

NOTICE OF ROCK COUNTY SCHOOL LAND LEASE SALE

Notice is hereby given that an authorized representative of the Board of Educational Lands and Funds of the State of Nebraska will offer for lease at public auction on the day and time set forth below, at the office of the County Treasurer of Rock County in Bassett, Nebraska, the following educational lands within said County:

DATE: November 14, 2016

TIME: 2:00 p.m.

In the event of inclement weather and/or bad roads, the Board's Field Representative may postpone the sale until November 28, 2016, at 2:00 p.m. If this occurs, the County Treasurer and the Board's Lincoln Office will both be notified at least 90 minutes prior to the originally scheduled sale time.

<u>TRACT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>SEC.TWP.RGE</u>	<u>2017 RENTAL</u>	<u>LEASE EXPIRATION</u>
4	All (640 acres, more or less)	36-26-17	\$16,248.96	December 31, 2024

Predominant Land Use: Grassland

This tract is located on the east of Rose, Nebraska on the Holt County line.

Improvements to be sold include: 640 rods of fence, 2 stockwells, 2 mills, 2 towers and 3 tanks. Total Value: \$9,600.00

8	NE4 (160 acres, more or less)	36-28-17	\$4,374.00	December 31, 2024
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Predominant Land Use: Grassland

This tract is located 6 miles southeast of Pony Lake.

Improvements to be sold include: 80 rods of fence. Total Value: \$350.00

The 110 rods of interior fence are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.

STIPULATION: See Below.

10	All (640 acres, more or less)	36-29-17	\$16,742.38	December 31, 2024
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Predominant Land Use: Grassland

This tract is located 6 miles east and 12 miles south of Newport, NE.

Improvements to be sold include: 880 rods of fence, stockwell and tank. Total Value: \$6,500.00

The solar pump, panels, pipe and cable are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.

19	N2NW4, SE4NW4, NE4, S2SW4 and E2SE4 (440 acres, more or less)	36-25-18	\$17,016.12	December 31, 2024
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Predominant Land Use: Grassland

This tract is located 14 miles southeast of Rose, NE.

Improvements to be sold include: 535 rods of fence. Total Value: \$2,300.00

The 280 rods of interior fence and all electric fence and culvert are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.

23	NE4, NE4NW4, SW4 and NW4SE4 (400 acres, more or less)	36-27-18	\$9,433.22	December 31, 2024
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Predominant Land Use: Grassland

This tract is located 8 miles south of Pony Lake.

Improvements to be sold include: 440 rods of fence, 2 stockwells, mill, tower and tank. Total Value: \$3,000.00

The 220 rods of interior fence, mill, tower in SE4SW4 and 2 tanks are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.

24	NW4, N2NE4, SW4NE4, W2SW4 and SE4SE4 (400 acres, more or less)	16-28-18	\$11,618.60	December 31, 2024
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Predominant Land Use: Grassland

This tract is located 14 miles southeast of Bassett, NE.

Improvements to be sold include: 480 rods of fence. Total Value: \$4,200.00

The 380 rods of interior fence and 2 rubber tire tanks are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.

The approximately 1 mile of livestock water pipeline is owned by the School Trust and all right, title and interest shall remain with the School Trust.

STIPULATION: See Below.

36b	SW4 (160 acres, more or less)	16-26-19	\$14,903.50	December 31, 2026
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Predominant Land Use: Pivot irrigated cropground

This tract is located 2 miles north of Rose, NE.

Improvements to be sold include: 325 rods of fence, stockwell casing, gearhead, pump and column. Total Value: \$10,200.00

The pipe, rod, cylinder, tower, mill, 2 tanks, pivot system, diesel engine, fuel tank, chemigation valve, check valve and fertilizer tank are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.

The irrigation well is owned by the School Trust and all right, title and interest shall remain with the School Trust.

59	NE4 & N2NW4 (240.77 acres, more or less)	16-30-20	\$36,913.82	December 31, 2026
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Predominant Land Use: Pivot irrigated cropground

This tract is located 4 miles northeast of Long Pine, NE.

