



AGENDA

**Lower Platte River Basin Water Management Plan Coalition
Technical Committee Meeting
June 18, 2015, 10:00 to 1:00 P.M.
Offices of Lower Elkhorn NRD
601 E. Benjamin Ave., Suite 101, Norfolk, NE**

- I. Introductions and Administrative Items
- II. Recap of June 3, 2015 Management Committee Meeting and Discussions (handout)
- III. Basinwide Accounting Concept
 - a. Accounting fundamentals/tie to fully appropriated basin methodology
 - b. Current status/estimates of supplies and uses for Lower Platte/Loup/Elkhorn basins
 - c. Approaches for accounting/monitoring
 - i. Water supply scenario for allowable additional use
 - ii. % of allowable additional use to allow over next 5 years
 - d. Example project accounting
- IV. Goals/Objectives/Action Items – refining and detail (adding measurable and timing elements to current goals and objectives)
- V. Anticipated topics to cover at second water banking workshop
 - a. Review the purpose of the Coalition - review of what Coalition is and what it is not.
 - b. Review and discuss the goals of water banking
 - c. Discuss concept for a common basin accounting method to quantify supplies and demands by basin/ NRD
 - d. Discuss estimating the amount of “excess supply” or “allowable future development” by basin/NRD
 - e. Discuss how this would be used as a baseline by each NRD going forward under the basinwide plan.
 - f. Implementation/water management by each NRD based on items (c) through (e) (Framework agreed to at Coalition level – implementation at NRD level)
- VI. Next Technical Committee meeting
- VII. Upcoming Meetings
 - a. Management Committee meeting – July 7, 2015 in Kearney, 10:00 to 12:00, exact location TBD
 - b. Water banking workshop II – Monday July 20, 2015 at Platte College in Columbus, NE; 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM
- VIII. Other
- IX. Adjourn