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"Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District Gives over \$4,000 for City Trees"



Nearly 300 trees were added to a Norfolk park and well field this year thanks to a grant from the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District (LENRD).

The City of Norfolk Tree Advisory Board had applied for the Community Forestry Incentive Program last fall for two tree planting projects. One was to add 18 trees to the east end of the Elkhorn River Trail in Ta-Ha-Zouka Park and the other was to add 250 trees to a City well field southwest of Norfolk. The LENRD paid 75% of the costs for the trees which actually included 18 park trees, 275 well field trees and grass seed for the well field.

Pictured from left are: Diane Becker, City of Norfolk Communications Director; Pat Mrsny, City of Norfolk Park Superintendent; Jessica Jasnoch, Tree Advisory Board member; John Kouba, City of Norfolk Health Inspector; Dr. G. Tom Surber, Tree Advisory Board chairman; Terry Hochstein, Tree Advisory Board member; Mark Hall, LENRD Board member; Jarad Dahlkoetter, Tree Advisory Board member; and Shane Weidner, City of Norfolk Administrator.