Improvements to be sold include: 80 rods of fence, 680' of buried pipe and 2 fountains and an irrigation sump. Total Value: \$8,800.00

The steel tank and hydrant, pump and power unit with propane tank, pump and power unit with fuel tank and fertilizer tank and 2 center pivot systems are to be considered personal property and are subject to removal by the previous lessee.

STIPULATION: The Board intends to improve the irrigation delivery system on this lease. The Board will provide underground electrical and pipe from the power source to the sump and to the pivot points. The Board will deepen and rebuild the sump as necessary. The Board is prepared to install "wet wells" at the sump to accommodate turbine pumps, if so desired by Lessee. The Lessee will be required to provide two center pivots, two electric motors and panels, two pumps and rotary screens and any other items required to irrigate the farm and not included above. All of the above work will be completed prior to the 2017 irrigation season if possible. The farm can be irrigated as it exists and the Lessee will not be entitled to any damages due to delay in completion of afore-mentioned work.

STIPULATION: (applicable to Tracts #8 and 24): The Board may terminate this Lease prior to its scheduled expiration date by 1) giving at least nine (9) months notice of termination to the Lessee, or 2) giving written notice of termination to the Lessee stating that the lease shall terminate on December 31st of the year notice was given. In the event of such early termination, any bonus paid for this Lease will be partially refunded. The unused percentage of the original lease term shall be multiplied by the bonus previously paid to determine the refund amount.

In order for anyone to be eligible to bid on a school land lease, they must be able to contract in accordance with Nebraska Law and have deposited with the County Treasurer of the County in which the land is located, or with a representative of the Board, a bank draft, cashier's check, certified check or money order made payable to the Board of Educational Lands and Funds, or cash, equivalent to the 2017 rental of said tract. Said rental deposit may be submitted at any time until the tract is announced "Sold".

If more than one qualified bidder is interested in a lease, it will be sold to the party bidding the highest cash bonus, in addition to the first year's rent, at the auction. Bonus bids must be paid to the Board of Educational Lands and Funds immediately following the auction. Bonus bids are a one-time payment which covers the entire term of the lease.

All sales of educational land leases at public auction are considered to be non-revocable offers, which shall become binding contracts only upon acceptance and approval following the sale by the Board of Educational Lands and Funds. Leases will be effective January 1, 2017, or upon acceptance and approval by the Board, whichever occurs later.

Leases will be issued only to those who sign the "Lease and Application" in person or through an Attorney-In-Fact who presents a Power of Attorney at the time of the auction. A sample Power of Attorney is available on the Board's website. Lease assignments submitted to the Board within 30 days of the auction will be processed without fee. The Board's standard form lease sets out the terms of the lease of the real estate to which this notice pertains; provided, however, any additional stipulations pertaining specifically to this real estate, which are included in this notice, shall be added to and become a part of the complete terms of the lease pertaining to this real estate. The Board's standard form lease may be inspected at the County Treasurer's office or on the Board's website and a copy, which includes any additional stipulations pertaining to this real estate, can be obtained by contacting the Board's Lincoln office or the Field Representative for this county named above.

The purchaser shall, within thirty days of the date of Board approval, pay the amount of the value of the improvements (and growing crops, if applicable) as stated above, to the County Treasurer of the County wherein the land is situated. If such payment is not made on time and in full, all payments made by the purchaser to the Board may be declared forfeited and a new lease or sale of the land may be authorized. All improvements affixed to the land which are not listed above are and shall remain owned by the School Trust. **No improvements shall be placed on the land by Lessee without the prior written approval of the Board; and any improvements made by Lessee without the prior written approval of the Board shall be permanently owned exclusively by the Board.**

All monies received by the Board's agents will be deposited subject to approval of the lease by the Board of Educational Lands and Funds. In the event a lease is not approved, the appropriate refunds will be issued.

All County Farm Service Agency information for the Board of Educational Lands and Funds is public information and is obtainable by contacting the local office.

Rental is subject to change by the Board semi-annually at any time during the term of the lease.

For further information contact:

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