LEGISLATIVE BILL 565

Approved by the Governor February 9, 1982

Introduced by Lamb, 43

AN ACT to amend section 2-3229, Pevised Statutes 1981, relating to Supplement, resources districts; to harmonize provisions with former acts of the Legislature; and repeal the original section.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska.

Section 1. That section 2-3229, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1981, be amended to read as follows:

2-3229. The purposes of natural resources districts shall be to develop and execute, through the exercise of powers and authorities contained in this act, plans, facilities, works, and programs relating to (1) erosion prevention and control, (2) prevention of damages from flood water and sediment, (3) flood prevention and control, (4) soil conservation, (5) water supply for any beneficial uses, development, (6) management, utilization, and conservation of ground water and surface water, (7) pollution control, (8) solid waste disposal and sanitary drainage, (9) drainage improvement and channel rectification, (10) development and management of fish and wildlife habitat, (11) development and management of recreational and park facilities, and (12) forestry and range management. The development and execution of such plans or programs within Nebraska planning and development districts regions shall be undertaken only if a properly designated district regional planning body for the area affected shall find that such plans and programs are not in conflict with the goals, objectives, or plans of the district regional planning board body. Such planning body shall be accorded a period of thirty days to review and comment upon the plans and programs of natural resources districts. Failure to reply within thirty days shall be conclusive that the proposed plans and programs have been endorsed by the district regional planning body; Provided, that negative comments on plans or programs by the district regional planning body shall not delay action by the natural resources district or its agent when such plans and programs are specifically recommended in a functional plan that has been approved by the Legislature. The same thirty-day review period shall be provided for the central state planning agency. The execution of such plans and programs as authorized by this section may not be undertaken if as a result of this review the central state planning agency shall find that LB565 LB565

such plans and programs are in conflict with state policies and plans approved by the Legislature. Failure to reply within thirty days shall be conclusive that the proposed plans and programs have been endorsed by the central state planning agency. As to development and management of fish and wildlife habitat and development and management of recreational and park facilities, such plans, facilities, works, and programs shall be in conformance with any outdoor recreation plan for Nebraska and any fish and wildlife plan for Nebraska as developed by the Game and Parks Commission.

Sec. 2. That original section 2-3229, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1981, is repealed.