

LITTLE BLUE NATURAL RESOURCES DISTRICT

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LBNRD Offers Scholarships to Attend ACE Camp

Adventure Camp About the Environment hosted by the Nebraska Association of Resource Districts is open to 6th through 8th graders. Students have the opportunity to learn about their natural resources and environment.



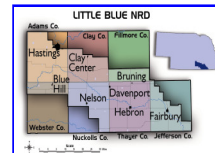
[See Attached Brochure](#)

District Offers Trees for Sale

The [Little Blue NRD Tree Program](#) offers seedlings for sale. We have a cost share program that could possibly assist you with the cost. Contact your local NRCS Office for help in planning and developing your tree plan. Trees can also be purchased individually for small plantings by using the Hand Plant Tree Order Form



- [Tree Descriptions](#)
- [Hand Plant Tree Order Form](#)
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2009 Irrigation Pumpage Summary Released

On the [2009 Irrigation Pumpage Summary](#) there were some increases in averages of water applied as compared to 2008. At the bottom of the page on the summary you can see that only 78% of all systems applied less than 12 inches per acre in 2009 as compared to 95% in 2008. The District's reporting program only has about 115,000 acres enrolled while we estimate there are over 600,000 irrigated acres in the District. The [meter locations](#) are shown in red on the map with the registered irrigation wells as a blue back drop. The number of acres in the program reported as being irrigated by either pivot or gravity were tabulated and charted. Approximately 20,000 acres in the program have been converted from gravity to pivot since the year 2000 as you can see on the [gravity to pivot comparison chart](#). During the time span from 2000 - 2009, pivots applied an average of 6.4 inches per acre less than gravity. By converting those 20,000 acres to pivot, irrigators in the District's Reporting Program reduced their withdrawal of groundwater for irrigation by approximately 10,600 acres!

WATER QUALITY SUB-AREA REPORTS DUE INTO THE NRD OFFICE APRIL 1

Little Blue NRD Forms

- [Irrigation Scheduling Items Order Form](#)
- [Sub-Area Reporting Form](#)
- [Well Permit Form \(Attach Citizenship Form\)](#)
- [Superior-Hardy Sub-Area Reporting Form](#)
- [Chemigation Permit \(attach citizenship\)](#)
- [Well Decommissioning Form](#)
- [W-9 Request for Tax Payer Identification](#)
- [U.S. Citizenship Attestation Form](#)

<p style="text-align: center;">Upcoming Events</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ March 23 Projects & Committee Meeting Davenport ■ March 25 Final Pre-Season Irrigation Mtg. Hastings NRCS 1:30 p.m. ■ April 13 Board of Director's Meeting Davenport ■ April 30 Arbor Day Holiday Office Closed <p style="text-align: center; color: red;">***Tree Donations Are Being Accepted for Lone Star Recreation Area</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">News Releases</p> <p style="text-align: center; background-color: #d3d3d3; padding: 2px;">February LBNRD News Column</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Household Hazardous Waste Collections Scheduled in April</p> <p style="text-align: center;">December, 2009 District Newsletter</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Little Blue NRD Fact Sheet</p> <p style="text-align: center;">LBNRD Annual Report</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Track All Hazard Mitigation Plan Progress</p> <p style="text-align: center;">All Hazards Plan Website</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Agenda for March Board of Director's Meeting</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Minutes from March Board of Directors Meeting, Pending Approval</p> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>NE Rain Website</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>National Weather Service</p> </div>
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