



# Little Blue Natural Resources District

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## Projects & Planning Committee Meeting Minutes

March 10, 2020

Present Committee Members: Bill Glenn, Joe Hergott, Mason Hoffman, Everett Kellogg, Chuck Rainforth, Warren Taylor, Bob Trausch, **Jesse Von Spreckelsen**

Present Staff: Kyle Hauschild, Erika Brinegar, Tyler Goeschel, Kent Thompson, Heidi McClintock

Von Spreckelsen called the meeting to order at 6:01 p.m. at NRD Board Room in Davenport.

### 1. Kenesaw Drainage Project Engineer

There were 5 engineering companies that sent in proposals for the Kenesaw Drainage Project. The selection committee of Glenn, Taylor, Trasuch, and Von Spreckelsen chose to have JEO and FolyShald/Common sense to work together as the engineers on the Kenesaw Drainage Project. **A motion was made by Bill Glenn, it was seconded by Chuck Rainforth, and unanimously approved FolyShald/Common Sense as the engineers for the Kenesaw Drainage Project.**

### 2. Nebraska Buffer Strip Applications

There were 6 Nebraska Buffer Strip applications that signed up for re-enrollment: Theresa Smith, Gary Peppie Revocable Living Trust, William McLeod Jr./Darrin Nienhueser, Allen Lintz, Aaron Augustin, and Osler Land Corp for a total of 42.6 acres and \$8,817.32.

**A motion was made by Mason Hoffman, it was seconded by Bill Glenn, and unanimously approved the 6 Nebraska Buffer Strip Applications.**

### 3. Little Blue NRD Scholarship Recipients

**A motion was made by Mason Hoffman, it was seconded by Bill Glenn, and unanimously approved 6 recipients for the \$500 scholarships.**

### 4. Other Business

-Joe mentioned wanting to help with Snake Creek down by Deshler as one of our next watershed projects.

-Heidi mentioned that she is speaking at Fairbury's FFA banquet and asked if it would be alright if she awarded the Fairbury scholarship recipients their certificates at this banquet.

-Bill brought up taking the \$7,000 out of the sinking fund for the Shickley Drainage project and asked why we couldn't use money from another project, that we knew we weren't going to use all the money on.

The meeting adjourned at 6:29 PM.