

# LOWER PLATTE SOUTH NRD



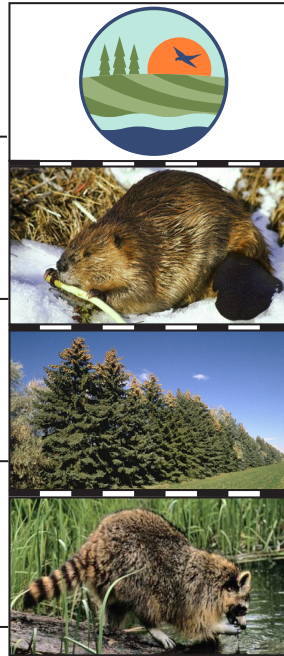
## KNOW YOUR NRD

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Match the characteristic in the middle with the picture on either side. There can be more than one answer for each picture.



- A. Carnivore
- B. Herbivore
- C. Goldenrod
- D. Largest Rodent
- E. Omnivore
- F. Predator
- G. Windbreak
- H. Antelope Valley
- I. Flood Control
- J. Habitat
- K. State Flower
- L. LPSNRD Logo
- M. Milkweed



**I SPY!**  
Can you spy the following nature items in your neighborhood? Place a check  in the box as you find them.

- |                                 |                                   |                                      |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tree   | <input type="checkbox"/> Flower   | <input type="checkbox"/> Pinecone    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cloud  | <input type="checkbox"/> Rock     | <input type="checkbox"/> Caterpillar |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Soil   | <input type="checkbox"/> Snow     | <input type="checkbox"/> Seed        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bird   | <input type="checkbox"/> Squirrel | <input type="checkbox"/> Water       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Insect | <input type="checkbox"/> Leaf     | <input type="checkbox"/> Nest        |

Use the words below to fill-in the missing words. Each word is used only once. For help, visit [www.lpsnrd.org](http://www.lpsnrd.org).

Dams      flooding      23  
farms      watersheds  
clean      soil

Nebraska has \_\_\_\_\_ Natural Resources Districts located across the state. NRD boundaries are based on \_\_\_\_\_.

One task your NRD is responsible for is flood control.

