



Lower Platte River
CORRIDOR ALLIANCE

Lower Platte River Corridor Alliance (LPRCA) Meeting

Tuesday, October 7th, 2008 * 9:00 a.m. **NOTE - EARLIER TIME**
MEETING LOCATION – Lower Platte South NRD **NOTE – NEW LOCATION**
3125 Portia Street * Lincoln, NE * (402) 476-2729

FINAL AGENDA (as of October 6th, 2008)

1. CALL TO ORDER / INTRODUCTIONS
2. PROOF OF LEGAL NOTICE/PUBLICATION
3. ADOPTION OF AGENDA **[ACTION]**
4. APPROVAL OF LPRCA MINUTES FROM JULY 8TH, 2008 MEETING **[ACTION]**
5. ANNOUNCEMENTS / EVENTS
 - a. Lower Platte River Summit – Thursday, November 6th * 10 am tours * Noon start of summit * \$40/person * Camp Calvin Crest near Fremont. Go to www.lowerplatte.org for more info and to register.
 - b. Upcoming NRD Board Meetings:
 - i. Lower Platte North NRD – Oct 13th, 2008 * 7 p.m. * 511 Commercial Park Road – Wahoo, NE. Go to <http://www.lpnrd.org> for more info or call (402) 443-4675.
 - ii. Lower Platte South NRD – Oct 15th, 2008 * 7 p.m. * United Methodist Church 102 W. Eldora Ave - Weeping Water, NE. Go to <http://www.lpsnrd.org/> for more info or call (402) 476-2729. **NOTE – Meeting held at different location and not at NRD office as is customary.**
 - iii. Papio-Missouri River NRD - Oct 9th, 2008 * 8 p.m. * Natural Resources Center at 8901 S. 154th Street – Omaha, NE. Go to <http://www.papionrd.org/> for more info or call (402) 444-6222
6. BUSINESS ITEMS
 - a. LPRCA Intern – *Introduction* (Ryan Bjerke, LPRCA)
 - b. LPRCA Coordinator Position – *Update* (LPRCA Members)
 - c. FY09 LPRCA Budget/Membership – *Update* (Rodney Verhoeff, LPRCA)
 - d. Assistance with LPR Summit – *Discussion* (LPRCA Members)
7. SPECIAL PRESENTATION Cumulative Impact Study for the Lower Platte River Basin – US Army Corps of Engineers, Omaha District; Lower Platte North NRD; & the US Geological Survey
8. LPRCA PROGRAMS AND PROJECTS
 - a. Project Updates, General Activities, & Involvement – *Quarterly Report* (Rodney Verhoeff, LPRCA)
 - i. Water Quality Monitoring Network – *Update* (USGS)
 - ii. Environmental Suitability Assessment (ESA) – PHASES II & III – *Report* (Rodney Verhoeff, LPRCA & Matt Pillard, HDR)
 - iii. Coffee Shop Meetings – *Update* (Rodney Verhoeff, LPRCA)
 - iv. River Obstruction Program – *Update* (Rodney Verhoeff, LPRCA)
 - v. Invasive Species Efforts – *Update* (LPRCA Members)
 - b. Education, Information, & Outreach Projects / Events / Meetings / Activities
 - i. Airboat Tour – *Update* (Rodney Verhoeff, LPRCA)
 - ii. WQ Open Tournament – *Update* (Rodney Verhoeff, LPRCA)
 - iii. LPR Summit – *Update* (Rodney Verhoeff, LPRCA)

- iv. **Prairie Fire** newspaper articles (Rodney Verhoeff, LPRCA & Frank Albrecht, NGPC)
 - v. **Ashland Gazette** newspaper article (Rodney Verhoeff, LPRCA)
 - c. WRDA-Authorized COE Projects & WRDA 2007
 - a. W. Sarpy/Clear Creek – Camp Ashland (P-MRNRD / NE Military Dept)
 - b. Sand Creek (LPNNRD)
 - c. Antelope Valley (LPSNRD)
 - d. 205 Studies (LPNNRD)
 - e. WRDA 2007/2008 - *Update* (Rodney Verhoeff, LPRCA Members)
 - d. Flooding Issues
 9. RECENT CONFERENCES/MEETINGS/EVENTS
 10. UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS
 - a. Next LPRCA Meeting – Jan 2009 [**ACTION**]
 - b. Others
 11. OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST – PUBLIC COMMENT
 12. ADJOURN
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NOTES

- **Location** – The Lower Platte South NRD is located at 3125 Portia Street in Lincoln (near 14th & Adams behind white fire station). Go to <http://www.lpsnrd.org/graphics/Maps/NRDOOffice.jpg> for a map to the office or call (402) 476-2729 for directions.
- **To be removed / added from our mailing or e-mailing list**, please contact the LPRCA at (402) 476-2729 or via e-mail at rverhoeff@lpsnrd.org.
- **Meeting information (past and present)** can be found at www.lowerplatte.org/meetings.html.