analysis	Pending
Other Construction Feat County to reconsr		d					
ESTIMATED COST	* COUNTY	★ CITY	🕈 STA	TE	★ FEDERAL	★ OTHER	TOTAL
(in Thousands) <ul> <li>OPTIONAL</li> </ul>	10						10
Project Length: (Nearest	Tenth, State Unit o. 1.0	f Measure)	Proje	ect No.:	C	240(433)	
Signature:	Shelock	Title:	Hall Cou	inty Sur	veyor	Date: June	9 17, 2014
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PRIORITY	40 - Hall County	LENGTH	UNIT OF	ESTIMATED COST	
NUMBER	PROJECT NUMBER	(Nearest Tenth)	MEASURE	(Thousands)	REMARKS
1	C40(135)	0.25	MILE	150	BRIDGE - LOCAL
2	C40(171)-1	0.1	MILE	276	BRIDGE-FED AID
3	C40(300)-2	2.0	MILE	550	PAVING-LOCAL
4	C40(333)	2.5	MILE	162	BRIDGE-LOCAL
5	C40(367)	0.1	MILE	150	BRIDGE - LOCAL
6	C40(371)	0.1	MILE	200	BRIDGE - LOCAL
7	C40(372)	0.1	MILE	125	BRIDGE - LOCAL
8	C40(376)	0.1	MILE	100	BRIDGE - LOCAL
9	C40(378)	0.1	MILE	85	BRIDGE - LOCAL
10	C40(379)	0.1	MILE	85	BRIDGE - LOCAL
11	C40(389)	0.1	MILE	85	BRIDGE - LOCAL
12	C40( 391)	0.1	MILE	200	BRIDGE - LOCAL
13	C40(392)	0.1	MILE	300	BRIDGE - LOCAL
14	C40(393)	0.1	MILE	250	BRIDGE - LOCAL
15	C40(409)	0.1	MILE	25	BRIDGE - LOCAL
16	C40(419)	0.1	MILE	30	CONC BOX-LOCA
17	C40(422)	0.1	MILE	50	CONC BOX-LOCA
18	C40(423)	0.1	MILE	50	CONC BOX-LOCA
19	C40(424)	0.1	MILE	30	CONC BOX-LOCA
20	C40(425)	0.1	MILE	30	CONC BOX-LOCA
21	C40(121)-2	4.0	MILE	1100	PAVING-LOCAL
22	C40(426)	1.25	MILE	225	PAVING-LOCAL
23	C40(427)	1.00	MILE	225	PAVING-LOCAL
24	C40(434)	0.1	MILE	100	BRIDGE-LOCAL
25	C40(435)	0.1	MILE	100	BRIDGE-LOCAL
nature: $a$	sey Shubek	Title:	Hall County		Date: June 17, 2014

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County: C40	- Hall County	Dity:		Village:	
PRIORITY NUMBER	PROJECT NUMBER	LENGTH (Nearest Tenth)	UNIT OF MEASURE	ESTIMATED COST (Thousands)	REMARKS
	(a)				
			LOCAL	4435	
			STATE	28	
ionoturo: d	0	T:W	FEDERAL	220	TOTAL = 4683
ignature:	y C Sherlock	Title:	Hall County	Surveyor	Date: June 17, 2014

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County: C40 - Hall County	City:		Village	:				
Location Description:								
On an east and west road bet NE	ween Section 7 8	& 18, T-11-	N, R-11-W of the	6 <sup>th</sup> P.M., Hall C	ounty,			
13 <sup>th</sup> Street 33 T 6								
Existing Surface Type and Structures: (Su Gravel and Bridge	ıch as dirt, gravel, asph	alt, concrete, c	ulvert, or bridge)		979-979 (1999-999) 1979-979 (1999-999) 1979-979 (1999-999)			
Graver and Bridge								
Average Daily Traffic:       Classification Type: (As shown on Functional Classification Map)         2008 = 45, 2028 = 90       Local								
2000 - 10, 20		ED IMPROV	EMENT	Loodi				
Design Standard Number: RL-3	Surfaci		Thickness:	Width:				
⊠ Grading       □ Concrete       ⊠ Right of Way       □ Lighting         ⊠ Aggregate       □ Curb & Gutter       ⊠ Utility Adjustments       □         □ Armor Coat       ⊠ Drainage Structures       ⊠ Fencing       □         □ Asphalt       ☑ Erosion Control       ☑ Sidewalks       □								
Bridge to Remain in Place	Roadway Width:	Le	ngth:	Type:				
New Bridge	Roadway Width: 30'	Lei	ngth: 60'	Туре: Со	nc Slab			
Box Culvert	Span:	Rise:	Length:	Type:				
Culvert	Diameter:	Lei	ngth:	Type:				
Bridges and Culverts Sized	Y 🗌 k	es 🗌 N/.	A 🛛 Hydra	aulic Analysis F	Pending			
Other Construction Features: Replace existing 16' x 40' truss								
ESTIMATED COST COUNTY		* STATE	★ FEDERAL	★ OTHER	TOTAL			
★ OPTIONAL 150					150			
Project Length: (Nearest Tenth, State Unit 0 0.25 mile	of Measure)	Project		40(135)				
Signature:	Title:	Hall County		Date:	7, 2014			
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County: C40 - Ha	all County	City:			Villag	e:		
Location Description:								
On a north and s	south road bet	ween Section 2	27 & 28, T	-12-N, I	R-10-W of th	ne 6 <sup>th</sup> P.№	1., Hall	County, NE
Monitor Road	20 V 9							
Existing Surface Type a	and Structures: (Su	ich as dirt, gravel, as	phalt_concret	e culvert	or bridge)			
Gravel and Bridg		on ao any, gravor, ao		o, ouront,	or zinagoj			
Average Daily Traffic:	000 - 05 00	00 - 45		Classifica	ation Type: (As s		nctional (	Classification Map)
20	0 <u>08 = 25</u> , 20					Local		
Design Standard Numb	er:		SED IMPR	Thick			Width	•
RL-3		Surfac	cing	THICK	0		width	. 0
Grading Grading Aggregate Armor Coat Asphalt	Concrete	Gutter [ e Structures [	Right o      Utility A      Fencing      Sidewa	djustm g		ighting	o.	
Bridge to Rema	ain in Place	Roadway Width.		Length:		Тур	e.	
New Bri	idge	Roadway Width: 30.0		Length:	100.0 ft.	Тур		nc Slab
Box Cul	vert	Span:	Rise:		Length:	Тур	e:	
Culve	rt	Diameter:		Length:		Тур	e:	
Bridges and C	ulverts Sized	I 🗌	Yes 🗌	N/A	🛛 Hydi	aulic Ana	alysis F	Pending
Other Construction Feat Replace existing		bridge						
ESTIMATED COST	★ COUNTY	★ CITY	🔺 STA	TE	★ FEDERAL	\star от	HER	TOTAL
(in Thousands) ★ OPTIONAL	28		28		220			276
Project Length: (Nearest	Tenth, State Unit c 0.1 mile	of Measure)	Proje	ect No.:	C	40(171)-1		
Signature:	? Sharle	Title:	Hall Cou	nty Sur		Date:	10241	17, 2014
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County: C40 - Hall County	City:		Village	:			
Location Description:	L						
On a north and south road mile north.	beginning at the i	ntersection of E	ngleman Road	and Abbott Ro	bad; thence 1		
Engleman Road	18 V & 18 W						
Existing Surface Type and Structures:	(Such as dirt, gravel, as	sphalt, concrete, culve	ert, or bridge)				
Gravel and bridge							
Average Daily Traffic: 2013 = 200,	<b>2033 =</b> 400	Classi	fication Type: (As sh	own on Functional ( Local	Classification Map)		
		OSED IMPROVEN	IENT				
Design Standard Number: RL-1	Surfa	cing	ckness: 6"	Width	: 24.0		
Grading 🛛 Cond	rete [	Right of Way	/ 🗌 Lig	hting			
	& Gutter	Utility Adjust	ments 🔲				
	age Structures [	Fencing					
🛛 Asphalt 🛛 Erosi	on Control [	Sidewalks		Type:			
Bridge to Remain in Plac	e						
New Bridge	Roadway Width:	Length	:	Type:			
Box Culvert	Span:	Rise:	Length:	Type:			
Culvert	Diameter:	Length	:	Type:			
Bridges and Culverts Si	zed	Yes 🗌 N/A	🗌 Hydra	aulic Analysis F	Pending		
Other Construction Features:	-						
5" x 24' Asphalt or 6" X 24'	Concrete						
					-		
ESTIMATED COST COUNT (in Thousands)		* STATE	★ FEDERAL	★ OTHER	TOTAL		
★ OPTIONAL 550					550		
Project Length: (Nearest Tenth, State L 2.0 mile		Project No.:		0(300)-2			
Signature:							
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County: C40 - Hall County	City:		Vi	llage:		
Location Description:			I			
On a north and south road be	tween Sections	15 & 16. T-1	0-N. R-11-W	of the 6 <sup>th</sup> P.	M., Hall (	County, NE
110 <sup>th</sup> Road between US Hwy			• • •, • • • • • •			<b>, , , , , , , , , ,</b>
		, riouu				
Bridge 32 K 8 C004021910						
Existing Surface Type and Structures: (St	uch as dirt, gravel, asp	halt, concrete, c	ulvert, or bridge)			
Existing pony truss bridge on	gravel road	I				
Average Daily Traffic:		Cl	assification Type: (A	s shown on Fu	nctional Cla	ssification Man)
<b>2013 = 65, 20</b>	33 = 115		isometation Type. (	Local	ionorial ora	someation map)
			EMENT	Loodi		
Design Standard Number:			Thickness:		Width:	
RL-2	Surfac	ing	0			0
Grading Concret	Г	] Right of V		Lighting		
				Lighting		
		Utility Adju				
	e Structures	Fencing				
Asphalt Erosion	Control	] Sidewalks				
Bridge to Remain in Place	Roadway Width:	Lei	ngth:	Тур	e:	
New Bridge	Roadway Width: 31.0	Lei	ngth: 75.0	Тур		. Slab
Box Culvert	Span:	Rise:	Length:	Тур		
box ourvert	Discontraction	<u> </u>				
Culvert	Diameter:	Ler	ngth:	Тур	е.	
Bridges and Culverts Sized	r 🖂 k	/es 🗌 N/.	A 🗌 H	draulic Ana	alysis Pe	nding
Other Construction Features:						
Replace existing 15' 4" x 51' po	ny truss with 30'	x 75' concr	ete slab brida	е		
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ESTIMATED COST 🕇 COUNTY	★ CITY	* STATE	★ FEDERA	L 🕇 OT	HER	TOTAL
(in Thousands)						100
★ OPTIONAL 162						162
Project Length: (Nearest Tenth, State Unit	of Measure)	Project	No.:			
0.5	1			C40(333)		
Signature:	Title:	Hall County	/ Survevor	Date:	June 17	. 2014
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County: C-40 Hall County	C-40 Hall County								
Location Description:									
190 <sup>th</sup> Road between Old M	ilitary Road and	Holling Road.	Section 3	32, T 10 N,	R 12 W.				
County mile: 48G 08									
Existing Surface Type and Structures:	(Such as dirt, gravel,	asphalt, concrete,	culvert, or brid	lge)					
Gravel and Thru Truss Brid	ge								
Average Daily Traffic:	Average Daily Traffic: Classification Type: (As shown on Functional Classification Map)								
<b>2008 =</b> 75, 1					Local				
Design Standard Number:	PROF	POSED IMPRO	/EMENT Thickness:		Width	•			
RL-2	Surf	acing	THICKNESS.		Vidui				
Grading Conc	rete	Right of V	Vay	Light	ing				
	& Gutter	Utility Ad	justments						
	age Structures	Fencing							
🔄 🗋 Asphalt 🛛 🖾 Erosi	Asphalt I Erosion Control I Sidewalks								
Bridge to Remain in Place Roadway Width: Length: Type:									
New Bridge	Roadway Width:Length:Type:30'60'Conc. Slab					nc. Slab			
Box Culvert	Span:	Rise:	Leng	gth:	Туре:				
Culvert	Diameter:	L	ength:		Туре:				
Bridges and Culverts Si	zed	] Yes 🗌 N	/A 🛛	🛛 Hydraul	ic Analysis F	Pending			
Other Construction Features:		(		le le state e					
Replace 61' thru truss bridge	e with 60° X 30° p	restressed co	ncrete sia	b bridge.					
C004000310									
ESTIMATED COST 🕇 COUN		🖈 STATE	E 🕇 FE	EDERAL	★ OTHER	TOTAL			
(in Thousands) ★ OPTIONAL 150						150			
Project Length: (Nearest Tenth, State L		Project	No.:		(007)				
0.1 Mi	e				(367) Date:				
Signature: affley C Shu	lock nue:	Hall Coun	ty Surveyc			17, 2014			
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County: C-40 Hall County		City:			Villag	e:		
Location Description:								
60 <sup>th</sup> Road between Wildwo	od Driv	e and Guent	ther Road	l. Sect	ion 9. T 10 I	N. R 10 W		
			inor riout			,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		
County mile: 22L 06								
Existing Surface Type and Structures	(Such a	s dirt gravel aspl	halt concrete	e culvert	or hridge)			
Gravel and Thru Truss Brid		s ant, graver, aopr		, ourrort,	or strage,			
	igo							
Average Daily Traffic:				Classific	ation Type: (As s	hown on Fun	ctional Clas	ssification Man)
<b>2008 = 55,</b>	2028	= 75		Classifica	ation Type. (As s	Local	2011010101010	Sincation wap)
	A. 0 A. 0			OVEME	NT	Loodi		
Design Standard Number:				Thick			Width:	
RL-2		Surfaci	ng		2"			20'
🛛 Grading 🗌 Cond	crete	Γ	Right of	Wav		ighting		
• •	& Gutt	er 🗌	Utility A			5 5		
		ructures	Fencing		Π			
	ion Cor		Sidewa		Ē.			
	Roa	dway Width:	Contraction of the	Length:		Туре	:	
Bridge to Remain in Place	e							
New Bridge	Roa	dway Width: 30'		Length:	70'	Туре		. Slab
Box Culvert	Spa	n:	Rise:		Length:	Туре	:	
Culvert	Diar	neter:		Length:		Туре		
Cuivert								
Bridges and Culverts S	ized	🗆 Y	′es 🗌	N/A	🛛 Hydi	aulic Anal	ysis Per	nding
Other Construction Features:								
Replace 71' thru truss bridg	e with 7	'0' X 30' pres	stressed of	concret	e slab bridg	е.		
C004012910								
ESTIMATED COST	TY		* STA	TE	★ FEDERAL	* OTH	IER	TOTAL
(in Thousands) ★ OPTIONAL 200						2		200
Project Length: (Nearest Tenth, State	Unit of Me	asure)	Proje	ct No.:				
0.1 Mile C40(371)								
Signature:	lal	Title:	Hall Cou	nty Sur	vevor	Date:	June 17,	, 2014
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County: C-40 Ha		City:			Village			
Location Description:	ii County							
Sky Park Road b	petween Chap	man Road and	Prairie R	oad. Se	ection 11, T 1	2 N, R 9 V	N.	
County mile: 6Y	05							
Existing Surface Type a Gravel and Thru		ich as dirt, gravel, asp	halt, concret	e, culvert,	or bridge)			
Graver and Thru	Truss bridge							
Average Daily Traffic:       Classification Type: (As shown on Functional Classification Map)								
2008 = 55, 2028 = 75 Local								
			SED IMPR	OVEME	ΝΤ			
Design Standard Number		Surfac	ing	Thick	ness: 2"		Width:	20'
Grading	Concret	е Г	] Right o	fWay		hting		
Aggregate Curb & Gutter Utility Adjustments								
Armor Coat		e Structures	] Fencing					
Asphalt	Erosion		] Sidewa					
Bridge to Remain in Place Roadway Width: Length: Type:								
New Bri	dge	Roadway Width: 30'		Length:	50'	Type:	Cor	nc. Slab
Box Cul	vert	Span:	Rise:		Length:	Туре:		
Culve	rt	Diameter:		Length:		Type:		
Bridges and C	ulverts Sized	I 🗆 `	res 🗌	N/A	🛛 Hydra	aulic Analy	vsis P	ending
Other Construction Feat								
Replace 52' thru t	russ bridge wi	th 50' X 30' pre	stressed	concret	e slab bridge	•0		
C004024325								
0004024020								
ESTIMATED COST	* COUNTY		🖈 STA	TE	★ FEDERAL	🖈 отн	R	TOTAL
(in Thousands) ★ OPTIONAL	125							125
Project Length: (Nearest		of Measure)	Proje	ect No.:		10(272)		
Signature:	0.1 Mile C40(372)							
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County: C-40 Hall	County	City:			Villaç	ge:		
Location Description:	County							
Schauppsville Roa	ad between (	Capital Avenue	and 13th s	Street.	Section 11	T 11 N, R	11 W.	
County mile: 30S	04							
Existing Surface Type and	d Structures: (Su	ch as dirt gravel as	abalt concrete	o culvort	or bridge)			
Gravel and I-beam		un as unt, graver, asp		e, cuiveri,	or bridge)			
				Cleasifier	tion Tunos (Ac	abaum an Euro	tional Cl	accification Man)
Average Daily Traffic: 2013	= 175, <b>20</b> 3	<b>33 =</b> 225		Classifica	ation Type: (AS	Collector		assification Map)
		PROPO	SED IMPR					
Design Standard Number: RC-2		Surfac	ing	Thick	ness: 2"		Width:	20'
Grading	Concrete		] Right o			ighting		
Aggregate Curb & Gutter Utility Adjustments								
	□ Armor Coat       ☑ Drainage Structures       □ Fencing       □         □ Asphalt       □ Erosion Control       □ Sidewalks       □							
•		Roadway Width:		Length:	··· [] ··	Туре:		
	Bridge to Remain in Place     Roadway Width:     Length:     Type:							
New Brid	ge	30'		Longui.	30'	2020	Con	c. Slab
Box Culv	ert	Span:	Rise:		Length:	Туре:		
Culvert	t	Diameter:		Length:		Туре:		
Bridges and Cu	Iverts Sized		Yes 🗌	N/A	🛛 Hyd	raulic Anal	ysis Pe	ending
Other Construction Feature Replace 33' X 18.5'		bridge with 20		otropo	ad apparata	alah hrida	•	
Replace 33 X 10.3	- 15 I-Deall	i bridge with 30		50655		siab bridg	e.	
C004012115								
ESTIMATED COST	* COUNTY	🕈 CITY	🖈 STA	TE	★ FEDERAL	\star отн	ER	TOTAL
(in Thousands) ★ OPTIONAL	100							100
Project Length: (Nearest To		f Measure)	Proje	ect No.:		240(276)		
Signature:	0.1 Mile	Title:				C40(376) Date:		
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County: C-40 Ha	ll County	City:			Village	:	đ	
Location Description: 60 <sup>th</sup> Road betwee T-9-N, R-10-W		load and Ro	osedale Road,	0.7 mile	es north of t	he SE Corner o	of Section 32,	
County Mile: 22/	407							
Existing Surface Type a Gravel, steel brid		ich as dirt, grave	el, asphalt, concret	e, culvert, d	or bridge)			
Average Daily Traffic: 20	008 = 35, 20	<b>08 =</b> 55		Classifica	tion Type: <i>(As sh</i>	oown on Functional ( Local	Classification Map)	
		PR	OPOSED IMPR	OVEMEN	Т			
Design Standard Numb RL-3		Su	rfacing	Thickn	ess:	Width	:	
Image: Structures       Im								
Bridge to Rema	ain in Place	Roadway Width:		Length:		Туре:	Туре:	
New Bridge		Roadway Widt	h: 30'	Length: 30'		Type: Precas	Precast Conc Slab	
Box Cul	vert	Span:	Rise:		Length:	Туре:		
Culve	rt	Diameter:		Length:		Туре:		
Bridges and C	ulverts Sized		Yes 🗌	N/A	🛛 Hydra	aulic Analysis I	Pending	
Other Construction Features: Replace steel bridge with 30' X 30' precast concrete slab bridge.								
Bridge built in 196	68.							
C004002903								
ESTIMATED COST	COUNTY	* CITY	🕇 STA	TE 1	FEDERAL	★ OTHER	TOTAL	
(in Thousands) ★ OPTIONAL	85						85	
Project Length: (Nearest		of Measure)	Proje	ect No.:	~	40/270)		
Signature:	0.1 mile C40(378)							
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County: C-40 Hall County	City:			Village:		
Location Description:						
70 <sup>th</sup> Road between Barrows R 9-N, R-10-W.	oad and roased	ale Road.	0.3 miles Nor	th of SE Co	rner of Se	ection 31, T-
County Mile: 24A 03						
Existing Surface Type and Structures: (Su	ich as dirt, gravel, asp	halt, concrete,	culvert, or bridge)			
Gravel, steel bridge						
Average Daily Traffic: 2008 = 35, 20	<b>08 =</b> 55	C	Classification Type	: (As shown on Loc		assification Map)
		SED IMPRO	VEMENT			
Design Standard Number: RL-3	Surfac		Thickness:		Width:	
Grading Concret	e 🗌	] Right of	Way [	Lighting		
🛛 🖂 Aggregate 🔲 Curb & 🤇	The first state of the first sta		ljustments			
	e Structures	Fencing				
Asphalt Erosion		] Sidewalk	ks [			
Bridge to Remain in Place Roadway Width: Length: Type:						
New Bridge	Roadway Width: 30'		ength: 30'	Т	<sup>ype:</sup> Precast	Conc. Slab
Box Culvert	Span:	Rise:	Length:	Т	уре:	
Culvert	Diameter:	L	ength:	Т	уре:	
Bridges and Culverts Sized	1 🗌 k	res 🗌 N	I/A	Hydraulic A	nalysis P	ending
Other Construction Features: Replace steel bridge with 30' X 30' precast concrete slab bridge.						
Bridge built in 1968.						
C004002703						
ESTIMATED COST 🛛 🖈 COUNTY		* STATE	E \star FEDE	RAL 🔶	OTHER	TOTAL
(in Thousands) ★ OPTIONAL 85						85
Project Length: (Nearest Tenth, State Unit of	of Measure)	Project	t No.:			
0,1	A			C40(379		
ignature: Asey sheller Title: Date: June 17, 2014						
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### Board of Public Roads Classifications and Standards Form 7 One- and Six-Year Plan

