

The Village of Lindsay is in the Source Water Management “Spotlight”



“THIS MARKER IS DEDICATED TO THE GROUP OF IRISH FAMILIES FROM LINDSAY, ONTARIO CANADA WHO SETTLED HERE IN THE 1870’S THE PETITION TO INCORPORATE AS A VILLAGE WAS GRANTED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF PLATTE COUNTY ON MARCH 7, 1888.

THE CENTENNIAL WAS HELD JULY 1,2,3 1988

**THE TIME CAPSULE IS BURIED IN FRONT OF THIS MARKER.
TO BE OPENED IN THE YEAR 2038**

BELL ORIGINATED FROM LINDSAY, NEBRASKA SCHOOL DISTRICT 29”*

*-words from the monument

The busy Village of Lindsay is home to 276 citizens. Located in the rolling farm land of Platte County it is fortunate to be the home to Lindsay Manufacturing Co., international makers of Zimmatic irrigation center pivots. Lindsay Manufacturing Co. employs approximately 350 people locally. Lindsay Manufacturing Co. and Lindsay Holy Family High School are the two largest water system customers. The Village provides water from two municipal wells. Nitrate contamination of the ground water supply has become a problem. Community leaders have stepped forward to responsibly address the issue through a source water protection management program. They are working closely with NeRWA and the Lower Platte North NRD. The stakeholder group has representation from both village and rural members of the Lindsay Community. Chairman of the Village Board, David Albracht stated “I wish we had done this 5 or 10 years ago.”

Contact NeRWA Source Water Specialist, Mike Lucas for more information about protecting and a managing your source water protection area at lucas@nerwa.org or (402)443-6157.