

# Republican River Basin-Wide Plan March Coordination Meeting Notes

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*Tuesday, March 20, 2018 10:30 AM – 2:00 PM*  
*Tri-Basin Natural Resources District – 1723 Burlington Street, Holdrege, NE*

## Attendance

Todd Siel (LRNRD)	Jennifer Schellpeper (NeDNR)	Craig Scott (LRNRD)
Scott Dicke (LRNRD)	Jack Russell (MRNRD)	Sylvia Johnson (MRNRD)
Nate Jenkins (URNRD)	Jeff Fassett (NeDNR)	Dale Helms (Stakeholder)
John Thorburn (TBNRD)	Brian Harmon (NeDNR)	
Carol Flaute (NeDNR)	Patti Banks (Vireo)	

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NeDNR received extension letters from each NRD to extend the plan deadline to April 17, 2019, to allow time after stakeholder approval for the required public hearing and plan adoption process. NeDNR has responded with letters, which the NRDs should receive soon.

NeDNR and NRDs discussed which sections of the plan were ready to be sent to stakeholders in advance of the June 1<sup>st</sup> Stakeholder Advisory Committee meeting after discussion and review from this meeting. These sections include: the Introduction, Funding, Glossary, Management History appendix, Plan Development appendix, 2018-2022 Allocations appendix, Watershed Management Presentation Materials appendix, and Local Hydrology appendix.

NeDNR and the NRDs discussed the Measurable Hydrologic Objectives, and their location within the plan. NeDNR and NRDs reviewed the Pumping Reductions handout for the upcoming June 1<sup>st</sup> Stakeholder Advisory Committee meeting. Additionally, the Goals and Objectives and Glossary sections were discussed.

Upcoming meetings include a NeDNR/NRD Coordination meeting on April 12, 2018, a Stakeholder Advisory Committee meeting on June 1, 2018, and a tentative Stakeholder Advisory Committee meeting on June 26, 2018.