

## **REPORT OF WATER ADMINISTRATION ACTIVITIES FOR THE REPUBLICAN RIVER BASIN IN NEBRASKA FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2016**

### January 1, 2016

A letter was mailed to the USBR notifying them that a Compact Call Year was in effect.

### January 19, 2016

Letters were mailed to irrigators reminding them that the 2015 Water Use Reports (WUR) must be filed with the Cambridge Field Office or they will be closed.

### February 11, 2016

Twenty Eight (28) closing notices were mailed to irrigators who did not return their 2015 WUR notifying them that they are closed.

### March 8, 2016

Three (3) opening notices mailed for returned WUR.

### June 1, 2016

Two (2) opening notices mailed for returned WUR.

### June 22, 2016

Thirty Two (32) closing notices were mailed to irrigators in the Republican River Basin.

### September 7, 2016

Thirty Eight (38) regulating/opening notices were mailed to irrigators in the Republican River Basin notifying them that they were open and the legal amount they could pump.

### October 5, 2016

Seventy One (71) closing notices were mailed to irrigators in the Republican River Basin.

### December 8, 2016

Water Use Reports were mailed to all IR (irrigation from a natural stream), SI (irrigation from reservoirs on lands also covered by a natural flow appropriation), and SO (irrigation from reservoirs on lands not covered by a natural flow appropriation) permits in the Republican Basin with the exception of federally owned canals.