Traill County Water Resource District REASSESSMENT HEARING April 16, 2019

The District Board convened on this date and came to order at 9:00am originating at the office of the Traill County Water Resource District. Managers present were: Halvorson, Neset, Thompson and Lovas with Chairman Siegert presiding. Also present were: Sean Fredricks, Attorney for the Board, and Chris Gross and Josh Hassell of Moore Engineering, Inc.

Kelso Floodway No. 70

At 9:00a.m. Chairman Siegert opened the Kelso Floodway No. 70 Reassessment Hearing.

Land patrons present were: Don Lockhart, Glenn Dahlstrom, Wayne Koehring (Dalrymple Farms), Jeff McInnes, and Marlin Stokke.

Chris Gross provided maps showing the existing assessment district area and benefits, the watershed boundary, and the land use along with the land productivity index.

Mr. Gross asked the land patrons for comments on the boundary and benefit areas:

<u>Don Lockhart</u>: Section 22 and 23, Kelso Township - Sloughing occurring. Asked questions on the conditions of the drop structure. He was told that the Board has the capacity to improve the structure if it is deemed necessary.

<u>Glen Dahlstrom</u>: Section 20, Kelso Township - Commented that the road is 3 feet too high. Asked about the revenue that is collected annually. Chris described what the Board sets as maintenance dollars every year.

Wayne Koehring: Section 18 and 20, Kelso Township - Had questions regarding benefit percentages.

<u>Jeff McInnes</u>: Section 21, 15 and 16, Kelso Township - Asked why the S $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 20 was taken out; There is no ditch in Section 20 going south; The North 100 acres flows north; The water in the N $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 17 goes down the township road ditch; What are the benefits?

Marlin Stokke: Section 21 and 16, Kelso Township - No comment.

Hearing no further comments Chairman Siegert closed the Murray Drain No. 17 Reassessment Hearing at 9:30a.m.

Jason Siegert, Chairman