MINUTES

Middle Republican Natural Resources District Public Hearing Tuesday, February 11, 2014 at 1:00 pm

Curtis, Nebraska

Board Members Present: Kevin Fornoff, James Uerling, Buck Haag, Steve Cappel, Bill Hoyt, Benjie Loomis, Joe Anderjaska, Brad Randel, John Palic, Blaine Stinson, Rick McConville

Board Members Absent: None.

NRD Staff: Jack Russell, Bob Merrigan, Roger Lawson, Sylvia Johnson and Stacie Owens

Others: Ted Campbell, Danny Loomis

PUBLIC HEARING

The public hearing was called to order by Chairman Haag at 1:43 p.m. The agenda and roster were circulated to those present.

Haag appointed Russell as the hearing officer and turned the hearing over to him.

Notice of the regular monthly meeting was published in the North Platte Telegraph and the McCook Daily Gazette and was posted at the MRNRD Office and on the District Website at www.mrnrd.org. As a courtesy it was also provided to local radio stations. Guests should also note the location of a current copy of the statutes dealing with public meetings and the booklet with the information provided to directors.

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

The purpose of this hearing is to receive testimony for a variance from the District's Ground Water Management Area, Rules and Regulations.

Rule 4-1 Moratorium Campbell Land Danny Loomis

CAMPBELL LAND

APPEARANCES

Bob Merrigan representing the MRNRD. Ted Campbell representing Campbell Land.

EVIDENCE

- 1. Variance Request VAR9-FY2014 w/attachment
- 2. Application for A Permit to Construct a Water Well
- 3. Map of new location
- 4. Map of current location
- 5. Depletions/Development/Static Level/Soils information

TESTIMONY

MRNRD STAFF

Bob Merrigan. Merrigan went over the evidence listed above in detail.

OTHERS

<u>Ted Campbell, Curtis</u>. Campbell went over the reason for his request and answered questions from the Board.

WRITTEN TESTIMONY

None.

DANNY LOOMIS

APPEARANCES

Bob Merrigan representing the MRNRD.

Danny Loomis representing himself.

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TESTIMONY

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Bob Merrigan. Merrigan went over the evidence listed above in detail.

OTHERS

<u>Danny Loomis, Hayes Center</u>. Loomis went over the reason for his request and answered questions from the Board.

WRITTEN TESTIMONY

None.

The hearing was closed at 1:55 p.m. by Hearing Officer Russell.

Stacie M. Owens
Secretary to the Board