

Nemaha NRD Board Meets

**(KLZA)-- The Nemaha Natural Resources District Board continued discussion during their September meeting on the District's groundwater management rules.**

**Currently work is focusing on development of a risk map that would be used to help identify various factors affecting water quantity in particular areas. Rules could then be tailored to each area based on it being in a high or low risk area. Work on a risk map for the Elk Creek to Shubert area is anticipated to be done in a couple of months.**

**The Board also voted during the meeting to increase the minimum score required for approval of new water wells in a portion of eastern Richardson County at 300. Last year the board approved a temporary minimum score of 231 in this area which was to sunset, September 30th.**

**Since the work on updating the rules to address concerns, the new minimum score was put in place and is to end no later than September 30, 2017.**

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