

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
SARPY COUNTY, NEBRASKA**

**RESOLUTION SUPPORTING AND APPROVING THE SUBMITTAL OF AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION FY 2012 DISASTER RELIEF OPPORTUNITY GRANT APPLICATION TO FUND ENGINEERING SERVICES AND NECESSARY IMPROVEMENTS TO MISSOURI RIVER LEVEE SYSTEM UNITS R-613 AND R-616 FOR THE PURPOSE OF FEMA ACCREDITATION.**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. § 23-320.06 (Reissue 2007), the County has the power to enter into agreements with other agencies for flood control; and

WHEREAS, the Papio-Missouri River Natural Resources District will prepare and submit said application through the U.S. Economic Development Administration for funding under the **FY 2012 Disaster Relief Opportunity** in an amount of approximately \$20,000,000; and

WHEREAS, the County recognizes that this grant is awarded on a cost share basis with the federal share not exceeding 80% and the local share being a minimum of 20% of the total eligible project costs; and

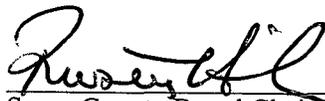
WHEREAS, the implementation of this proposed project would help prevent localized flooding in the immediate area impacting current business and provide economic opportunity to adjacent parcels currently available for development; and

WHEREAS, the **FY 2012 Disaster Relief Opportunity** funds were created to promote economic resiliency after a natural disaster occurrence and improvements to the Levee System Units R-613 and R-616 required for FEMA accreditation qualifies as an eligible project; and

WHEREAS, this Board believes that the implementation of said project would be in the best interest of the community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Sarpy County Board of Commissioners that the Board supports and approves the submittal of the Papio-Missouri River NRD's Economic Development Administration **FY 2012 Disaster Relief Opportunity** grant application to fund engineering services and necessary improvements to the Missouri River Levee System Units R-613 and R-616 for the purpose of FEMA accreditation.

The above Resolution was approved by a vote of the Sarpy County Board of Commissioners at a public meeting duly held in accordance with applicable law on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2012.

  
Sarpy County Board Chairman

ATTEST

  
  
Sarpy County Clerk

# Sarpy County Board of Commissioners

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## MEMO

To: Sarpy County Commissioners

From: Mark Wayne, County Administrator

Re: FY2012 Disaster Relief Opportunity Grant

The Board will be asked to pass a resolution in support of a disaster relief grant application being submitted by the Papio-Missouri NRD to the Economic Development Administration. The grant would be used to make improvements to the R-613 and R-616 levees along the Missouri River.

Marlin Peterman will attend the meeting to answer any questions you may have. A similar resolution of support is being presented to the Bellevue City Council.

August 9, 2012

  
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Mark Wayne, County Administrator

cc: Deb Houghtaling  
Scott Bovick  
Brian Hanson