# Highway or Street Improvement Project

County: C-40 Hall County	City:			Vil	lage:		
Location Description:							
13 <sup>th</sup> street between Schaupps	ville Road and 1	10 <sup>th</sup> Road					
0.1 mile west of NE corner, Se							
		,	-				
County Mile: 33Q1							
Existing Surface Type and Structures: (Su	ich as dirt, gravel, aspl	alt concrete	culvert c	r bridae)			
Gravel 15" I Beam Bridge	on as ant, graver, aspr		, ourvort, c	n bilago)			
Glaver 15 T Deall Blidge							
Average Daily Traffic:	<b>00</b> - 00		Classificat	ion Type: (A			lassification Map)
<b>2012 =</b> 60, <b>20</b>					Lo	cai	
	PROPOS	ED IMPRO	1 10000 10			1A/: dth.	
Design Standard Number: RL-2	Surfaci	ng	Thickn	ess:		Width:	
Grading 🗌 Concret	1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1	Right of			Lighting	)	
🛛 🖂 Aggregate 🔲 Curb & 🤇	Gutter	Utility A	djustme	ents 📋			
🔲 🗌 Armor Coat 🛛 Drainag	e Structures 🗌	Fencing					
🗌 Asphalt 🛛 🖾 Erosion	Control	Sidewal	ks				
	Roadway Width:		Length:			Туре:	
Bridge to Remain in Place	-					225	
New Bridge	Roadway Width: 30'		Length: 30'			Type: Precast Conc. Slab	
	Span:	Rise:		Length:		Type:	00110. 0100
Box Culvert	opun	1400.		Longun		.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	
Culvert	Diameter:		Length:			Туре:	
Guiven							
Bridges and Culverts Sized	I DY	es 🗌 I	N/A	N H	ydraulic	Analysis P	ending
Other Construction Features:							
Replace 15" I beam bridge w	ith 30' X 30' pre	cast con	crete s	lab brid	ge.		
C004001815							
Bridge built in 1931							
ESTIMATED COST * COUNTY	★ CITY	🕈 STA		FEDERA		OTHER	TOTAL
(in Thousands)						OTTLER	
* OPTIONAL 85							85
Project Length: (Nearest Tenth, State Unit of	of Measure)	Proje	ct No.:		I		
0.1 C40(389)							
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County: C-40 Hall Co	untv	City:	na da fari da sente della della			Village:		
Location Description:								
Old Potash Highway	between (	Cameron Road	d and McC	Guire Ro	ad.			
0.9 mile west of the I								
			- 1 1 - IN. IN-	12-00.				
County Mile: 31W09								
Existing Surface Type and Str	uctures: (Suc	h as dirt, gravel, as	phalt, concret	e, culvert,	or bridge)			
Gravel, concrete box	I beam br	idge combinat	ion.					
Average Daily Traffic:	400 000	0 - 405		Classifica	tion Type:			nal Classification Map)
2008 =	100, 200					LO	cal	
		PROPC	SED IMPR					
Design Standard Number:		Surfa	cing	Thickr		2"	100	'idth: 24'
RL2								24
🛛 🖾 Grading 🔹 🗌	Concrete	. [2	🛛 Right c	of Way		_ Lighting	g	
🛛 Aggregate 🗌	Curb & G	Butter [	Utility A	Adjustme	ents [	]		
Armor Coat	Drainage	Structures	Fencin		Γ	7		
Asphalt	Erosion (		☐ Sidewa	-		1		
		Roadway Width:					Typo:	
Bridge to Remain in	n Place	Roadway width.		Length:			Туре:	
New Bridge		Roadway Width: 30'		Length:	42'		Type:	oncrete steel
		Span:	Rise:		Length:		Type:	
Box Culvert		•						
Culvert		Diameter:		Length:			Туре:	
Bridges and Culve	erts Sized		Yes 🗌	N/A	× I	Hydraulic	Analys	is Pending
Other Construction Features:								
Replace 41' concrete	e box and	steel I beam	combina	tion bri	dge			
ал.								
C004002005	C004002005							
Bridge built in 1928 and 1942								
×.▲	00111-11	<b>A</b>		-	<b>.</b>		OTHE	TOTAL
	COUNTY		* STA		★ FEDEI	RAL	OTHER	TOTAL
(in Thousands) ★ OPTIONAL	200							200
		[]						
Project Length: (Nearest Tenth		r measure)	Proj	ect No.:		C10/2	01)	
0.1 mile C40(391)								
ignature: aley Shulpfy Title: Date: June 17, 2014								
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County: C-40 Hall Co	ountv	City:			Villag	e:	
Location Description:							
Schimmer Drive bet	ween BLuf	f Center Road	d and 190 <sup>th</sup>	Road.			
0.7 mile west of NE							
County Mile: 25Y07							
Existing Surface Type and S	tructures: (Su	ch as dirt aravel a	asphalt concret	e culvert i	or bridge)		
Gravel, I Beam and	•		•	-,,			
				0	· /A		
Average Daily Traffic:	- 25 200	0 - 55		Classifica	tion Type: (As s		l Classification Map)
2008	= <u>35</u> , <b>20</b>				IT.	Local	
Design Standard Number		PROP	OSED IMPR			14/1-11	th.
Design Standard Number: RL-3		Surfa	acing	Thickn	ess:	Wid	un:
Image: Structures       I							
Bridge to Remain i	in Place	Roadway Width:		Length:		Type:	
New Bridge	)	Roadway Width: 30'		Length:	64'	Type: COT	crete steel
Box Culver	t	Span:	Rise:		Length:	Туре:	
Culvert		Diameter:		Length:		Туре:	
Bridges and Culv	erts Sized		Yes 🗌	N/A	🛛 Hyd	raulic Analysis	Pending
Other Construction Features: Replace 64' steel I beam and timber combination bridge.							
C004002605							
Bridge built in 1941							
ESTIMATED COST	COUNTY	★ CITY	\star STA	TE	FEDERAL	★ OTHER	TOTAL
(in Thousands) ★ OPTIONAL	300						300
Project Length: (Nearest Tent	Project Length: (Nearest Tenth, State Unit of Measure) 0.1 mile C40(392)						
	Signature: Date: Date:						
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County: C-40 Hall County	City:	Village:					
Location Description:							
80 <sup>th</sup> Road between Wood River Road and Guenther Road.							
0.6 mile North of SE Corner.							
County Mile: 26K06							
Existing Surface Type and Structures: (Su	ich as dirt, gravel, asphalt, conci	ete, culvert, or bridge)					
Gravel, 30' Girder Bridge							
Average Daily Traffic:		Classification Type: (As show	vn on Functional Classification Map)				
<b>20</b> 08 = 55, <b>20</b>	<b>08 =</b> 75	5.574 22	Local				
	PROPOSED IMP	ROVEMENT					
Design Standard Number:	Surfacing	Thickness:	Width:				
RL2	Sunacing						
Grading 🗌 Concrete	e 🛛 🕅 Right	of Way 🛛 🗌 Ligh	ting				
Aggregate Curb & Curb & C		Adjustments 🗌	č				
	e Structures 🛛 Fenci						
		-					
Asphalt 🛛 Erosion			T				
Bridge to Remain in Place Roadway Width: Length: Type:							
New Bridge	Roadway Width: 30'	Length: 56'	Type: concrete steel				
Box Culvert	Span: Rise:	Length:	Туре:				
	Diameter:	Length:	Туре:				
Culvert		·					
Bridges and Culverts Sized	Yes	N/A 🛛 Hydrau	lic Analysis Pending				
Other Construction Features: Replace steel grider bridge. Bridge is 14'8'' wide 55' long.							
		, long.					
C004002530							
Bridge built in 1932							
ESTIMATED COST * COUNTY		ATE \star FEDERAL	★ OTHER TOTAL				
(in Thousands) ★ OPTIONAL 250			250				
Project Length: (Nearest Tenth, State Unit of	of Measure)	pject No.:	I				
0.1 mile C40(393)							
Signature: Date:							
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County: C-40 Hall County	City:		Village	:	
Location Description:					
190 <sup>th</sup> Road between Schimme	r Drive and Hus	ker Highway			
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between sections 31 and 32,	I-II-N. R-12-VV				
County Mile: 48N 01					
Existing Surface Type and Structures: (Su	ch as dirt, gravel, asp	halt, concrete, culv	ert, or bridge)		
Existing Surface is Gravel					
Existing Structure is 10.5' woo	d bridae in poor	- condition			
5	<b>J</b>				
Average Daily Traffic:		Class	ification Type: (As sh		Classification Map)
<b>2008 =</b> 55, <b>20</b>				Local	
	PROPO	SED IMPROVEI	MENT		
Design Standard Number:	Surfac	Th Th	nickness:	Widt	า:
RL2	Surrac	ing			
Grading Concrete	e 🛛	Right of Wa	v 🗆 Lie	ghting	
Aggregate Curb & C		Utility Adjus		grung	
	e Structures 🛛				
🗌 Asphalt 🛛 🖾 Erosion	Control	] Sidewalks			
Bridge to Remain in Place	Roadway Width:	Lengt	h:	Type:	
New Bridge	Roadway Width: 30'	Lengt	h: 11'	Type:	ast Concrete
	Span:	Rise:	Length:	Туре:	
Box Culvert					
Culvert	Diameter:	Lengt	h:	Type:	
Bridges and Culverts Sized		res 🗌 N/A	🛛 Hydra	aulic Analysis	Pending
Other Construction Features:					
	11 with 11' proces	at apparata alah	bridge		
Replace 10.5' wood bridge built in 19	41 with 11 precas	si concrete siab	bhage.		
ESTIMATED COST 🕈 COUNTY	★ CITY	★ STATE	★ FEDERAL	★ OTHER	TOTAL
(in Thousands)					
* OPTIONAL 25					25
Project Length: (Nearest Tenth, State Unit of	of Measure)	Project No.	:	I	1
0.1 mile				40(409)	
Signature	Titler		¥		
	/ Inte:			Date:	
aley Sherbock	Title:	Hall County S	Surveyor	Date: June	17, 2014

