

## **REPORT OF WATER ADMINISTRATION ACTIVITIES FOR THE REPUBLICAN RIVER BASIN IN NEBRASKA FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2018**

### January 1, 2018

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

### February 1, 2018

Letters were mailed to irrigators reminding them that the 2016 Water Use Reports (WUR) must be filed with the Cambridge Field Office or they will be closed.

### April 7, 2018

Twenty-Three (23) closing notices were mailed to irrigators who did not return their 2017 WUR notifying them that they are closed.

### April 17, 2018

One hundred twenty five (125) notices were mailed to irrigators reminding them of water-short year administration in the Republican River Basin.

### April 17, 2018

One hundred seventy four (174) notices were mailed to irrigators reminding them of their permit allocation in the Republican River Basin.

### April 25, 2018

Fifty (50) notices were mailed to irrigators reminding them of their permit allocation in the Republican River Basin.

### April 25, 2018

Eight (8) notices were mailed to senior storage use permit holders reminding them of their permit allocation.

### June 19, 2018

One hundred twenty six (126) closing notices were mailed to irrigators in the Republican River Basin.

### June 19, 2018

Eighty-four (84) Storage closing notices were mailed to permit holders in the Republican River Basin

### August 2, 2018

Sixty-seven (67) 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.

### August 7, 2018

Sixty-seven (67) closing notices were mailed to irrigators in the Republican River Basin.

September 17, 2018

One hundred forty (140) 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 16, 2018

Thirteen (13) Storage opening notices were mailed to the USBR for federal reservoirs in the Republican River Basin.

November 21

2018 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.

December 20, 2018

Seventeen (17) Storage closing notices were mailed to permit holders in the Republican River Basin