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Subject: Commission Action on Grazing Management Supplemental Allocation

Good Morning!

During the commission meeting on October 14, 2020, the commission reviewed the drought monitor map.
<https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/CurrentMap/StateDroughtMonitor.aspx?Midwest>

Based on the map there are some parts of Missouri impacted by drought.

After discussing the drought situation, the commission approved districts in the D2 Severe Drought status and higher to request their Grazing Management Resource Concern supplemental allocation prior to the next scheduled supplemental date of November 5th. By providing the supplemental early, the commission's intention is to speed up the process of districts developing grazing contracts for development and distribution of water. To make the request, the normal supplemental requirements must be met. The district will either need to be 90% obligated in grazing management or if less than 90% have a contract which is for more than the remaining funds and reviewed by your district coordinator. To request an earlier supplemental, send an email to your district coordinator.

The board should consider utilizing the funding first towards water development and distribution and follow up later with contracts for fencing.

If you have any question, please contact your district coordinator.

Thank you.

Soil and Water Conservation Program

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