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County: C-40 Hall County		City:			Villa	age:		
Location Description:								
Burwick Road, between Sto 11-N, R-11-W, Hall County,			d Old Pol	tash Hi	ighway, bet	ween S	Sections 20	) and 21, T-
County Mile: 34Q 08								
Existing Surface Type and Structures:	(Such a	as dirt, gravel, asp	ohalt, concret	e, culvert	t, or bridge)			
Gravel Surface Existing structure is 20' woo	d brid	lae in poor c	ondition					
		.ge peer e						
Average Daily Traffic: 2013 = 75, 2	033	= 125		Classific	cation Type: (As		n Functional C	Classification Map)
			SED IMPR	OVEME	ENT		1	
Design Standard Number: RL-2		Surfac	ing	Thick	kness:		Width	
Grading Concr	ete		] Right o	f Way		Lightin	g	
Aggregate Curb			Utility A		nents			
Armor Coat 🛛 Draina		tructures	] Fencing ] Sidewa	-	H			
Bridge to Remain in Place	Roa	adway Width:		Length:			Туре:	
New Bridge	Roa	adway Width:		Length:			Туре:	
Box Culvert	Spa	an: 8'	Rise:		Length: 42	,	Type:	Conc. Box
Culvert	Dia	meter:		, Length:	42		Туре:	
Proto de la valor de la construcción de la construc			/	N1/A		1. P.	A	No. and the second
Bridges and Culverts Siz	ed		Yes 🗌	N/A	L] Hy	draulic	Analysis F	ending
Replace existing 20' wood br	dge b	ouilt in 1928 v	with Twin	8' X 5'	X 42' prec	ast con	crete box	sections.
ESTIMATED COST <b>COUNT</b>	Y	★ CITY	🖈 STA	TE	★ FEDERAL		OTHER	TOTAL
* OPTIONAL 30								30
Project Length: (Nearest Tenth, State Uk 0.1	nit of Me	easure)	Proje	ect No.:		C40(4	19)	
Signature:	1 D	Title:	Hall Cou	ntv Su	rvevor	Da	te:	17, 2014
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County: C-40 Ha	ll County	City:		Village	:	
Location Description:	. county					
On an east and Nebraska on On					the 6 <sup>th</sup> P.M., Ha	all County,
County Road 43	3B 03					
Existing Surface Type a	nd Structures: (Su	ich as dirt, gravel, as	ohalt, concrete, culv	vert, or bridge)		
Existing 12' spa	n by 6' rise cc	ncrete box culv				
Average Daily Traffic:	15		Class	sification Type: (As sh		Classification Map)
2(	0 <u>13</u> = 45, 20				Local	
Design Chandland Number		PROPO	SED IMPROVE		10/:	
Design Standard Numbe RL-3		Surfac	ing	nickness: Gravel	Width	22'
Grading Aggregate Armor Coat Asphalt	Concret	Gutter [ e Structures [ Control [	Right of Wa         Utility Adjus         Fencing         Sidewalks	tments	ghting	
Bridge to Rema	ain in Place	Roadway Width:	Leng	th:	Туре:	
New Bri	dge	Roadway Width:	Leng	th:	Type:	
Box Cul	vert	<sup>Span:</sup> Triple 8'	Rise: 5'	Length: 36'	Туре:	CBC
Culve	rt	Diameter:	Leng	h:	Туре:	
Bridges and C	ulverts Sized	i 🛛 🖓	Yes 🗌 N/A	🗌 Hydra	aulic Analysis I	Pending
Other Construction Feat Replace existing r		te box culvert w	<i>v</i> ith Triple 8' X	5' X 36' precas	t concrete box	sections
ESTIMATED COST	* COUNTY	★ CITY	* STATE	★ FEDERAL	★ OTHER	TOTAL
(in Thousands)	50					50
Project Length: (Nearest	Tenth, State Unit o 0.1	of Measure)	Project No		40(422)	
Signature: Casey (	Sherlows	Title:	Hall County		Date:	17, 2014
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County: C-40 Hall C	ountv	City:			Village:		
Location Description:	ounty						
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Platte River Drive, b 9-N, R-11-W, Hall C			a 110° Road	a, în the Nort	nwest Qua	inter of Se	
	-						
County Mile: 7R 08	l						
Existing Surface Type and S	Structures: (Suc	ch as dirt, gravel, asp	ohalt, concrete, c	ulvert, or bridge)			
Gravel Road Surfac	e						
Existing structure is	20' I-beam	bridge in poor	condition.				
5		5 1					
Average Daily Traffic:			CI	assification Type			Classification Map)
2013	= 35, 203	<b>33 =</b> 75			Loc	cal	
		PROPO	SED IMPROV	<b>EMENT</b>			
Design Standard Number:		Curfee		Thickness:		Width:	
RL-3		Surfac	ing				
Grading	] Concrete	<u> </u>	] Right of V	Vav - E	] Lighting		
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🛛 Aggregate	Curb & C	CALLAR CELEVEL INCOMPANY	Utility Adj	usimenis L	╡		
🗌 Armor Coat 🛛	Drainage	Structures	Fencing	L			
Asphalt 🗌	Erosion (	Control	] Sidewalks	s [	]		
Bridge to Remain	in Place	Roadway Width:	Le	ngth:		Туре:	
		Roadway Width:	Le	ngth:		Туре:	
New Bridge	2						
Box Culver	+	Span:	Rise:	Length:	2010/2010/00/	Туре:	0 D
Box outfor		Triple 8'	5'		36'		Conc. Box
Culvert		Diameter:	Le	ngth:		Туре:	
Bridges and Culv	verts Sized		Yes 🗌 N/	A 🛛	Hydraulic /	Analysis F	Pending
Other Construction Features	:	2					
		ao with triplo 9		recent cone	roto hov or	actions	
Replace existing 20'	I-beam brid	ge with triple 8	X 2 X 30 b	precast conc	rele box se	ections.	
	COUNTY		* STATE	🕈 FEDE	RAL 🛉	OTHER	TOTAL
ESTIMATED COST (in Thousands)			A OTALE			OTTIER	
★ OPTIONAL	50						50
Project Length: (Nearest Ten	th State Linit -	f Maasura)	Project				
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Signatura, A	0.1	/ Title:					
Signature:	VI D.	Title:	Hall Count	Surveyor	Dat		17, 2014
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County: C-40 Hall	County	City:			Village	<b>)</b> :		
Location Description:	County							
South Locust Stre 9-W, Hall County,	, Nebraska	edarview Roa	d and Gil	tner R	oad, between	Section	ons 3 and	d 4, T-9-N, R-
County Mile: 8F (	09							
Existing Surface Type and		as dirt, gravel, asp	halt, concret	e, culveri	t, or bridge)			
Asphalt Road Sur Existing structure		icrete Box in g	good conc	lition				
Average Daily Traffic: 2013	= 1000, <b>203</b> 3	<b>3 =</b> 1500		Classific		nown on ether A		Classification Map)
		PROPOS	SED IMPR	OVEME	INT			
Design Standard Number ROA-1		Surfac	ing	Thic	kness:		Width	:
Grading Aggregate Armor Coat Asphalt	Concrete Curb & Gu Drainage S Erosion Co	Structures	] Right o ] Utility A ] Fencing ] Sidewa	djustn g	L	ghting		
Bridge to Remai	n in Place	oadway Width:		Length:		٦	Гуре:	
New Brid	lge Ro	oadway Width:		Length:		T	Гуре:	
Box Culv	ert	<sup>pan:</sup> Twin 6'	Rise: 4	.'	Length: 48'	Т	<sup>Type:</sup> Twin	Conc. Box
Culver	t Di	iameter:		Length:		Т	Гуре:	
Bridges and Cu	Iverts Sized	ו 🗆	/es 🗌	N/A	🛛 Hydra	aulic A	nalysis F	Pending
Other Construction Featur Addition of twin 6' Box Structure to inc			ox culver	t sectio	ons along side	e exist	ing 12' X	4' Concrete
	* COUNTY	★ CITY	★ STA	TE	★ FEDERAL	-	OTHER	TOTAL
ESTIMATED COST (in Thousands) OPTIONAL	30		- 31A		ATEVERAL			30
Project Length: (Nearest T	enth, State Unit of M 0.1	Aeasure)	Proje	ect No.:	C	40(424	4)	L
Signature:	Mulach	Title:	Hall Cou	nty Su		Date	; ;	17, 2014
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County: C-40 Ha	Il County	City:		Village	ŝ	
Location Description:	in county					
Cedarview Road R-9-W, Hall Cou			et and Stuhr R	oad, on the nor	th side of S	ection 3, T-9-N,
County Mile: 13	C 09					
Existing Surface Type a	and Structures: (Si	ıch as dirt, gravel, ası	ohalt, concrete, culve	ert, or bridge)		
Gravel Road Su						
Existing structure	e is Twin 8' X	4' Concrete Box	k in good condi	tion		
Average Daily Traffic:			Class	fication Type: (As sh		nal Classification Map)
201	13 = 100, 20			IENT	Local	
Design Standard Number		Surfac	Th	ickness:	V	/idth:
Grading Aggregate Armor Coat	Concret	Gutter 🛛 🛛 e Structures 🗌	Right of Way Utility Adjust Fencing Sidewalks	ments	ghting	
Bridge to Rema	ain in Place	Roadway Width:	Lengt	1:	Type:	
New Bri	dge	Roadway Width:	Length	1:	Туре:	
Box Cul	vert	Span: Twin 6'	Rise: 4'	Length: 40'	Type: Tv	vin Conc. Box
Culve	rt	Diameter:	Length	1:	Туре:	
Bridges and C	ulverts Sized	r □ _ k	Yes 🗌 N/A	🛛 Hydra	aulic Analys	is Pending
Other Construction Feat Addition of twin 6' Concrete Box Stru	X 4' X 48' pre			ions along side	e existing T	win 8' X 4'
ESTIMATED COST	* COUNTY	★ CITY	★ STATE	★ FEDERAL	★ OTHER	TOTAL
(in Thousands)	30					30
Project Length: (Nearest	Tenth, State Unit	of Measure)	Project No.:		40(425)	l
Signature:	Sherloch	Title:	Hall County S		Date:	ne 17, 2014
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County: C40 - Ha	Il County	City:			Village	):		
Location Description:								
On an east and	west road beg	inning at the so	outhwest co	orner of	f Section 13	, T-12-N, F	R-11-W;	thence
easterly 4.0 mile								
One-R Road 4	3K, L, M & N							
Existing Surface Type a	ind Structures: (Su	ich as dirt, gravel, as	ohalt, concrete	, culvert, o	or bridge)			
Gravel and Culv	erts							
Average Daily Traffic:				Classifica	tion Type: <i>(As st</i>	nown on Funct	tional Class	sification Map)
201	<u>13 = 175, 20</u>		SED IMPRO	VEMEN		ther Arteri	al	
Design Standard Number				Thickn	ess:		Width:	
ROA-	.3	Surfac	ing		6"			24.0
Grading Grading Aggregate Armor Coat Asphalt	Concret	Gutter	Right of         Utility A         Fencing         Sidewal	djustme	the second	ghting		
Bridge to Rema		Roadway Width:		Length:		Type:		
New Bri	dge	Roadway Width:	1	Length:		Туре:		
Box Cul	vert	Span:	Rise:		Length:	Туре:		
Culve	rt	Diameter:		_ength:		Туре:		
Bridges and C	ulverts Sized		Yes 🗌 N	N/A	🗌 Hydra	aulic Analy	vsis Pen	ding
Other Construction Feat 5" x 24' Asphalt c	CANNED STOLEN OF A STATE	ncretet						
ESTIMATED COST	COUNTY	★ CITY	★ STAT	E 1	FEDERAL	★ OTHE	R	TOTAL
(in Thousands) ★ OPTIONAL	1,100							1,100
Project Length: (Nearest	Tenth, State Unit of 4.0 miles	f Measure)	Projec	ct No.:	C4	0(121)-2	I	
Signature:	Sherlock	Title:	Hall Cour	nty Surv		Date:	une 17,	2014
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County: C-40 Ha	ll County	City:			Village	:	
Location Description:							
60 <sup>th</sup> Road betwe	en Wildwood	Drive and U.S.	Hwy. No.	30. Se	ction 4, T 10	N, R 10 W.	
County mile: 22	М						
Existing Surface Type a	nd Structures: (Sr	ich as dirt gravel as	nhalt concret	e culvert	or bridge)		
Gravel and culve				, ouror,			
Average Daily Traffic: 201	3 = 387, 20					own on Functiona Local	al Classification Map)
		PROPC	SED IMPR	OVEME	NT		
Design Standard Numbe RL-1		Surfac	cing	Thickr	ness: 6"	Wid	th: 24'
<ul> <li>☐ Grading</li> <li>☐ Aggregate</li> <li>☐ Armor Coat</li> <li>☑ Asphalt</li> </ul>	Concrete Curb & C Drainage Erosion	Gutter [ e Structures [ Control [	Right o         Utility A         Fencing         Sidewa	djustm g Iks		ghting	
Bridge to Rema	ain in Place	Roadway Width:		Length:		Туре:	
New Bri	dge	Roadway Width:		Length:		Type:	
Box Cul	vert	Span:	Rise:		Length:	Type:	
Culve	rt	Diameter:		Length:		Type:	
Bridges and C	ulverts Sized	I 🗌	Yes 🗌	N/A	🗌 Hydra	aulic Analysis	Pending
Other Construction Featu 5" x 24' Asphalt o		ncrete.					
ESTIMATED COST	* COUNTY	★ CITY	★ STA	TE	★ FEDERAL	* OTHER	TOTAL
(in Thousands) ★ OPTIONAL	225						225
Project Length: (Nearest	Tenth, State Unit of 1.25 Miles	f Measure)	Proje	ct No.:	C4	10(426)	
Signature:	Mulsel	Title:	Hall Cou	nty Sur		Date:	9 17, 2014
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County: C40 - Hall County		City:			Villa	ge:		
Location Description:								
On Stolley Park Road betwe	on Sl	hady Bend F	had and	Gunhai	rel Road a	nd along th	e nortl	n line of
Section 25, T11-N-, R-9-W					Ter Road a	nu along th	enon	
Section 23, 111-N-, IX-9-W		0 F.W., Ha	ii County	, INC				
Stolley Park Road 29A								
Existing Surface Type and Structures:	(Such a	s dirt. gravel. asp	halt. concret	e. culvert.	or bridge)			
Gravel, culverts and bridge	(ouon a	o ant, graver, aop		o, our ort,	or strago,			
Gravel, curverts and bridge								
Average Daily Traffic:				Classifier	ation Type: (As	shown on Fund	tional	lassification Map)
<b>2013 = 146,</b>	2022	- 175		Classifica		Other Arter		assincation map
2013 - 140, /	2033			OVENE			lai	
		PROPO	SED IMPR					
Design Standard Number:		Surfac	ina	Thick			Width:	010
ROA-3		oundo			6"			24.0
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Aggregate Curb				Adjustm		0 0		
			2					
		tructures	] Fencin	-	~			
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Pridge to Remain in Diese	Roa	idway Width:		Length:		Type:		
Bridge to Remain in Place	)							
Now Pridge	Roa	idway Width:		Length:		Туре:		
New Bridge								
Box Culvert	Spa	n:	Rise:		Length:	Type:		
Box cuivent								
Culvert	Diar	neter:		Length:		Туре:		
Culvert								
Bridges and Culverts Siz	ed		/es 🗌	N/A		Iraulic Anal	vsis P	endina
	cu					naulio Allai	y 513 T	chung
Other Construction Features:								
5" x 24' Asphalt or 6" X 24' C	oncre	ete						
ESTIMATED COST * COUNT	Y	★ CITY	🖈 STA	TE	★ FEDERAL	\star отн	ER	TOTAL
(in Thousands)	·		- 014		LUCINAL			
★ OPTIONAL 225								225
	all of M							
Project Length: (Nearest Tenth, State Un 1 O Milo		asure)	Proj	ect No.:	2	C40(427)		
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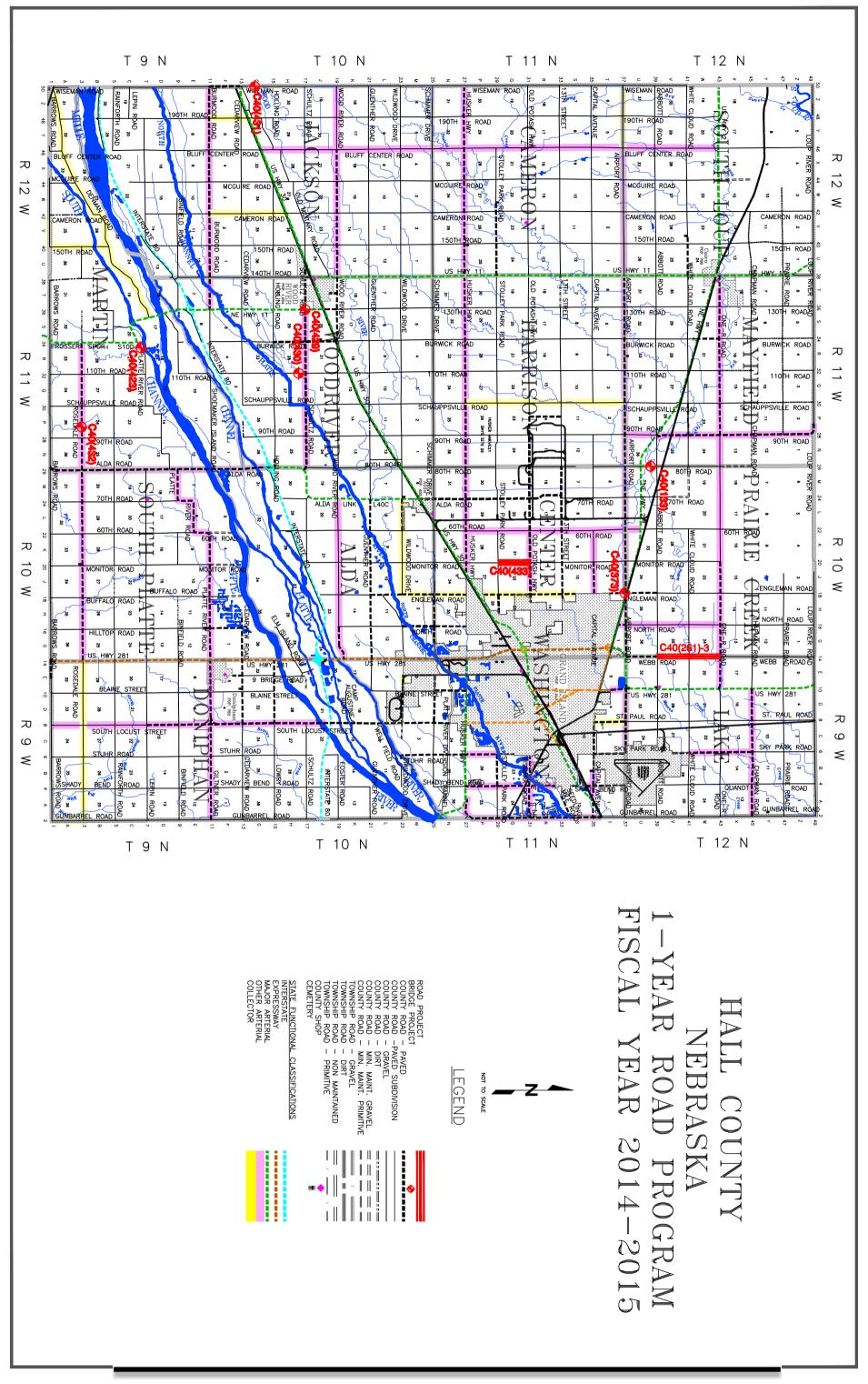
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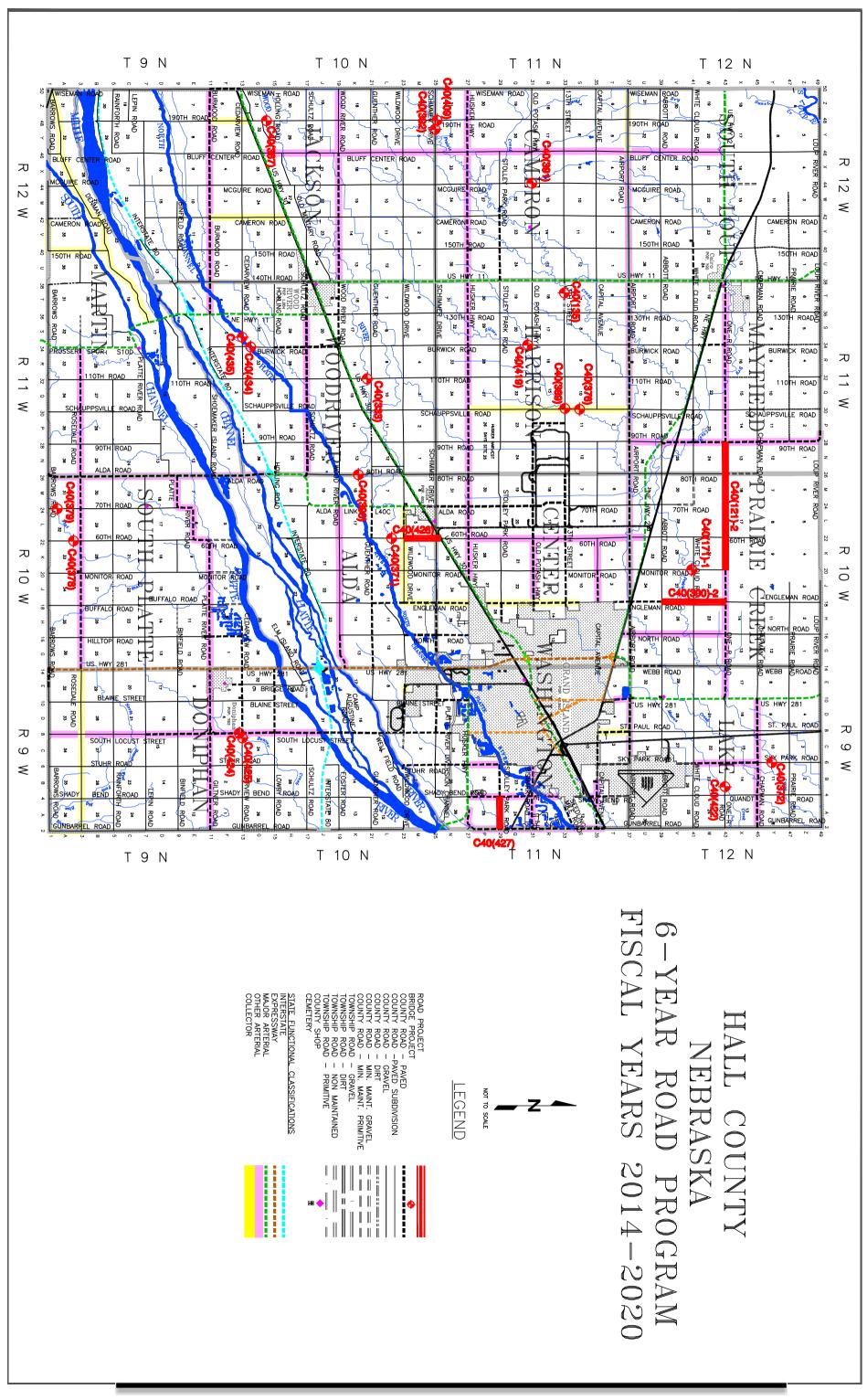
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# Form 7 One- and Six-Year Plan Highway or Street Improvement Project

