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## Press Release

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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

**Date: December 11, 2024**

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### 2025 North Platte NRD Ag Symposium Nominee Information

The North Platte NRD is hosting the second annual Ag Symposium on Wednesday, February 19th, 2025. As part of the Ag Symposium, we are handing out two awards, one for outstanding water conservation and one for outstanding soil conservation. We are asking for the public to submit nominations for these awards.

For the Outstanding Water Conservation Award individuals, groups, businesses, and communities are eligible. A nominee will demonstrate proper management of water in a manner prescribed to be in accordance with the capabilities and economics of the resource. Winners shall exemplify the use of practices that protect and enhance long-term sustainability, including both quality and quantity of water resources.

For the Outstanding Soil Conservation Award individuals and cropland operations are eligible. A nominee will demonstrate proper management of soils in a manner prescribed to be proper in accordance with the capabilities and economics of the land.

Nominations should include:

- Nominee name, address, and telephone number
- Supporting information
  - Operation overview – crops, livestock, wildlife habitat, business overview, services, etc.
  - Background on management techniques; planting techniques; inputs used and changes in fertilizer, herbicides, and insecticides; inputs used and changes in practices that protect the resource; etc.
  - Outreach – Seminars, field plots, test plots, education provided to others, publications and/or presentations highlighting the protection of the resource

Nominations must be submitted by **Friday, January 22:**

North Platte NRD

100547 Airport Rd,

Scottsbluff, NE 69361

**Email:** npnrd@npnrd.org

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# **NPNRD AG SYMPOSIUM**

## **WHEN**

**February 19, 2025  
9am - 3pm**

## **WHERE**

**Gering Civic Center  
1050 M St, Gering, NE 69341**

### **• TOPICS •**

- **Timely Nutrient Applications** •
- **Effective Nutrient Management** •
- **Yields** • **Protecting Waterways** •
  - **Adapting to Regulations** •
- **Reduced Nitrogen Applications** •
  - **Conserve Resources** •

**For more information call the North Platte  
NRD at 308.632.2749 or visit [www.npnrd.org](http://www.npnrd.org)**

## **GUEST SPEAKERS**

**DAMIAN MASON**



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**THE BUSINESS OF AGRICULTURE**

**TEMPLE RHODES**

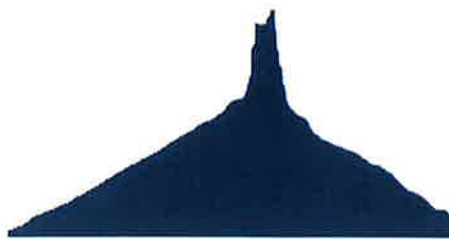


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# NORTH PLATTE

## Natural Resources District

Winter 2024

Dear Landowner:

The North Platte Natural Resources District has a network of groundwater monitoring wells located across the district. These wells are used to monitor the groundwater level and to take water samples for various contaminants. If you receive this letter, you have an active groundwater monitoring well(s) on your property and we have collected data on that well.

Enclosed you will find a graph of the groundwater levels from each monitoring well(s). If the well on your property is part of our sampling protocol, you will also receive a chart of the most recent nitrate result collected from the monitoring well(s).

You may have noticed our staff on your property near your wells. Twice a year we take the water level of your well. We do this in the spring starting March 15<sup>th</sup> and again in the fall starting on October 15<sup>th</sup>. This usually takes our staff 2 weeks to get all the readings done.

We also sample most of these wells twice a year. Our spring sampling starts on April 1<sup>st</sup>, then we start our fall sampling on August 15<sup>th</sup>. The sampling can take 3 to 4 weeks to complete.

If you are concerned about the drinking water in your home, we can take a sample from your home's well to test for bacteria and nitrates. If interested, please stop by our office for the special sampling bottles and instructions. These 2 tests are free to anyone in our district on private well water.

If you would like more information on the monitoring wells in our district, please go to our website. Click on [Water Management Programs](#), [Water Monitoring](#), then click on [Go to the Web Mapping Application](#). Here you will find a map of all the monitoring wells in our district. If you click on a diamond that represents each monitoring well, you will find information on that well, including static water levels and nitrate levels.

Feel free to contact the North Platte NRD for further information.



Entity Name: County of Scotts Bluff

Address: 1825 10th St, Gering, NE 69341

The following wells were sampled in 2024 as part of the NP's Well Water Quality Program. The following is a table of the results of the samples.

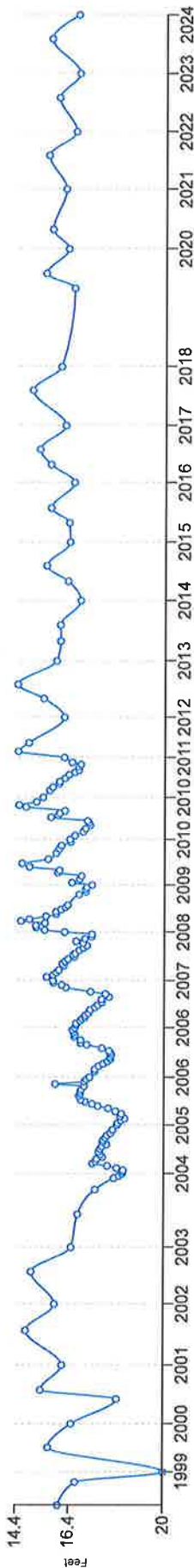
Well NRD ID	Well Reg No	Nitrate
16E-D	G-098033	5.47
16E-S	G-098034	8.43

Please call the office with any questions you have regarding these results.



**Ground Water Level Measurement: Well 16E-D**

Township: 22, Range: 54, Section: 21, Well Depth: 96, Formation: Tb



**Ground Water Level Measurement: Well 16E-S**

Township: 22, Range: 54, Section: 21, Well Depth: 35, Formation: Qal

