

## Drinking Water Week, May 1-7, 2011



Governor Dave Heineman signed a proclamation declaring May 1-7, Drinking Water Week in Nebraska.

From left: Robert Perry, League Association of Risk Management; Jack Daniel, Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services; Randy Hellbusch, Nebraska Rural Water Association; Linda Meyer, Advisory Council on Public Water Supply; Doug Woodbeck, Nebraska Section American Water Works Association; Gov. Dave Heineman; Reed Miller, Advisory Council on Public Water Supply; John Miriovsky, Lincoln Water System; David Houghtelling, Advisory Council on Public Water Supply; Joel Christensen, Metropolitan Utilities District; Dr. Joe Acierno, Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services.

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# STATE OF NEBRASKA



## Proclamation

*WHEREAS, Water is our most valuable natural resource; and*

*WHEREAS, Only tap water delivers public health protection, fire protection, support for our economy and the quality of life we enjoy; and*

*WHEREAS, Any measure of a successful society – low morality rates, economic growth and diversity, productivity and public safety – are in some way related to access to safe water; and*

*WHEREAS, We are all stewards of the water infrastructure upon which future generations depend; and*

*WHEREAS, Each citizen of our state is called upon to help protect our source waters from pollution, to practice water conservation, and to get involved in local water issues.*

*NOW, THEREFORE, I, Dave Heineman, Governor of the State of Nebraska, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM the week of May 1 – 7, 2011 as*

### *DRINKING WATER WEEK*

*in Nebraska, and I do hereby urge all citizens to take due note of the observance.*

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and cause the Great Seal of the State of Nebraska to be affixed this Thirteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord Two Thousand Eleven.*



Attest:

*Jan D. Lee*  
Secretary of State

*Dave Heineman*  
Governor