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# Hall County Regional Planning Commission

Wednesday, June 4, 2014 Regular Meeting

# Item J1

**Final Plats** 

Staff Contact: Chad Nabity

May 20, 2014

Dear Members of the Board:

#### RE: Final Plat – Karle Subdivision.

For reasons of Section 19-923 Revised Statues of Nebraska, as amended, there is herewith submitted a final plat of Karle Subdivision, located in the City of Grand Island, in Hall County Nebraska.

This final plat proposes to create 1 lot, a part of the West Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 22, Township 11 North, Range 10 West of the 6<sup>th</sup> P.M., in Hall County, Nebraska, in the two mile jurisdiction of the City of Grand Island, Hall County, Nebraska, said tract containing 4.92 acres.

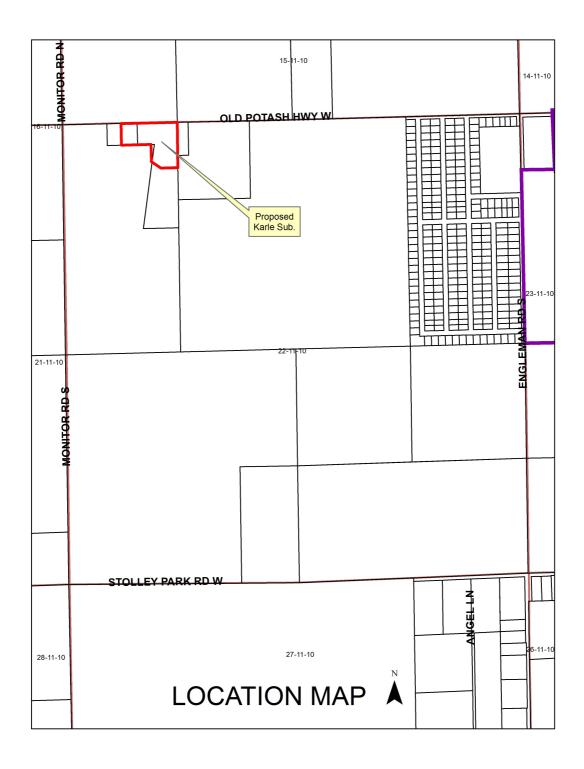
You are hereby notified that the Regional Planning Commission will consider this final plat at the next meeting that will be held at 6:00 p.m. on June 4, 2014 in the Council Chambers located in Grand Island's City Hall.

Sincerely,

Chad Nabity, AICP Planning Director

Cc: City Clerk City Attorney City Public Works City Building Department City Utilities Hall County Clerk Hall County Attorney Hall County Public Works Hall County Zoning Manager of Postal Operations Baseline Surveying, LLC

This letter was sent to the following School Districts 1R, 2, 3, 19, 82, 83, 100, 126.



May 20, 2014

Dear Members of the Board:

#### RE: Final Plat – Copper Creek Estates Eighth Subdivision.

For reasons of Section 19-923 Revised Statues of Nebraska, as amended, there is herewith submitted a final plat of Copper Creek Estates Eighth Subdivision, located in the City of Grand Island, in Hall County Nebraska.

This final plat proposes to create 44 lots, on a tract of land comprising a part of vacated Lots Sixty Nine (69), Seventy (70), Seventy One (71) and Eighty Four (84) Copper Creek Estates Subdivision, along with a part of the Northwest Quarter (NW1/4), all in Section Twenty Three (23), Township Eleven (11) North, Range Ten (10) West of the 6<sup>th</sup> P.M., in the City of Grand Island, Hall County, Nebraska, said tract containing 13.203 acres.

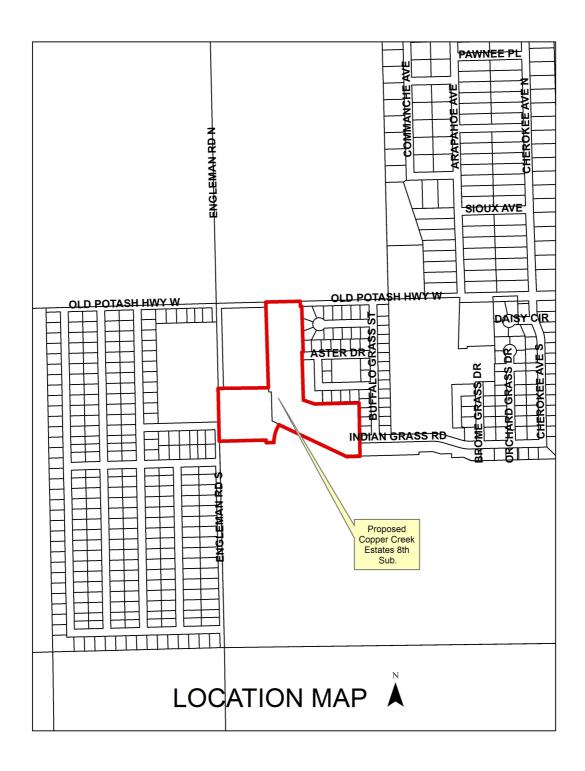
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Wednesday, June 4, 2014 Regular Meeting

Item 1

**Energy Elements** 

Staff Contact: Chad Nabity



### **Energy Element**

Energy usage in the early 21<sup>st</sup> Century is becoming a critical issue throughout Nebraska as well as the entire United States. Our dependency on energy sources that are not renewable has increased significantly over the past 100 years. Energy usage comes in several forms, such as:

- Lighting our homes and businesses
- Heating our homes and businesses
- Heating our water for homes and businesses
- Food preparation
- Transportation both personal and business related
- Recreation and Entertainment vehicular, computers, music, etc.
- Irrigating agricultural lands

The 21<sup>st</sup> Century ushered in an increased concern for energy usage and its impacts on the environment. With the increased concern for the environment came an increased understanding of the carbon footprint generated by any one individual as well as striving towards modifying our behavior patterns in order to lessen that footprint. In addition, the phrase and concept of sustainability has become more widely used, even in the smaller communities of Nebraska and United States.

Energy and the issues connected to the different sources are becoming more critical every year. The need for the Energy Element in the Grand Island Comprehensive Development Plan was established by the Nebraska Unicameral and Governor when LB997 was passed and signed during the 2010 legislative session. All communities and counties, with the exception of villages, in Nebraska are required to have an energy element in their comprehensive development plan (if they have one) by January 1 of 2015. This additional requirement forces communities to look at their energy usage and needs and plan that into the future development of the community. This makes the comprehensive development plan more comprehensive and therefore more meaningful. The passage of LB 997 appears to be a first step toward new comprehensive plans addressing the entire issue of Sustainability.