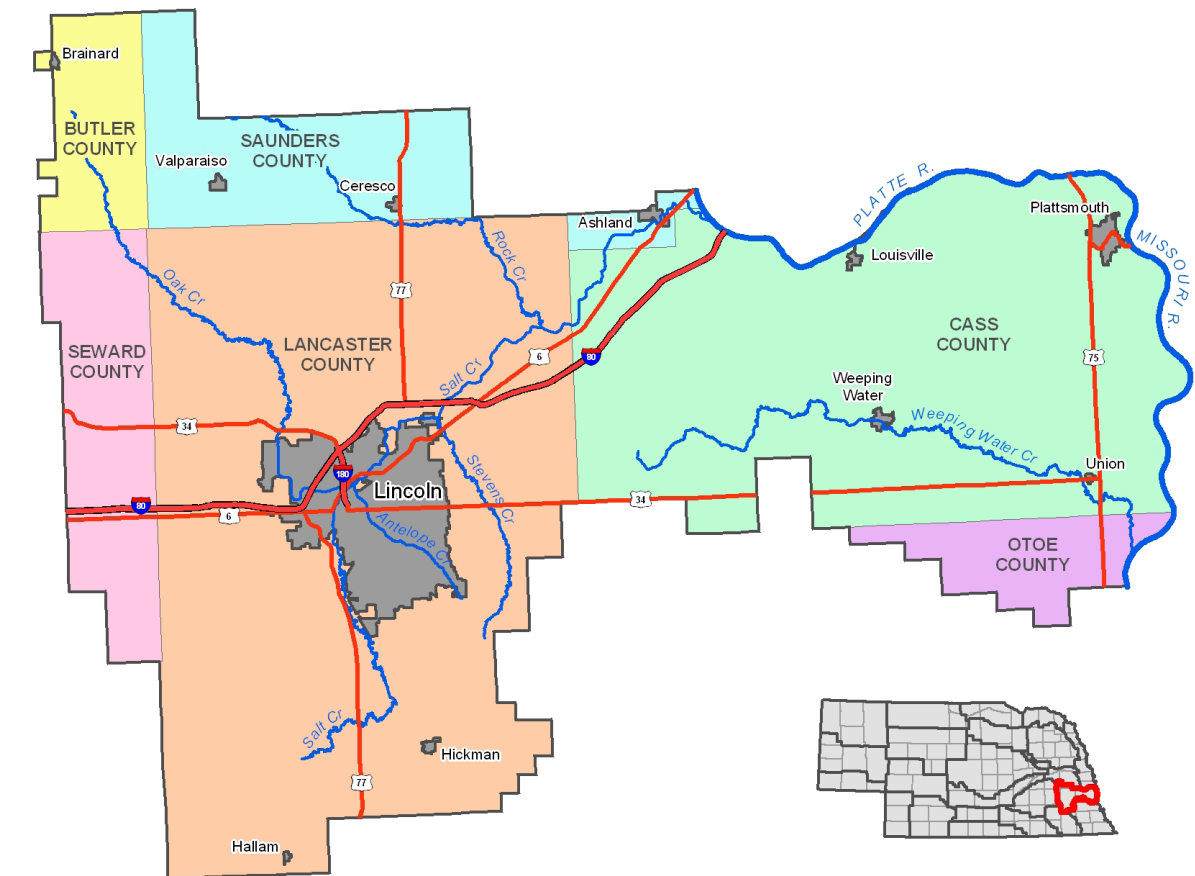
\_\_\_\_\_ help protect the land from \_\_\_\_\_ when there is too much rain.

Your NRD also helps protect ground water. Ground water is an important resource for \_\_\_\_\_ and homes.

The NRD also helps land owners prevent \_\_\_\_\_ erosion. By helping prevent erosion, we keep our rivers and lakes \_\_\_\_\_.

Take a look at the map of the Lower Platte South Natural Resources District. Can you find the following places on the map? Place a check next to each when you find them!

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Your home town   | <input type="checkbox"/> Interstate 80      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The Platte River | <input type="checkbox"/> Hickman, NE        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lincoln, NE      | <input type="checkbox"/> Ceresco, NE        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Antelope Creek   | <input type="checkbox"/> Highway 6          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Oak Creek        | <input type="checkbox"/> The Missouri River |



### Did you know...

The Lower Platte South NRD has been protecting natural resources since 1972. Your NRD provides local control and solutions to manage natural resources. We work to protect and conserve ground water, surface water and soil. Your NRD also provides flood control, recreation and environmental education.

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LOWER PLATTE SOUTH  
NATURAL RESOURCES DISTRICT  
LINCOLN, NE

## NRD Recreation Areas

Switch the first letter with the last letter of each word to spell the name of the NRD Rec Area!

