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NORTH DAKOTA PETITION

REQUESTING THE REACTIVATION OF THE TRI-STATE COMMISSION OF GOVERNORS FROM THE STATES OF MINNESOTA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, AND PROVINCE OF MANITOBA.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, residents of the states of North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota and the province of Manitoba, hereby request the Governors, and the Premier take immediate action to re-establish a basin wide authority which authorizes each state to join forces to coordinate all basin wide water control projects that follow natural watershed boundaries, not political boundaries.

We request action be taken immediately to establish such an authority that will evaluate existing retention sites to determine what criteria is used to regulate discharge time, propose new storage sites, and review ungated structures with the purpose of installing retention/control systems for the benefit of the entire Red River basin.

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