#### Sustainability

Sustainability, in today's discussions, has a number of meanings. According to Webster's Third International Dictionary, the verb "sustain" is defined as "to cause to continue...to keep up especially without interruption, diminution or flagging". However, the Brundtland Commission Report in 1987,<sup>1</sup> described sustainability as "...development that meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs". In other words, sustainability is the ability of the present generation to live without jeopardizing the ability of future generations to sustain life as we know it today.

Our world's ability to stabilize and begin to make the switch to cleaner and more renewable resources will aid future generations with their quality of life. The more renewable energy sources become the norm for our world, the more likely these sources will be second nature and common place in the future.

Americans have grown to rely heavily on electricity. However, state and federal policies have been increasingly

more insistent on curbing this reliance; especially, those sources that are produced by non-renewable fossil fuels such as oil and coal. Federal policy has set a goal that 20% of all electricity, by 2030, in the United States be from renewable sources. Renewable sources would include solar, wind, water, geothermal any number of other sources that have not yet been discovered or brought to production levels.

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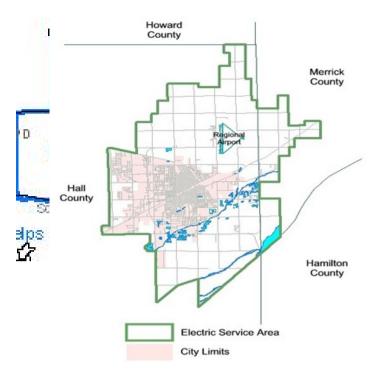
**Energy infrastructure** Electrical Power

majority of electrical power in Hall County, except for the cities of Grand Island and Wood

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#### Figure 1 Rural Public Power Districts in Hall County

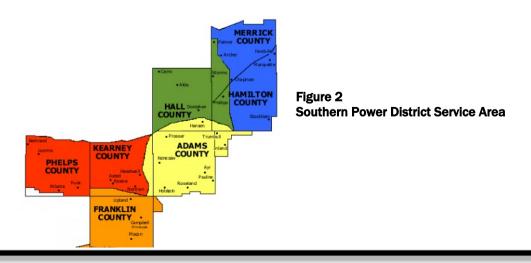


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Southern operates over 6,900 miles of distribution lines that are served by 73 substations located throughout the District's 4,028 square mile service area. Southern purchases all of its power from <u>Nebraska Public Power District</u> (NPPD) of Columbus, Nebraska.

Our chartered service area extends through the rural areas of seven counties: Adams, Franklin, Hall, Hamilton, Kearney, Merrick, Phelps, and a small portion of Clay County.

Southern also provides retail electric service to the towns highlighted on the map below. Source: (http://www.southernpd.com/servicearea.html)



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The city of Grand Island is served by Grand Island Utilities which maintains the distribution systems as well as generation for the city. The City of Wood River maintains their own distribution system while buying power wholesale through the Nebraska Municipal Power Pool (NMPP).

#### **Electrical Distribution**

The overall distribution system is in good condition. Typically the local rural power district continually upgrades the system and performing needed maintenance.

#### Natural Gas Service

Natural gas is available in parts of Hall County and is supplied by SourceGas.

### Energy Use by Sector

This section analyzes the energy use by residential, commercial, and industrial and other users. This section will examine the different types of energy sources that are utilized by in these different sectors.

#### **Residential Uses**

Within Hall County the residential uses are provided a number of options for both power and heating and cooling. These include electrical power, natural gas, oil, propane, and wood. The most dominate of the energy sources available and used by the residents of Hall County is electricity produced from both renewable resources and fossil fuels.

The use of natural gas, oil, propane and wood will be found typically as heating sources during the winter months. The type of fuel used will depend a great deal on where a residence is located within the county. Residents located within the more urban parts of Hall County are more likely to have natural gas heating or electrical furnaces. Propane and wood stoves are most likely to be found in the rural parts of the county where natural gas infrastructure is not available.

#### **Commercial Uses**

Hall County's commercial uses also have a number of options for both power and heating and cooling. These include electrical power (both fossil fuel and renewable resources), natural gas, propane, oil and wood. The type of energy source is very dependent upon the specific commercial use and the facilities employed to house the use. The most dominate of the energy sources that are available and used by the residents of Hall County is electricity produced from both fossil fuels and renewable resources.

The use of natural gas, oil, propane and wood in commercial structures are typically used as heating sources during the winter months. The type of fuel used will depend a great deal on the type of commercial use and the construction of the building(s) involved. Similar to residential uses, commercial uses located within the more urban parts of Hall County are more likely to have natural gas heating or electrical furnaces. Propane and wood stoves are most likely to be found in the rural parts of the county where natural gas infrastructure is not available. However, in commercial uses such as repair garages and other uses in larger metal buildings, they may be dependent upon recycling used motor oils to heat their facilities.

#### **Industrial Uses**

Hall County's industrial uses also have a number of options for both power and heating and cooling. These include electrical power (both fossil fuel and renewable resources), natural gas, diesel fuel, propane, oil and wood. The type of energy source is very dependent upon the specific industrial use and the facilities employed to house the use. The

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In some cases, diesel fuel can play a role in both power generation and heating and cooling. This is very dependent upon how a manufacturing facility is set up and how much electrical power they self-generate via diesel generators. In most cases, if diesel is used to heat and cool a building then it is done indirectly through the generation of electricity.

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### Short-term and Long-term Strategies

As the need and even regulatory requirements for energy conservation increases, residents of communities and even rural areas will need to:

- 1. Become even more conservative with energy usage
- 2. Make use of existing and future programs for retrofitting houses, businesses, and manufacturing plants
- 3. Increase their dependence on renewable energy sources.

#### **Residential Strategies**

There are a number of different strategies that can be undertaken to improve energy efficiency and usage in residences. These strategies range from simple (less costly) to complex (costly). Unfortunately not all of the solution will have an immediate return on investment. As individual property owners, residents will need to find strategies that fit into their ability to pay for savings at the present time.

There are several ways to make a residence more energy efficient. Some of the easiest include:

- Converting all incandescent light bulbs to Compact Florescent or LED bulbs
- Changing air filters more regularly
- Installing additional insulation in the attic
- Keeping thermostats set a cooler levels in the winter and higher levels in the summer
- Converting standard thermostats to digital/programmable thermostats
- Changing out older less efficient Air Conditioners and Furnaces to newer high-efficiency units
- Changing out older appliances with new energy efficient appliances

Some of the more costly ways to make a residence more energy efficient include:

- New insulation in exterior walls
- Addition of solar panels for either electrical conversion and/or water heater systems
- Adding individual scale wind energy conversion systems
- Installing geothermal heating and cooling system
- Installation of energy-efficient low-e windows

#### **Commercial and Industrial Strategies**

Strategies for energy efficiency within commercial and industrial facilities can be more difficult to achieve than those in for residential uses. Typically, these improvements will require a greater amount of investment due to the size of most of these facilities.

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There are several ways to make a commercial business more energy efficient. Some of the easiest include:

• Converting all incandescent light bulbs to Florescent Lights or Compact Florescent Lighting on small fixtures



- Keeping thermostats set a cooler levels in the winter and higher levels in the summer
- Converting standard thermostats to digital/programmable thermostats
- Installing additional insulation in an attic space
- Changing out older less efficient Air Conditioners and Furnaces to newer high-efficiency units

Some of the more costly ways to make a business more energy efficient include:

- Installation of energy-efficient windows and/or storefronts
- New insulation in exterior walls
- Addition of solar panels for either electrical conversion and/or water heater systems
- Adding individual scale wind energy conversion systems
- Installing geothermal heating and cooling system

## **Renewable Energy Sources**

Renewable energy sources are those natural resources such as the wind, sun, water, the earth (geothermal), and even methane (from natural resources or man-made situations) that can be used over and over again with minimal or no depletion. The most common sources of renewable energy resources used in Nebraska is the wind, the sun, the water and/or the earth. The following are examples of how these renewable resources can be used to reduce our dependency on fossil fuels.

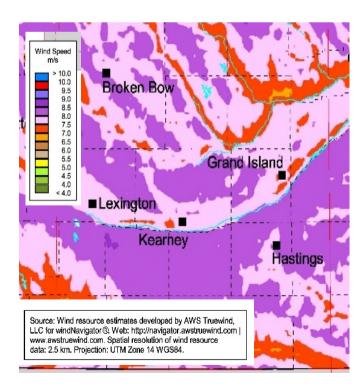
#### Wind

The wind is one of those resources that seem to be in abundance in Nebraska. Wind is not a new technology in Nebraska; the pioneers that settled in Nebraska used wind mills for power and to work the water wells on their farms and ranches.

Wind can be used to produce electricity through the construction of small-scale or utility/commercial grade wind conversion systems (wind turbines). However, not all areas of the state have the ideal levels needed to produce electricity on a utility or commercial level; but the use of small-scale wind turbines on homes and businesses will work in most parts of Nebraska.



#### Figure 3: Annual Average Wind Speed at 80 Meters Nebraska



The wind quality in Hall County is above average, especially south of the Platte River and into Adams County. The darker purple areas are the more ideal locations for wind. However, any future wind development will be determined with the use of meteorological towers used to compile wind data for approximately a one year period prior to making any future decisions.

#### Solar

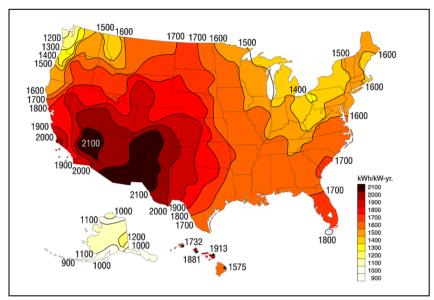
Solar energy has been around for decades and it last hit a high in popularity in the 1970's. However, today's solar energy design is much more efficient and are more aesthetically pleasing. Some of the aesthetic improvements have to do with the fact that today's systems are not as bulky as their ancestors. Today solar is being used much like wind turbines, on a small-scale level (home or business) or a much grander level (solar farms).

Solar energy includes solar water and space heating as well as taking solar photovoltaic panels to convert the sun's rays into electricity. Solar



panels can typically produce between 100 and 200 watts per square meter at an installed cost of \$7 to \$9 per watt, but these costs are becoming less every year as more solar units are commissioned and new more cost effective technologies are developed.

Based upon the diagram to the right there is great solar potential in the state of Nebraska. A majority of the state lies within some of the better areas in the country for solar potential.



#### **Geothermal Energy**

Geothermal energy includes a process where a series of pipes are lowered into vertical cores called heat-sink wells. The pipes carry a highly conductive fluid that either is heated or cooled by the constant temperature of the ground. The resulting heat exchange is then transferred back into the heating and cooling system of a home or other structure. This is call a geothermal heat exchange system or ground source heat pumps. The California Energy Commission estimates the costs of a geothermal system can earn net savings immediately when financed as part of a 30-year mortgage (*Source: American Planning Association, PAS Memo January/February 2009*).

#### **Methane Energy**

The use of methane to generate electricity is becoming more cost-effective to use within the rural areas of Nebraska. Methane electrical generation can be accomplished through the use of a methane digester which takes the raw gas, naturally generate from some form of waste material, and converts the gas into electrical power.

There have been some attempts to take the methane generated from animal manure and convert it into electricity; most have been successful but were costly to develop. Another approach to methane electrical generation is to tap into the methane being generated from a solid waste landfill; instead of burning off the methane, it can be piped into a methane convertor and generated into electricity for operating a manufacturing plant or placed on the overall grid for distribution.

Methane convertors make use of unwanted gases and are able to produce a viable product. As long as humans need to throw garbage into a landfill or the production of livestock is required, there will be a source of methane to tap for electrical generation.

In addition to converting methane into electricity, it can also provide a source of power by replacing natural gas as a heating source.

#### **Renewable Energy in Hall County**

Renewable energy in Grand Island and the Hall County area will be difficult now and into the future. The reasons for this difficulty is not rooted in the desire of the local residents or political reluctance but more due to nature itself. Nature and the lay of the land creates some very difficult situations for the use of wind energy or hydroelectric generation.

Wind generation will be difficult due to the migratory flyway that covers the Hall County area during a three to four month period in the spring and fall. Spring is the more critical period since the Hall County area is one of the major stopovers of the Sandhill Cranes and a limited number of Whooping Cranes. The Whooping Cranes are on the endangered species list and are protected. In addition, since the Whooping Cranes tend to fly north with the Sandhill Cranes, the Sandhill Cranes are afforded the same basic protections during this migratory period.

Any commercial or utility grade wind turbine development would likely need to be taken out of production during these periods. This shorter production time would likely harm the cost-effectiveness of most wind farms.

#### Figure 5: Spring Sandhill Crane Migration Pattern and Primary Nebraska Locations





www.cranetrust.org and http://outdoornebraska.ne.gov/conservation/wildlifeviewing/SandhillCranes/where2watchCranes.asp

Hydroelectric generation in Hall County is essentially not possible due to the flatter topography found throughout the county. There are few to no areas that could be dammed up in order to create a large enough water reservoir to power the turbines.

However, the other types of renewable energy sources are possible within Hall County, including geothermal, methane, and solar. Solar may create an issue near the primary migratory areas of Hall County.

### Energy Programs in Nebraska

The following provides a basic history and description of some newer programs in Nebraska; interested parties should contact the State of Nebraska Energy Office or their local public power district.

The following information is an excerpt from the Database of State Incentives for Renewables & Efficiency.

#### C-BED Program

In May 2007, Nebraska established an exemption from the sales and use tax imposed on the gross receipts from the sale, lease, or rental of personal property for use in a community-based energy development (C-BED) project. The Tax Commissioner is required to establish filing requirements to claim the exemption. In April 2008 L.B. 916 made several amendments to this incentive, including: (1) clarified C-BED ownership criteria to recognize ownership by partnerships, cooperatives and other pass-through entities; (2) clarified that the restriction on power purchase agreement payments should be calculated according to gross\* and not net receipts; (3) added language detailing the review authority of the Tax Commissioner and recovery of exempted taxes; and (4) defined local payments to include lease payments, easement payments, and real and personal property tax receipts from a C-BED project.

A C-BED project is defined as a new wind energy project that meets one of the following ownership conditions:

- For a C-BED project that consists of more than two turbines, the project is owned by qualified owners with no single qualified owner owning more than 15% of the project and with at least 33% of the power purchase agreement payments flowing to the qualified owner or owners or local community; or
- For a C-BED project that consists of one or two turbines, the project is owned by one or more qualified owners with at least 33% of the power purchase agreement payments flowing to a qualified owner or local community.

In addition, a resolution of support for the project must be adopted by the county board of each county in which the C-BED project is to be located or by the tribal council for a C-BED project located within the boundaries of an Indian reservation.

A qualified C-BED project owner means:

- a Nebraska resident;
- a limited liability company that is organized under the Limited Liability Company Act and that is entirely made up of members who are Nebraska residents;
- a Nebraska nonprofit corporation;
- an electric supplier(s), subject to certain limitations for a single C-BED project; or
- a tribal council.

In separate legislation (<u>LB 629</u>), also enacted in May 2007, Nebraska established the Rural Community-Based Energy Development Act to authorize and encourage electric utilities to enter into power purchase agreements with C-BED project developers.

\* LB 561 of 2009 established that gross power purchase agreement payments do not include debt financing if the agreement is entered into on or before December 31, 2011, and the qualified owners have a combined total of at least 33% of the equity ownership in the C-BED project.

#### Local Government and Renewable Energy Policies

Local governments need to take steps to encourage greater participation in wind generation. Cities and counties can do a number of items to make these projects more attractive. Some of the things that could be done are:

- Develop or amend existing zoning regulations to allow small-scale wind turbines as an accessory use in all districts
- Develop or amend existing zoning regulations to exempt small-scale turbines from maximum height requirements when attached to an existing or new structure.
- Work with the Nebraska Public Power District and/or local public power district on ways to use wind turbines on small-scale individual projects or as a source of power for the community.

