



This Issue:

- *Public Input Requested*
- *Prescribed Burns in central Nebraska*
- *Coordinating Wildlife Biologists*

Whether satellite-tracking the migrating shorebird known as the Long-billed Curlew, setting prescription fires in grasslands of the Central Loess Hills or talking to a roomful of ranchers or elementary students, the Nebraska Natural Legacy Project works to improve conditions for the state's native wildlife. The project's success depends on the involvement of natural resource professionals, public and private organizations, and communities. The Nebraska Natural Legacy Project was launched in 2005 and will be updated this year. Come to a public input meeting to share your ideas about how to conserve wildlife and their habitats, while creating win-win situations for public recreation and agriculture. All meetings will happen from 6-8 pm. Refreshments will be provided.

**NEBRASKA NATURAL LEGACY PROJECT
PUBLIC INPUT MEETINGS**

<i>City and Date</i>	<i>Location</i>
Beatrice April 28	Beatrice Public Library
Lincoln May 17	Lower Platte South Natural Resources District
Kearney May 20	Yanney Park ERC Building
Omaha May 26	Papio-Missouri River Natural Resources District
North Platte May 27	West Central Research and Extension Center
Norfolk June 2	Lifelong Learning Center
Scottsbluff June 15	North Platte Natural Resources District
Chadron June 16	Upper Niobrara White Natural Resources District
Valentine June 22	Niobrara Lodge

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Prescribed Burns in central Nebraska are an effective way to keep exotic plants and eastern red cedars from invading the landscape. Many local landowners team up with the Central Nebraska Prescribed Burn Association and the Prescribed Burn Task Force to put effective fire conservation on the ground. For more information about fire in the central Loess Hills, contact Ben Wheeler at ben.wheeler@nebraska.gov or 308-728-3244 x 117



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