

MEMORANDUM

TO: ALL OWNERS IN SID 29 OF SARPY COUNTY, NEBRASKA
(Westridge Farms)

FROM: Board of Trustees of Sanitary and Improvement District No. 29 of Sarpy County,
Nebraska ("SID 29")

DATE: June 23, 2014

You will soon be receiving a Notice of Election regarding the upcoming tax levy for SID 29. We believe that a brief summary would help you understand the need for the election.

Last year, the SID took bids for and wishes to award a contract for trash pickup in the SID. The costs for this would be paid out of the SID General Fund. The annual total costs for the trash pickup and other General Fund expenses required an increase in the total anticipated funds from property taxes levied on the SID's behalf for its General Fund (an increase of \$9,252.56 or 200%).

The Nebraska statutes have restrictions on the amount an SID can levy for its General Fund. To begin financing the trash pickup, a levy for the General Fund would exceed those restrictions, which requires this "election". This will allow trash to be picked up on the same day of each week for all residents and reduce the wear and tear on the roads. It is also less expensive than individual service.

If you have any questions on this, please contact one of the members of the Board of Trustees of SID 29 at the following numbers:

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