#### Net Metering in Nebraska

LB 436, signed in May 2009, established statewide net metering rules for all electric utilities in Nebraska. The rules apply to electricity generating facilities which use solar, methane, wind, biomass, hydropower or geothermal energy, and have a rated capacity at or below 25 kilowatts (kW). Electricity produced by a qualified renewable energy system during a month shall be used to offset any kilowatt-hours (kWh) consumed at the premises during the month.

Any excess generation produced by the system during the month will be credited at the utility's avoided cost rate for that month and carried forward to the next billing period. Any excess remaining at the end of an annualized period will be paid out to the customer. Customers retain all renewable energy credits (RECs) associated with the electricity their system generates. Utilities are required to offer net metering until the aggregate generating capacity of all customer-generators equals one percent of the utility's average monthly peak demand for that year.

#### State Law of Solar and Wind Easements

Nebraska's solar and wind easement provisions allow property owners to create binding solar and wind easements for the purpose of protecting and maintaining proper access to sunlight and wind. Originally designed only to apply to solar, the laws were revised in March 1997 (Bill 140) to include wind. Counties and municipalities are permitted to develop zoning regulations, ordinances, or development plans that protect access to solar and wind energy resources if they choose to do so. Local governing bodies may also grant zoning variances to solar and wind energy systems that would be restricted under existing regulations, so long as the variance is not substantially detrimental to the public good.

LB 568, enacted in May 2009, made some revisions to the law and added additional provisions to govern the establishment and termination of wind agreements. Specifically, the bill provides that the initial term of a wind agreement may not exceed forty years. Additionally, a wind agreement will terminate if development has not commenced within ten years of the effective date of the wind agreement. If all parties involved agree to extend this period, however, the agreement may be extended.

### **Current Renewable Energy Programs and Funding Sources**

#### **Southern Power District Incentives**

Southern Power District offers several incentives for residential, commercial and agricultural customers. Some of these programs include:

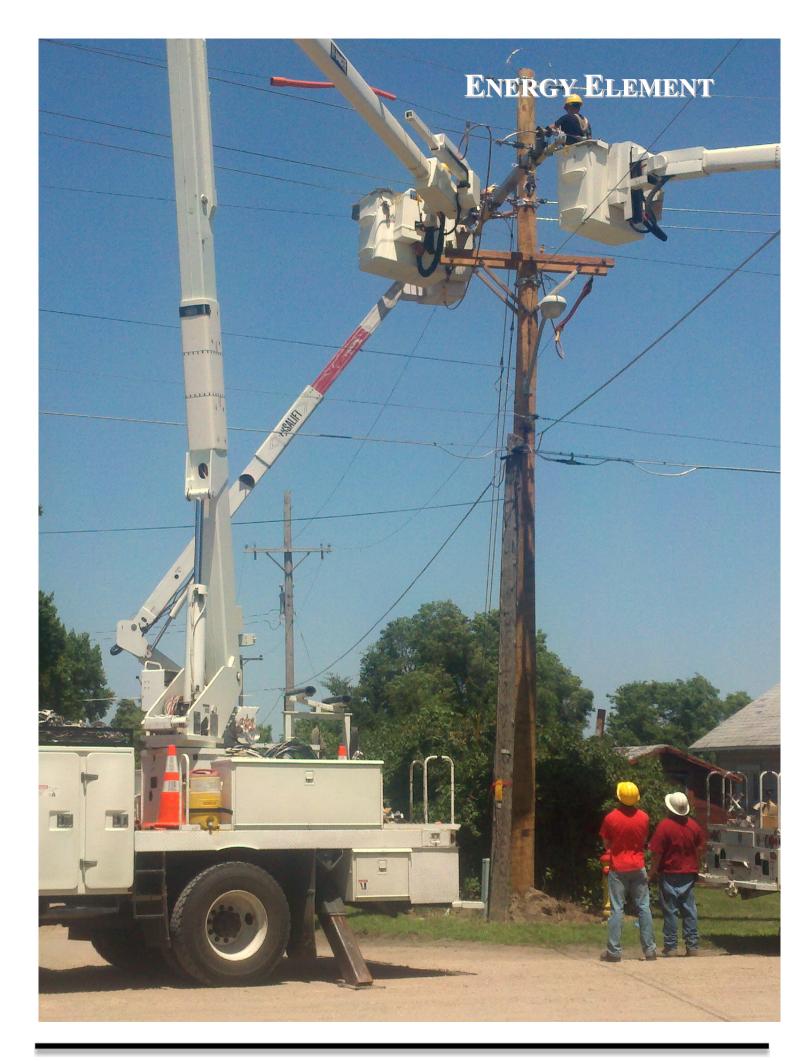
- LED lamp incentives for residential customers
- Cooling system tune-ups for residential customers

- Attic insulation program for residential customers
- High-efficiency heat pump program for residential customers
- Marathon water heater program for residential customers
- Commercial HVAC program for commercial customers
- HVAC system optimization program for commercial customers
- Commercial/Industrial lighting efficiency program for commercial customers
- Variable frequency drive incentive program for commercial customers
- Irrigation pump efficiency program for irrigation customers

A number of these programs are in conjunction with programs offered by Nebraska Public Power District. Customers need to with Southern Power District for current programs and procedures in order to qualify.

#### Low interest Loan Program

This program makes available low interest loans for residential and commercial energy efficiency improvements. The Nebraska Energy Office administers this program, which was created in 1990 using oil overcharge funds. Only improvements to existing buildings that are at least 5 years old are eligible for loan assistance. As of March 31, 2010, 25,618 loans have been made totaling \$205.3 million and financing \$210.8 million in eligible projects.



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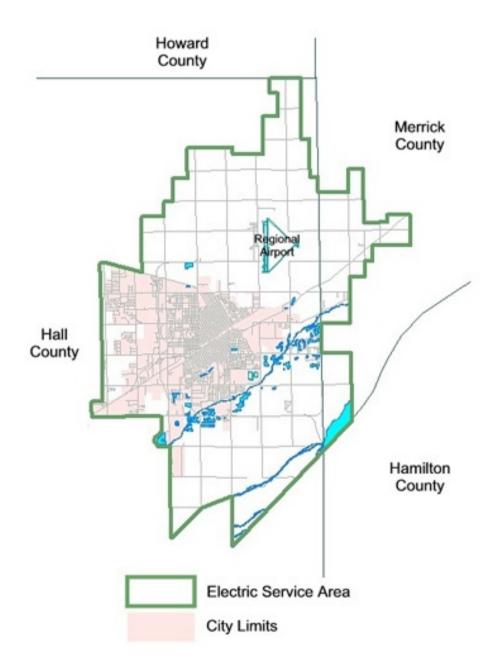
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#### Figure 1 Grand Island Electric Service Area

### Energy infrastructure

#### **Electrical Power**

Electrical power in Grand Island is supplied by Grand Island Utilities. Grand Island supplements their local generation by wholesale purchases from the Western Area Power Administration, the Nebraska Municipal Power Pool (MEAN), NPPD, and others through a contract with the Southwest Power Pool.

#### **Electrical Distribution**

#### **Overhead Division**

The Grand Island Utilities Department consists of seven divisions. One of these divisions is the Overhead Division. This division is responsible for the maintenance of existing overhead lines and construction of new overhead lines. All electricity delivered to our customers travels through overhead lines through at least part of its journey to homes and/or businesses.

To get electricity to our customers we generate power at one of our power plants. The power from these plants are delivered to customers via overhead power lines. Electrical power that is delivered to our customer travels via a complex path of distribution Substations, Overhead lines, Circuit Breakers, Transformers, Capacitors, Switches, Underground lines and Meters. Most of our customers are connected to power via overhead lines while newer installations are connected via underground lines.

The Grand Island Utilities Department has an on-going program to update and maintain its power distribution system. The primary distribution system voltage is 13,800 volts. The system has been upgraded over the years to increase dependability and to be able to provide a more stable supply of electricity to our customers. Included in the system upgrades were consideration for ice storms, wind storms and lightning, as well as public safety and environmental concerns. A well-engineered, heavy duty distribution system that can withstand destructive weather and yet meet the needs of a growing community using increasing amounts of electricity is a priority for us.

The Grand Island Utilities Overhead Division is responsible for 410.53 miles of overhead power lines in the service area. This system includes a total of 4,127 transformers.

#### **Underground Division**

The Underground Division of the Grand Island Utilities Department is responsible for the maintenance of existing underground power lines and the construction of new underground power lines. Almost all new services are installed underground. This includes services to both residential and commercial.

As part of the Grand Island Utilities Department's on-going efforts to update its system and increase its dependability and safety, some of the older distribution systems are being replaced with updated underground distribution systems. The City is replacing the older overhead lines with new underground lines as time allows. This is being done to improve the appearance of the area as well as improve safety and reliability to customers in the downtown business district.

The Grand Island Utilities Underground Division is responsible for 154.26 miles of underground power lines in the service area. This system includes a total of 2,301 transformers.

Source: (<u>http://www.grand-island.com/</u>)

#### **Electrical Generation**

#### C.W. Burdick Station

The C.W. Burdick Station is Grand Island's second power generating facility. It was named after Clarence W. Burdick, who was commissioner of the Grand Island Water, Light & Ice Dept. from October 6th, 1920 to November 30th, 1960. Mr. Burdick was a very progressive yet conservative director of utilities. He realized the importance of adequate and



dependable supplies of electricity and water. Burdick Station became the central location where Grand Island's electricity was generated and distributed from 1956 to 1981. Burdick Station also became the central control center for the pumping and quality control of Grand Island's domestic water supply.

Today Burdick Station is used primarily as a standby power generating facility and continues to be the central control center for Grand Island's domestic water supply. Burdick Station frequently produces power in the summer months as Nebraska's heat and humidity increases the demand for electricity above what Platte Generating Station (PGS) can supply. PGS serves the Grand Island service area as its primary power generator, as PGS uses abundant, inexpensive, low sulfur coal, and Burdick burns expensive natural gas and No. 6 fuel oil. Burdick Station has three combustion turbine units that use natural gas to operate. Generation from Burdick steam units for 2013 were 445,300 MWh while the generation from the combustion turbines was 863,210 MWh

Metered Rates Per Month	Unit No. 1	Unit No. 2	Unit No. 3	Gas Turbine No. 1	Gas Turbine No. 2	Gas Turbine No. 3
Year placed in service	1957	1963	1972	1968	2003	2003
Rated generation	16.5 mw	22 mw	54 mw	15 mw	40 mw	40 mw
Fuel	Nat. gas / No. 6 fuel oil	Nat. gas / No. 6 fuel oil	Nat. gas / No. 6 fuel oil	Nat. gas / No. 2 fuel oil	Nat. gas / No. 2 fuel oil	Nat. gas / No. 2 fuel oil
Make of turbine	Allis/Chalmers	Allis/Chalmers	General Electric	General Electric	General Electric	General Electric
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The C.W. Burdick Station will serve the citizens of Grand Island into the foreseeable future as continued maintenance and upgrades to systems at the plant are planned. New digital control systems that help maximize power production efficiency and monitor plant emissions have been installed for Unit No. 3 and gas turbine No. 1, and control upgrades have been made to Units No. 1 and No. 2.

#### **Platte Generating Station Location**

Platte Generating Station is located in Grand Island at the corner of Wildwood Drive and South Locust Street. From Interstate 80, exit 314, travel north on Locust Street for two miles. At Wildwood Drive, turn west and travel 1/2 miles to the main entrance. Platte Generating Station is open to the public by appointment only during our regular business hours of Monday through Friday (except holidays) from 7 AM to 3 PM. All visitors must check into the office located on the north side of main building (plant) immediately upon entering the site. Anyone planning to enter the plant site after regular business hours should make prior arrangements.



Platte Generating Station (PGS) was commissioned in 1982 and has provided reliable, low-cost electrical power to the community during the ensuing years.

PGS produces electrical power for approximately 60 percent of the national average cost. According to the Utility Data Institute, Platte Generating Station was ranked the 11th lowest-cost electricity producer among 707 power plants nation-wide from 1989 through 1993. PGS is consistently among the top 25 most efficient plants year-to-year. Among Nebraska cities, Grand Island's electrical rates are in the lowest fifth. The City's electrical power rate increased in 1979 and a 15% rate decrease was accomplished in 1989. The last increase was in 2007.

PGS burns approximately 364,600 tons of low-sulfur coal per year to produce about 500,000 megawatts hours.

Efficient and reliable service is attained through the acquisition of low-cost coal, and effective operation and maintenance practices. PGS has a staff of experienced, well-trained employees who have produced an enviable long-term plant operating record. The plant operates and is staffed continuously, including all holidays.

At full capacity, PGS produces 100 megawatts of electrical power which is enough to illuminate one million, 100 watt light bulbs. During most of the year, PGS provides enough power to satisfy customer demand. However, during peak demand periods, additional power is generated at the Burdick Power Station or purchased from other power producers.

Electrical power is generated at PGS in strict compliance with local, state, and federal environmental regulations. In fact, PGS's air emissions remain well below required levels. In order to produce "clean" electrical power, low sulfur coal from Wyoming's Powder River Basin is burned. Low sulfur coal reduces the formation of air pollutants. Additionally, an electrostatic precipitator is used at PGS to remove more than 99 percent of the ash created during the coal combustion process. Since January 1, 1995, a continuous emissions monitor (CEM) has been in service which documents PGS's minute-by-minute compliance with clean air regulations.

Most water used at PGS is ultimately returned to the Platte River, following verification that acceptable water discharge standards have been met. Plant systems are designed for water conservation. For example, steam used in the turbine is condensed back into water and reused, and water used for transporting ash is returned to the plant for re-cycling.



### Power Control

#### F. E. Phelps Control Center

The F. E. Phelps Control Center houses the Grand Island Utilities Departments power and water dispatch center as well as engineering and surveying departments of the Utilities Department. The center is named after past Utilities Director Frank E. Phelps.

The Phelps Control Center is manned 24 hours a day, seven days a week, including holidays. Primary electrical circuits that distribute power throughout Grand Island's Service Area is monitored and controlled from this location along

with power that is sold to other utilities. In the event of a power outage within the Grand Island Utilities Department service area, customers call the Phelps control center to report the outage.

Electrical energy that is used in your home or business follows a complex system starting with an electric power generating plant or "power plant" located in Grand Island and other places here in Nebraska. The power plant sends power to high voltage power lines. These lines are controlled with large switches called circuit breakers. The power is then reduced to a lower voltage with large transformers, then passes through more circuit breakers. Before the power is distributed to your home or business, another transformer is used to reduce the voltage down to a usable level.

The Phelps Control Center coordinates this process from beginning to end and monitors power at various points throughout the power grid via computer. Operation of system circuit breakers are operated by computer from Phelps Control as well.

Substation supervision and engineering, electrical distribution engineering and design, and water distribution engineering and design for the Grand Island Utilities Department share offices with the dispatching center at the Phelps Control Center.

*The previous three sections are direct excerpts taken from the Grand Island Utilities website* Source: (http://www.grand-island.com/)

#### **Natural Gas Service**

Natural gas is available in Grand Island is supplied by NorthWestern Energy.

### Energy Use by Sector

This section analyzes the energy use by residential, commercial, and industrial and other users. This section will examine the different types of energy sources that are utilized by these different sectors.

