

**Logan East Rural Water System
Managers Report**
Activities during July 2023
Reported at August 2023 meeting

Gallons pumped	15,807,000	Scribner booster pumped	924,400
Gallons sold	14,396,500	Fontanelle booster pumped	2,930,200
	8% loss		

2023

June 30	Shawn-Locates	JJ-Fixed meters
July 5	Shawn-Sample	JJ-Locates
July 6	Shawn-Fixed Cody Moseman leak in pit	JJ-Checked sites
July 7	Shawn-Locates & checked PRV's	
July 10	Both-Dig for Elliott pit leak & dig at line hit Cr 13 & N (power co)	
July 11	Both-Flushed lines from line hit	
July 12	Shawn-Locates & sample	JJ-Shut off service 222 CR 19/released tornado damaged rental
July 13		JJ-Checked sites
July 14	Shaen-Locates & checked PRVs	JJ-Mowed
July 17	Shawn-Sample & with BCPPD CR 13 & N	JJ-Finished mowing
July 18	Both-exercised valves	
July 19	Shawn-Locates & to Font tower for Nextlink	JJ-Read meters
July 20	Shawn-Leak dig Ruwe service line Bertha Road	JJ-Read meters
July 21	Shawn-Locates & look at possible service Doug Churchill	JJ-Checked sites
July 25	Shawn-Check a few meter reading & locates	JJ-Fixed meters
July 26	Both-Drove lines for leak & leak dig 8" line Cr C in Dodge co	
July 27	Shawn-Locates	JJ-Checked sites
July 28	Shawn-Locates	JJ-Fixed meters
July 31	Shawn-Check LGN Farms pressure & Price meter pit leak on CR 10	
Aug 1	Shawn-Leak dig CR 31 & H PRV station & check pressure Kazemba	
Aug 2	Shawn-Locates	
Aug 3	Shawn-Locates & checked sites	
Aug 4	Shawn-Fixed meters	
Aug 7	Shawn-Locates & sample	JJ-Mowed

MINUTES OF REGULAR
LOGAN EAST RURAL WATER SYSTEM
ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING
8:00 p.m. August 14, 2023 Monday
LOGAN EAST RURAL WATER SYSTEM OFFICE – OAKLAND, NE

The regular meeting of the Logan East Rural Water System Advisory Committee was called to order by Ron Dierking-Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Monday August 14, 2023 at 7:30 p.m. in the Logan East Rural Water System Office Oakland, Nebraska. The Publication of Meeting Notice was printed in the Oakland Independent newspaper on August 10, 2023.

The Nebraska Open Meeting Act information is posted by the entrance door.

Roll call was taken with 6 of the 9 committee members present. Present: Dierking, Fehrer, Johnson, Kruger, Lydick, and Wulf. Absent: Dam, Scheer, & Hagerbaumer. Roll call of Lower Elkhorn NRD appointed members. Present: Gary Loftis & Roger Gustafson, Brian Bruckner, LENRD Interim Manager. Also in attendance was customer John Maryott of Decatur

Fehrer made the motion & was seconded by Lydick to adopt the agenda. Aye: All. Nay: none. Absent: Hagerbaumer, Dam & Scheer. **MOTION CARRIED.**

Minutes of the July 17, 2023 meeting were read. Fehrer made the motion and was seconded by Lydick to approve the minutes. Aye: All. Nay: none. Absent: Hagerbaumer, Dam & Scheer. **MOTION CARRIED**

Brian Hagerbaumer entered the meeting at 7:40 p.m.

Agenda item #6 John Maryott-customer from Decatur spoke about the water main that was initially installed in his area. He is questioning water main ownership & requesting a change be made in a meter rate when cabins in the area changed ownership. The advisory committee feels no change will be done.

Income & expense reports were given. 11 customers still owe for June water. 2 disconnections will be made if not paid tomorrow.

Fehrer made the motion and was seconded to recommend the Lower Elkhorn NRD approval of the Logan East Rural Water System Fiscal Year 2024 budget as presented. See attached copy. Aye: Dierking, Fehrer, Hagerbaumer, Johnson, Kruger, Lydick, and Wulf. Absent: Dam & Scheer, **MOTION CARRIED.**

The scada communication company Micro Comm, looked at all sites and did testing. They will be sending a quote to replace the main green card board in the Oakland office. Some sites are needing new antennas & co-wax cables that will be covered under the yearly maintenance agreement that LERWS has with Micro Comm, The installation is NOT covered. The new antennas and co-wax should help communication with up to ½ inch of ice. Wulf made the motion and was seconded by Fehrer to move forward on replacing the antennas' and co-wax before winter. Aye: Dierking, Fehrer, Hagerbaumer, Johnson, Kruger, Lydick, and Wulf. Absent: Dam & Scheer, **MOTION CARRIED.**

New well search:

Brian Bruckner-LENRD has spoken with the State of Nebraska and the Village of Craig is still a top priority for water funding.

Some test results have been received, but Sargent is still waiting on Manganese, Iron & other results on the Roy Miller test well. If these current tests come back satisfactory, the next step would be a total well scan with additional pumping & sampling before engineering could begin and a permanent well be drilled.

Blahak gave the managers' report (see attached copy).

LERWS needs to look at replacing part of the water main along Dodge county road C east of the Scribner booster pump because of frequent leaks. Blahak will get measurements on the length of area and get price estimates.

The next meeting will be September 11, 2023 at the LERWS office in Oakland at 8:00 p.m.

Being no further business Dierking adjourned the meeting at 9:10 p.m.

We, the Logan East Rural Water System Advisory Committee, recommend that the Lower Elkhorn NRD accept these minutes.

I, the undersigned acting secretary of the Logan East Rural Water System Advisory Committee, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the proceedings by the Advisory Committee on August 14, 2023.

Laurie Schold

Logan East Rural Water System

Others present: Shawn Blahak, JJ Johansen LERWS employees

Brian Bruckner, LENRD Interim Manager

John Maryott, Decatur NE

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Ron Dierking, Chairman