Date: November 24, 2009

To: Reserves Steering Committee Core Four

Washington County Board of Commissioners

From: Citizen Participation Organization 8 (CPO 8)

Re: Motion on Rural Reserves in CPO 8

Following is the motion that was passed by the attendees at the November 10, 2009 CPO 8 Meeting, along with the recorded vote:

CPO 8, of those here present, endorses the designation of rural reserves status for those lands north of Highway 26 and east of Jackson School Road, within CPO 8, that the Washington County Reserves Coordinating Committee recommended as urban reserves or undesignated.

Yes - 30 No - 1 Abstentions - 2

During the meeting, about 90 minutes were spent in discussion of the proposed motion. The CPO 8 Steering committee believes that the motion:

- embodies the needs of North Plains for adequate growth,
- provides for protection of the area commonly referred to as "Greater Helvetia" that lies within CPO 8 boundaries, and
- removes the ambiguity associated with the "undesignated" label as called for by the recommendation released by the Washington County Reserves Coordinating Committee.

Signed, CPO 8 Steering Committee: Henry Oberhelman

Pat Wolter John Driscoll Susie Anthony