Table 1 shows the overall electricity usage by all consumers in Grand Island. The categories are reflective of the ones established by the City. The categories are defined as: Residential = all connections and demand by households in Grand Island Commercial = all retail and office users within Grand Island Industrial = all industrial users within Grand Island

Table 1: Total Electrical UsageGrand Island 2010 through 2012

	2010	2011	2012
Residential kWH	217,745,672	216,330,992	216,200,092
Residential % of Total	30.6	30.3	29.5
Commercial kWH	176,787,889	178,453,418	182,384,334
Commercial % of Total	24.9	24.9	24.9
Industrial kWH	316,163,022	320,264,771	333,611,638
Industrial % of Total	44.5	44.8	45.6
TOTAL kWH	710,696,383	715,049,181	732,196,064
Annual Change		0.61%	2.40%
Customer by Class:			
Residential	20,071	20,152	20,278
Commercial	4,249	4,280	4,308
Industrial	84	87	92
TOTAL	24,404	24,519	24,678

Source: Grand Island Utilities

Table 1 shows the usage of electricity throughout the Grand Island corporate limits from 2010 through 2012. The data indicate the usage by residential, commercial and industrial uses for the time period. In addition, the Table indicates the number of customers per sector.

Overall, from 2010 to 2012, the total consumption increased by 2.4% while the customer base increased by 1.12%, which would indicate some of the newer customers added during this period had larger electric consumption or that some of the existing customers increased their usage through additional floor area (commercial or industrial) or there was an increase in the production levels (industrial).

### **Residential Uses**

The data indicate the percent of total used by sector. The Table shows the overall percentage of the total electrical usage for residential customers went from 30.6% in 2010 to 29.5% in 2012; while the overall number of residential customers increased by 207 connections. From 2010 to 2012, the residential demand saw a decrease every year (-0.65% and -0.06% respectively).

The overall residential demand for this period decreased by -0.71%; however, the average per customer for the period saw a -1.71% change going from 10,848 kW in 2010 to 10,662 kW in 2012. These decreases would tend to suggest the following:

- More residential customers are becoming more conservation oriented
- More residential in turn are purchasing products which consume less energy
- More residential customers are making the switch between incandescent bulbs to Compact Fluorescent lights (CFL) or Light Diode Emitting bulbs (LED).
- Better energy efficiency measures are be implemented in construction and remodels.
- A combination of all these items.

### **Commercial Uses**

Grand Island's commercial customers from 2010 to 2012 remained steady as to the proportion of the energy used, holding at 24.9% of the total consumption. Based upon the data from Grand Island Utilities, the overall commercial consumption increased by 3.17% while the total customer base increased by 1.39% during the time period indicated. These data indicate that the increased consumption was nearly double that of the increase in customer base. This indicates a couple of different dynamics may be occurring:

- Existing commercial customers are increasing the amount of electricity they require.
- Existing commercial customers have increased their space used to provide goods and services.
- The new commercial customers are higher than average electric consumers.
- A combination of all these items.

### **Industrial Uses**

Industrial electrical consumption in Grand Island went from 44.5% of the total consumption in 2010 to 45.6% in 2012. The data in Table 1 indicate that the total consumption increased by 5.52% between 2010 and 2012; while the total number of industrial customers increased by 9.5%. Therefore, the increasing consumption actually grew at a slower rate than the number of customers. This indicates several potential possibilities:

- The new industrial customers were low consumption businesses.
- A combination of new industrial customers and existing industrial customers implementing conservation measures.
- Existing customers implementing conservation measures
- A combination of all these items.

# Short-term and Long-term Strategies

As the need and even regulatory requirements for energy conservation increases, residents of communities and even rural areas will need to:

- 1. Become even more conservative with energy usage
- 2. Make use of existing and future programs for retrofitting houses, businesses, and manufacturing plants
- 3. Increase their use of renewable energy sources.

### **Residential Strategies**

There are a number of different strategies that can be undertaken to improve energy efficiency and usage in residences. These strategies range from simple (less costly) to complex (costly). Unfortunately not all of the solution will have an immediate return on investment. As individual property owners, residents will need to find strategies that fit into their ability to pay for savings at the present time.

There are several ways to make a residence more energy efficient. Some of the easiest include:

- Converting all incandescent light bulbs to Compact Florescent or LED bulbs
- Changing air filters more regularly
- Installing additional insulation in the attic
- Keeping thermostats set a cooler levels in the winter and higher levels in the summer
- Converting standard thermostats to digital/programmable thermostats
- Changing out older less efficient Air Conditioners and Furnaces to newer high-efficiency units
- Changing out older appliances with new Energy Star appliances

Some of the more costly ways to make a residence more energy efficient include:

- New insulation in exterior walls
- Addition of solar panels for either electrical conversion and/or water heater systems in cooperation with Grand Island Utilities and in compliance with the local zoning codes.
- Adding individual scale wind energy conversion systems in cooperation with Grand Island Utilities and in compliance with the local zoning codes.
- Installing geothermal heating and cooling system in cooperation with Grand Island Utilities and in compliance with the local zoning codes.
- Installation of energy-efficient low-e windows

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- Installing additional insulation in an attic space
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# **Renewable Energy Sources**

Renewable energy sources are those natural resources such as the wind, sun, water, the earth (geothermal), and even methane (from natural resources or man-made situations) that can be used over and over again with minimal or no depletion. The most common sources of renewable energy resources used in Nebraska is the wind, the sun, the water and/or the earth. The following are examples of how these renewable resources can be used to reduce our dependency on fossil fuels.



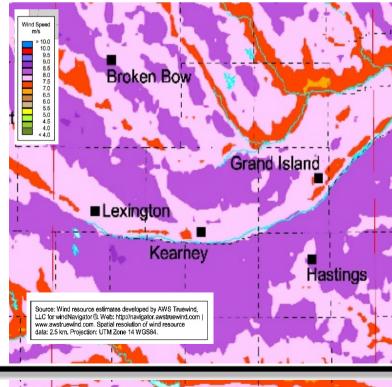
### Wind

The wind is one of those resources that seem to be in abundance in Nebraska. Wind is not a new technology in Nebraska; the pioneers that settled in Nebraska used wind mills for power and to work the water wells on their farms and ranches.

Wind can be used to produce electricity through the construction of small-scale or utility/commercial grade wind conversion systems (wind turbines). However, not all areas of the state have the ideal levels needed to produce electricity on a utility or commercial level; but the use of small-scale wind turbines on homes and businesses will work in most parts of Nebraska.



### Figure 3: ANNUAL AVERAGE WIND SPEED AT 80 METERS NEBRASKA



The wind quality in Grand Island and Hall County is average to above average, especially south of the Platte River and into Adams County. The darker purple areas are the more ideal locations for wind. However, any future wind development will be determined with the use of meteorological towers used to compile wind data for approximately a one year period prior to making any future decisions.

### Solar

Solar energy has been around for decades and it last hit a high in popularity in the 1970's. However, today's solar energy design is much more efficient and are more aesthetically pleasing. Some of the aesthetic improvements have to do with the fact that today's systems are not as bulky as their ancestors. Today solar is being used much like wind turbines, on a small-scale level (home or business) or a much grander level (solar farms).



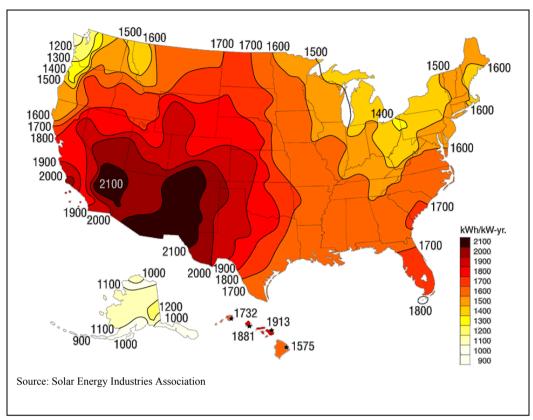
Solar energy includes solar water and space heating as well as taking solar photovoltaic panels to convert the sun's rays into electricity. Solar

panels can typically produce between 100 and 200 watts per square meter at an installed cost of \$7 to \$9 per watt, but these costs are becoming less every year as more solar units are commissioned and new more cost effective technologies are developed.

Based upon the diagram to the right there is great solar potential in the state of Nebraska. A majority of the state lies within some of the better areas in the country for solar potential.

Figure 4:

### SOLAR POTENTIAL CONTOURS



### **Geothermal Energy**

Geothermal energy includes a process where a series of pipes are lowered into vertical cores called heat-sink wells. The pipes carry a highly conductive fluid that either is heated or cooled by the constant temperature of the ground. The resulting heat exchange is then transferred back into the heating and cooling system of a home or other structure. This is call a geothermal heat exchange system or ground source heat pumps. The California Energy Commission estimates the costs of a geothermal system can earn net savings immediately when financed as part of a 30-year mortgage (*Source: American Planning Association, PAS Memo January/February 2009*).

### **Renewable Energy in Hall County**

Renewable energy in Grand Island and the Hall County area will be difficult now and into the future. The reasons for this difficulty is not rooted in the desire of the local residents or political reluctance but more due to nature itself. Nature and the lay of the land creates some very difficult situations for the use of wind energy or hydroelectric generation.

Wind generation will be difficult due to the migratory flyway that covers the Hall County area during a three to four

month period in the spring and fall. Spring is the more critical period since the Hall County area is one of the major stopovers of the Sandhill Cranes and a limited number of Whooping Cranes. The Whooping Cranes are on the endangered species list and are protected. In addition, since the Whooping Cranes tend to fly north with the Sandhill Cranes, the Sandhill Cranes are afforded the same basic protections during this migratory period. Any commercial or utility grade wind turbine development would likely need to be taken out of production during these periods. This shorter production time would likely harm the cost-effectiveness of most wind farms.

### Figure 5: Spring Sandhill Crane Migration Pattern and Primary Nebraska Locations





Source: <u>www.cranetrust.org</u> and <u>http://outdoornebraska.ne.gov/conservation/wildlife-</u> <u>viewing/SandhillCranes/where2watchCranes.asp</u>

Hydroelectric generation in Grand Island and Hall County area is not practical and is nearly impossible due to the flatter topography found throughout the area. There are few to no areas that could be dammed up in order to create a large enough water reservoir to power the turbines.

Geothermal systems, due to the prevalence of a high water table and extensive industrial ground water contamination in and around Grand Island requires that caution, and good engineering controls should be implemented when considering geothermal installations.

However, the other types of renewable energy sources are possible within Hall County, including geothermal (with special engineering considerations), methane, and solar. Solar may create some issues closer to the primary migratory areas of Hall County.

# Energy Programs in Nebraska

The following provides a basic history and description of some newer programs in Nebraska; interested parties should contact the State of Nebraska Energy Office or their local public power district.

The following information is an excerpt from the Database of State Incentives for Renewables & Efficiency.

### C-BED Program

In May 2007, Nebraska established an exemption from the sales and use tax imposed on the gross receipts from the sale, lease, or rental of personal property for use in a community-based energy development (C-BED) project. The Tax Commissioner is required to establish filing requirements to claim the exemption. In April 2008 L.B. 916 made several amendments to this incentive, including: (1) clarified C-BED ownership criteria to recognize ownership by partnerships, cooperatives and other pass-through entities; (2) clarified that the restriction on power purchase agreement payments should be calculated according to gross\* and not net receipts; (3) added language detailing the review authority of the Tax Commissioner and recovery of exempted taxes; and (4) defined local payments to include lease payments, easement payments, and real and personal property tax receipts from a C-BED project.

A C-BED project is defined as a new wind energy project that meets one of the following ownership conditions:

- For a C-BED project that consists of more than two turbines, the project is owned by qualified owners with no single qualified owner owning more than 15% of the project and with at least 33% of the power purchase agreement payments flowing to the qualified owner or owners or local community; or
- For a C-BED project that consists of one or two turbines, the project is owned by one or more qualified owners with at least 33% of the power purchase agreement payments flowing to a qualified owner or local community.

In addition, a resolution of support for the project must be adopted by the county board of each county in which the C-BED project is to be located or by the tribal council for a C-BED project located within the boundaries of an Indian reservation.

A qualified C-BED project owner means:

- a Nebraska resident;
- a limited liability company that is organized under the Limited Liability Company Act and that is entirely made up of members who are Nebraska residents;
- a Nebraska nonprofit corporation;
- an electric supplier(s), subject to certain limitations for a single C-BED project; or
- a tribal council.

In separate legislation (<u>LB 629</u>), also enacted in May 2007, Nebraska established the Rural Community-Based Energy Development Act to authorize and encourage electric utilities to enter into power purchase agreements with C-BED project developers.

\* LB 561 of 2009 established that gross power purchase agreement payments do not include debt financing if the agreement is entered into on or before December 31, 2011, and the qualified owners have a combined total of at least 33% of the equity ownership in the C-BED project.

### Local Government and Renewable Energy Policies

Local governments need to take steps to encourage greater participation in wind generation. Cities and counties can do a number of items to make these projects more attractive. Some of the things that could be done are:

- Develop or amend existing zoning regulations to allow small-scale wind turbines as an accessory use in all districts
- Develop or amend existing zoning regulations to exempt small-scale turbines from maximum height requirements when attached to an existing or new structure.
- Work with the local public power utility on ways to use wind turbines on small-scale individual projects or as a source of power for the community.

### Net Metering in Nebraska

<u>LB 436</u>, signed in May 2009, established statewide net metering rules for all electric utilities in Nebraska. The rules apply to electricity generating facilities which use solar, methane, wind, biomass, hydropower or geothermal energy, and have a rated capacity at or below 25 kilowatts (kW). Electricity produced by a qualified renewable energy system during a month shall be used to offset any kilowatt-hours (kWh) consumed at the premises during the month.

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### State Law of Solar and Wind Easements

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commenced within ten years of the effective date of the wind agreement. If all parties involved agree to extend this period, however, the agreement may be extended.

# **Current Renewable Energy Programs and Funding Sources**

### **Grand Island Utility Incentives**

Grand Island Utilities has one incentive program available, which eliminates older refrigerators and freezers. By doing so the Utility will pay customers for removing these older appliances.

### Low interest Loan Program

This program makes available low interest loans for residential and commercial energy efficiency improvements. The Nebraska Energy Office administers this program, which was created in 1990 using oil overcharge funds. Only improvements to existing buildings that are at least 5 years old are eligible for loan assistance. As of March 31, 2010, 25,618 loans have been made totaling \$205.3 million and financing \$210.8 million in eligible projects.

# **ENERGY ELEMENT**



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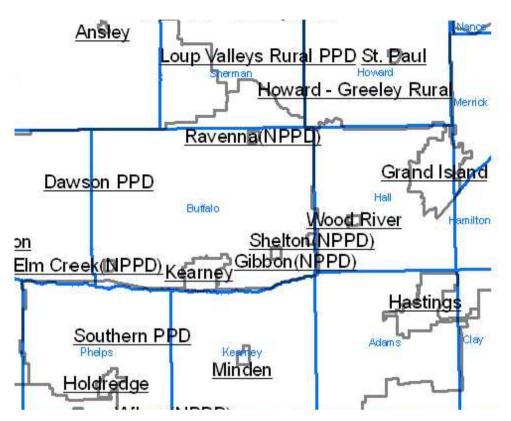
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Americans have grown to rely heavily on electricity. However, and federal state policies have been increasingly more insistent on curbing this reliance; especially, those sources that are produced by nonrenewable fossil fuels such as oil and coal. Federal policy has set a goal that 20% of all electricity, by 2030, in the United States be from renewable sources. Renewable sources would include wind, water. solar,

geothermal and any number of other sources that have not yet been discovered or brought to production levels.

### Figure 1 Wood River Electric Service Area



Source: http://www.powerreview.nebraska.gov/maps/South%20Central%20Munis%20Map%20\_5-1-09\_.pdf

# Energy infrastructure

### **Electrical Power**

The electrical power distribution system in Wood River is owned and operated by Wood River Utility Department. The city purchases their wholesale electricity from the Nebraska Energy Agency of Nebraska (MEAN) which is an entity Nebraska Municipal Power Pool and the Western Area Power Administration (WAPA).