### Lakes



timberpoint \_\_\_\_\_



dildwood \_\_\_\_\_



dilwood \_\_\_\_\_

To learn more about NRD rec areas visit:  
<https://www.lpsnrd.org/recreation>

### Trails



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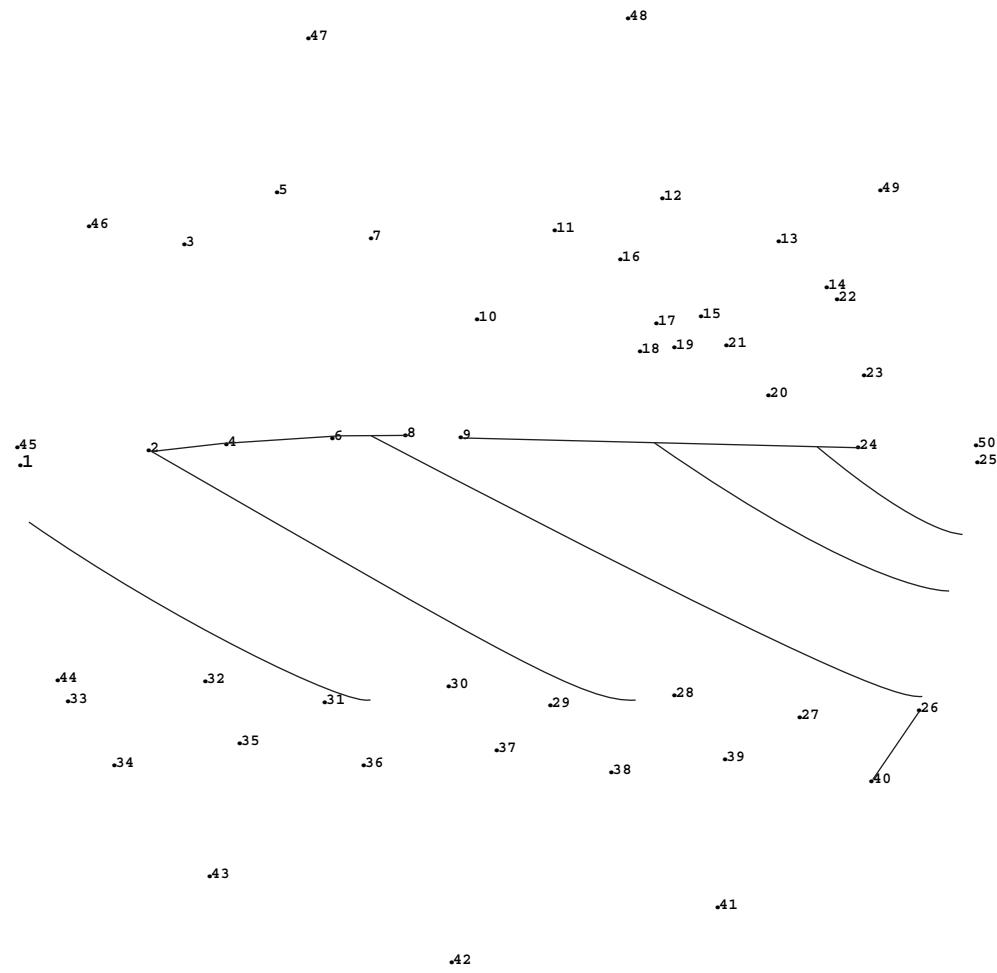
kan creek \_\_\_\_\_

### Wetlands



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eaton renton

## Connect the dots and color the image inside!



Make dot to dot puzzles at [picturedots.com](http://picturedots.com)

# Answers

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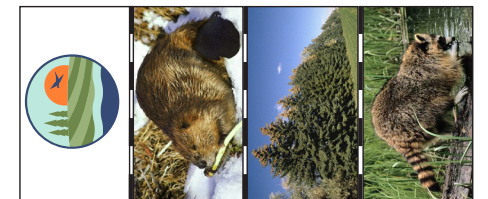
Dams    watersheds    23    flooding  
clean    farms    soil

Nebraska has 23 Natural Resources Districts located across the state. NRD boundaries are based on watersheds.

One task your NRD is responsible for is flood control. Dams help protect the land from flooding when there is too much rain.

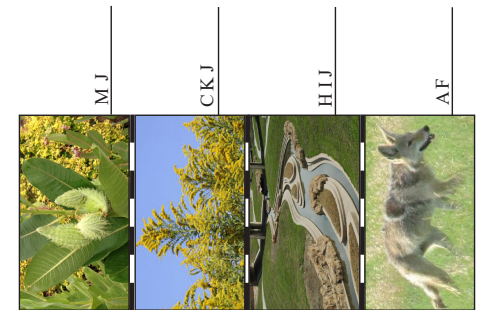
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