



# RED RIVER RETENTION AUTHORITY

**JULY 25, 2023**  
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**FLOOD IMPACTS SURVEY**

The Red River Retention Authority (RRRA) is a joint powers board comprised of the Red River Watershed Management Board in Minnesota and the Red River Joint Water Resource District in North Dakota. The primary objective of the RRRA is to ensure joint, comprehensive, and strategic coordination of retention projects in the Red River of the North watershed and facilitating implementation and construction of water retention in the Red River Basin (RRB).

The RRRA is conducting an electronic survey to gain insights into farmer and landowner attitudes towards flood control in the RRB of Minnesota and North Dakota. Your answers to these questions will help the RRRA and its membership as they seek funds for flood control projects for future legislative sessions in both states.

	<b>Question</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>1</b>	Does flooding affect your ability to commence planting and harvest operations?		
<b>2</b>	Have you had crop damage due to flooding? If so, circle below which years damage occurred in recent times.  2023   2022   2021   2020   2019   Other Years: _____		
<b>3</b>	Are you willing to share information about financial or equity losses due to flooding in the last five years? If so, circle the ranges of economic loss below that depict your operation.  <\$50,000   \$50,001 to \$100,000   \$100,001 to \$250,000   Over \$250,001  Other Amount: _____		
<b>4</b>	Are you concerned about how future generations of farmers (your heirs) will be affected by flooding and how agriculture will be impacted?		
<b>5</b>	Should more be done by local water management authorities to limit flood impacts? If so, circle below what type of projects should be implemented.  Flood Impoundments   Farmstead Ring Dikes   Culvert Sizing  Drainage Practices   Floodplain Easements   Soil Health  Other: _____		
<b>6</b>	Should the States of Minnesota and North Dakota allocate more funds through state budgets for flood control projects being developed and constructed by local water management authorities?		

	Question	Yes	No
7	<p>Are you willing to pay more in property tax or assessments for additional flood control measures in your area? If so, circle your choices below.</p> <p>Property Tax    Assessments    User Fee    All</p>		
8	<p>Regarding flooding, what time of the year is more detrimental to your operation? Circle one choice.</p> <p>Spring          Summer          Fall</p>		
9	<p>What state, county, and watershed do you primarily farm in?</p> <p>State:</p> <p>County:</p> <p>Watershed:</p>		
	<b>Additional Comments:</b>		
	<b>Contact Information:</b> If you would like us to contact you, please include your contact information (name, phone number, email address, and mailing address).		

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