## Natural Gas Service

Natural gas is available in Wood River is supplied by Source Gas.

# Energy Use by Sector

This section analyzes the energy use by residential, commercial, and industrial and other users. This section will examine the different types of energy sources that are utilized by these different sectors.

Table 1 shows the overall electricity usage by all consumers in Wood River. The categories are reflective of the ones established by the City. The categories are defined as: Residential = all connections and demand by households in Wood River Commercial = all retail and office users within Wood River Industrial = all industrial users within Wood River

# Table 1: Total Electrical UsageWood River 2011 through 2013

	2011	2012	2013
Residential kWH	6,310,088	6,096,841	6,193,882
Residential % of Total	52.4%	51.6%	50.4%
Commercial kWH	5,729,422	5,713,986	6,093,765
Commercial % of Total	47.6%	48.4%	49.6%
Industrial kWH	0	0	0
Industrial % of Total	0	0	0
TOTAL kWH	12,039,510	11,810,827	12,287,647
Annual Change		-1.9%	4.0%
Customer by Class:			
Residential	509	512	538
Commercial	152	144	161
Industrial	0	0	0
TOTAL	661	656	699

Source: Wood River Utilities

Table 1 shows the usage of electricity throughout the Wood River service area from 2011 through 2013. The data indicate the usage by residential, commercial and industrial uses for the time period. In addition, the Table indicates the number of customers per sector.

Overall, from 2011 to 2013, the total consumption increased by 4.0% while the customer base increased by 5.7%, which indicates that the number of customers increased a greater level than the overall electrical consumption. This would typically indicate that there were conservation measures being taken by consumers.

### **Residential Uses**

The data indicate the percent of total used by sector. The Table shows the overall percentage of the total electrical usage for residential customers went from 52.4% in 2011 to 50.4% in 2013; while the overall number of residential customers increased by 29 connections. From 2011 to 2013, the residential demand saw an overall decrease; however, there was an increase of consumption from 2012 to 2013.

The overall residential demand for this period changed by -1.8%; however, the average per customer for the period saw a -7.6% change going from 12,397 kW in 2011 to 11,513 kW in 2013. These decreases would tend to suggest the following:

- More residential customers are becoming more conservation oriented
- More residential in turn are purchasing Energy Star products which consume less energy
- More residential customers are making the switch between incandescent bulbs to Compact Fluorescent lights (CFL) or Light Diode Emitting bulbs (LED).
- Better energy efficiency measures are be implemented in construction and remodels.
- A combination of all these items.

### **Commercial Uses**

Wood River's commercial customers from 2011 to 2013 increased slightly from 47.6% of the total consumption to nearly 50% of the consumption. Based upon the data from Wood River Utilities, the overall commercial consumption increased by 6.4%% while the total customer base increased by 2.1% during the same time period. These data indicate that the increased consumption was over triple the increase in customer base. This indicates a couple of different dynamics may be occurring:

- Existing commercial customers are increasing the amount of electricity they require.
- Existing commercial customers have increased their space used to provide goods and services.
- The new commercial customers are higher than average electric consumers.
- A combination of all of these.

# Short-term and Long-term Strategies

As the need and even regulatory requirements for energy conservation increases, residents of communities and even rural areas will need to:

- 1. Become even more conservative with energy usage
- 2. Make use of existing and future programs for retrofitting houses, businesses, and manufacturing plants



3. Increase their use of renewable energy sources.

### **Residential Strategies**

There are a number of different strategies that can be undertaken to improve energy efficiency and usage in residences. These strategies range from simple (less costly) to complex (costly). Unfortunately not all of the solution will have an immediate return on investment. As individual property owners, residents will need to find strategies that fit into their ability to pay for savings at the present time.

There are several ways to make a residence more energy efficient. Some of the easiest include:

- Converting all incandescent light bulbs to Compact Florescent or LED bulbs
- Changing air filters more regularly
- Installing additional insulation in the attic
- Keeping thermostats set a cooler levels in the winter and higher levels in the summer
- Converting standard thermostats to digital/programmable thermostats
- Changing out older less efficient Air Conditioners and Furnaces to newer high-efficiency units
- Changing out older appliances with new more energy-efficient appliances

Some of the more costly ways to make a residence more energy efficient include:

- New insulation in exterior walls
- Addition of solar panels for either electrical conversion and/or water heater systems in cooperation with Wood River Utilities and in compliance with the local zoning codes.
- Adding individual scale wind energy conversion systems in cooperation with Wood River Utilities and in compliance with the local zoning codes.
- Installing geothermal heating and cooling system in cooperation with Wood River Utilities and in compliance with the local zoning codes.
- Installation of energy-efficient low-e windows

### **Commercial Strategies**

Strategies for energy efficiency within commercial facilities can be more difficult to achieve than those for residential uses. Typically, these improvements will require a greater amount of investment due to the size of most of these facilities.

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There are several ways to make a commercial business more energy efficient. Some of the easiest include:

- Converting all incandescent light bulbs to Florescent Lights, Compact Florescent Lighting, or LED on small fixtures
- Keeping thermostats set a cooler levels in the winter and higher levels in the summer
- Converting standard thermostats to digital/programmable thermostats
- Installing additional insulation in an attic space
- Changing out older less efficient Air Conditioners and Furnaces to newer high-efficiency units

Some of the more costly ways to make a business more energy efficient include:

- Installation of energy-efficient windows and/or storefronts
- New insulation in exterior walls, if possible
- Addition of solar panels for either electrical conversion and/or water heater systems in cooperation with Wood River Utilities and in compliance with the local zoning codes.
- Adding individual scale wind energy conversion systems in cooperation with Wood River Utilities and in compliance with the local zoning codes.
- Installing geothermal heating and cooling system in cooperation with Wood River Utilities and in compliance with the local zoning codes.

# **Renewable Energy Sources**

Renewable energy sources are those natural resources such as the wind, sun, water, the earth (geothermal), and even methane (from



natural resources or man-made situations) that can be used over and over again with minimal or no depletion. The most common sources of renewable energy resources used in Nebraska is the wind, the sun, the water and/or the earth. The following are examples of how these renewable resources can be used to reduce our dependency on fossil fuels.

### Wind

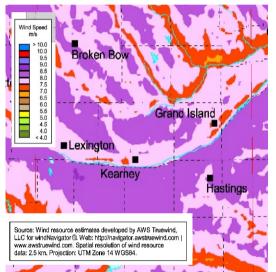
The wind is one of those resources that seem to be in abundance in Nebraska. Wind is not a new technology in Nebraska; the pioneers that settled in Nebraska used wind mills for power and to work the water wells on their farms and ranches.

Wind can be used to produce electricity through the construction of small-scale or utility/commercial grade wind conversion systems (wind turbines). However, not all areas of the state have the ideal levels needed to produce electricity on a utility or commercial level; but the use of small-scale wind turbines on homes and businesses will work in most parts of Nebraska.



### Figure 3:





The wind quality in Wood River and Hall County is average to slightly above average, especially south of the Platte River and into Adams County. The darker purple areas are the more ideal locations for wind. However, any future wind development will be determined with the use of meteorological towers used to compile wind data for approximately a one year period prior to making any future decisions.

### Solar

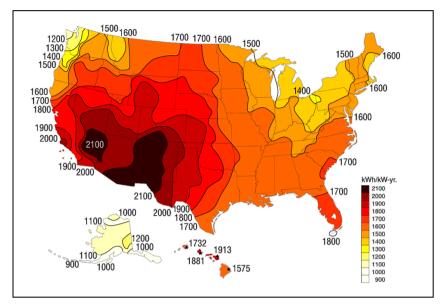
Solar energy has been around for decades and it last hit a high in popularity in the 1970's. However, today's solar energy design is much more efficient and are more aesthetically pleasing. Some of the aesthetic improvements have to do with the fact that today's systems are not as bulky as their ancestors. Today solar is being used much like wind turbines, on a small-scale level (home or business) or a much grander level (solar farms).

Solar energy includes solar water and space heating as well as taking solar photovoltaic panels to convert the sun's rays into electricity. Solar



panels can typically produce between 100 and 200 watts per square meter at an installed cost of \$7 to \$9 per watt, but these costs are becoming less every year as more solar units are commissioned and new more cost effective technologies are developed.

Based upon the diagram to the right there is great solar potential in the state of Nebraska. A majority of the state lies within some of the better areas in the country for solar potential.



### **Geothermal Energy**

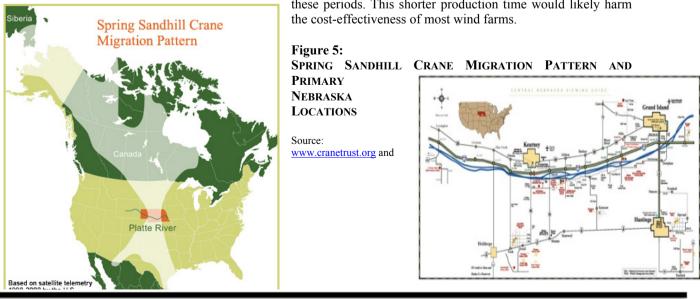
Geothermal energy includes a process where a series of pipes are lowered into vertical cores called heat-sink wells. The pipes carry a highly conductive fluid that either is heated or cooled by the constant temperature of the ground. The resulting heat exchange is then transferred back into the heating and cooling system of a home or other structure. This is call a geothermal heat exchange system or ground source heat pumps. The California Energy Commission estimates the costs of a geothermal system can earn net savings immediately when financed as part of a 30-year mortgage (Source: American Planning Association, PAS Memo January/February 2009).

### Renewable Energy in Wood River and the Hall County area

Renewable energy in Wood River and the Hall County area will be difficult now and into the future. The reasons for this difficulty is not rooted in the desire of the local residents or political reluctance but more due to nature itself. Nature and the lay of the land creates some very difficult situations for the use of wind energy or hydroelectric generation.

Wind generation will be difficult due to the migratory flyway that covers the Hall County area during a three to four month period in the spring and fall. Spring is the more critical period since the Hall County area is one of the major stopovers of the Sandhill Cranes and a limited number of Whooping Cranes. The Whooping Cranes are on the endangered species list and are protected. In addition, since the Whooping Cranes tend to fly north with the Sandhill Cranes, the Sandhill Cranes are afforded the same basic protections during this migratory period.

Any commercial or utility grade wind turbine development would likely need to be taken out of production during



these periods. This shorter production time would likely harm

Hydroelectric generation in Wood River and Hall County area is not practical and is nearly impossible due to the flatter topography found throughout the area. There are few to no areas that could be dammed up in order to create a large enough water reservoir to power the turbines.

However, the other types of renewable energy sources are possible within Hall County, including geothermal, methane, and solar. Solar may create some issues closer to the primary migratory areas of Hall County.

## Energy Programs in Nebraska

The following provides a basic history and description of some newer programs in Nebraska; interested parties should contact the State of Nebraska Energy Office or their local public power district.

The following information is an excerpt from the Database of State Incentives for Renewables & Efficiency.

### **C-BED Program**

In May 2007, Nebraska established an exemption from the sales and use tax imposed on the gross receipts from the sale, lease, or rental of personal property for use in a community-based energy development (C-BED) project. The Tax Commissioner is required to establish filing requirements to claim the exemption. In April 2008 L.B. 916 made several amendments to this incentive, including: (1) clarified C-BED ownership criteria to recognize ownership by partnerships, cooperatives and other pass-through entities; (2) clarified that the restriction on power purchase agreement payments should be calculated according to gross\* and not net receipts; (3) added language detailing the review authority of the Tax Commissioner and recovery of exempted taxes; and (4) defined local payments to include lease payments, easement payments, and real and personal property tax receipts from a C-BED project.

A C-BED project is defined as a new wind energy project that meets one of the following ownership conditions:

- For a C-BED project that consists of more than two turbines, the project is owned by qualified owners with no single qualified owner owning more than 15% of the project and with at least 33% of the power purchase agreement payments flowing to the qualified owner or owners or local community; or
- For a C-BED project that consists of one or two turbines, the project is owned by one or more qualified owners with at least 33% of the power purchase agreement payments flowing to a qualified owner or local community.

In addition, a resolution of support for the project must be adopted by the county board of each county in which the C-BED project is to be located or by the tribal council for a C-BED project located within the boundaries of an Indian reservation.

A qualified C-BED project owner means:

- a Nebraska resident;
- a limited liability company that is organized under the Limited Liability Company Act and that is entirely made up of members who are Nebraska residents;
- a Nebraska nonprofit corporation;
- an electric supplier(s), subject to certain limitations for a single C-BED project; or
- a tribal council.

In separate legislation (LB 629), also enacted in May 2007, Nebraska established the Rural Community-Based Energy Development Act to authorize and encourage electric utilities to enter into power purchase agreements with C-BED project developers.

\* LB 561 of 2009 established that gross power purchase agreement payments do not include debt financing if the agreement is entered into on or before December 31, 2011, and the qualified owners have a combined total of at least 33% of the equity ownership in the C-BED project.

### Local Government and Renewable Energy Policies

Local governments need to take steps to encourage greater participation in wind generation. Cities and counties can do a number of items to make these projects more attractive. Some of the things that could be done are:

- Develop or amend existing zoning regulations to allow small-scale wind turbines as an accessory use in all districts
- Develop or amend existing zoning regulations to exempt small-scale turbines from maximum height requirements when attached to an existing or new structure.
- Work with the Nebraska Public Power District and/or local public power district on ways to use wind turbines on small-scale individual projects or as a source of power for the community.

### Net Metering in Nebraska

<u>LB 436</u>, signed in May 2009, established statewide net metering rules for all electric utilities in Nebraska. The rules apply to electricity generating facilities which use solar, methane, wind, biomass, hydropower or geothermal energy, and have a rated capacity at or below 25 kilowatts (kW). Electricity produced by a qualified renewable energy system during a month shall be used to offset any kilowatt-hours (kWh) consumed at the premises during the month.

Any excess generation produced by the system during the month will be credited at the utility's avoided cost rate for that month and carried forward to the next billing period. Any excess remaining at the end of an annualized period will be paid out to the customer. Customers retain all renewable energy credits (RECs) associated with the electricity their system generates. Utilities are required to offer net metering until the aggregate generating capacity of all customer-generators equals one percent of the utility's average monthly peak demand for that year.

### State Law of Solar and Wind Easements

Nebraska's solar and wind easement provisions allow property owners to create binding solar and wind easements for the purpose of protecting and maintaining proper access to sunlight and wind. Originally designed only to apply to solar, the laws were revised in March 1997 (Bill 140) to include wind. Counties and municipalities are permitted to develop zoning regulations, ordinances, or development plans that protect access to solar and wind energy resources if they choose to do so. Local governing bodies may also grant zoning variances to solar and wind energy systems that would be restricted under existing regulations, so long as the variance is not substantially detrimental to the public good.

LB 568, enacted in May 2009, made some revisions to the law and added additional provisions to govern the establishment and termination of wind agreements. Specifically, the bill provides that the initial term of a wind agreement may not exceed forty years. Additionally, a wind agreement will terminate if development has not commenced within ten years of the effective date of the wind agreement. If all parties involved agree to extend this period, however, the agreement may be extended.

# **Current Renewable Energy Programs and Funding Sources**

### Low interest Loan Program

This program makes available low interest loans for residential and commercial energy efficiency improvements. The Nebraska Energy Office administers this program, which was created in 1990 using oil overcharge funds. Only improvements to existing buildings that are at least 5 years old are eligible for loan assistance. As of March 31, 2010, 25,618 loans have been made totaling \$205.3 million and financing \$210.8 million in eligible projects.