Engineer Opportunity

Garrison Diversion Conservancy District

Carrington, ND

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Established in 1955, Garrison Diversion was charged with using the water behind the Garrison Dam for the "prosperity and general welfare of all the people of North Dakota." Over the course of almost 60 years, Garrison Diversion has worked toward this end with an eye on the current and future needs of the people of our state. While Garrison Diversion has several areas of focus, the most vital are the development of irrigation systems and delivery of municipal and rural water supplies.

Red River Valley Water Supply Project >>>

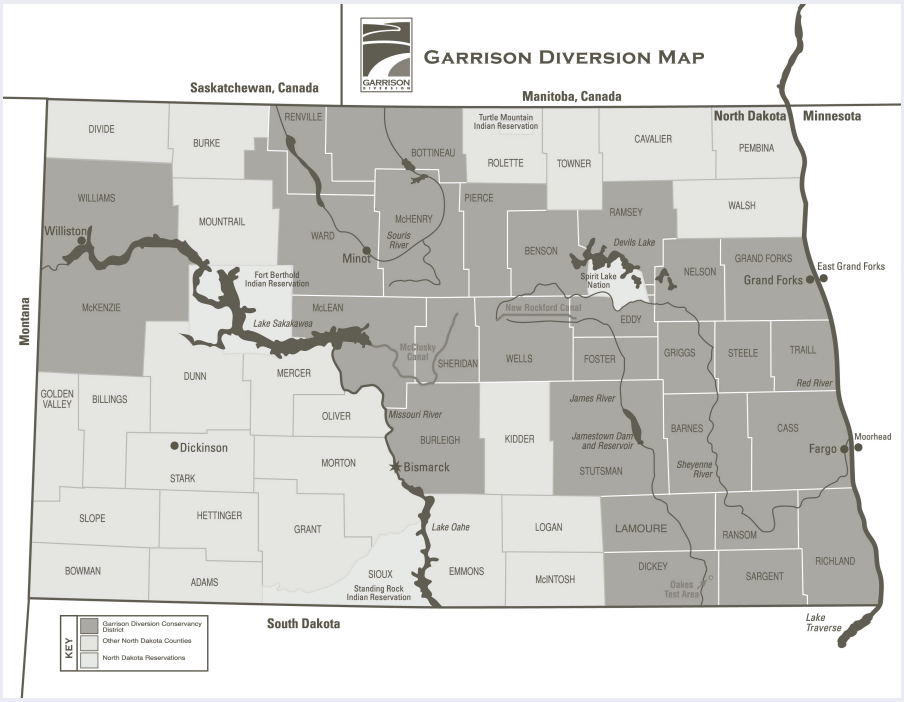
The Red River Valley Water Supply Project is designed to transport water from the Missouri River near Washburn via a buried pipeline to Lake Ashtabula, from which it can flow via the Sheyenne River to the Red River.

The RRVWSP would supplement local water supplies by delivering Missouri River water to the Sheyenne and Red Rivers to meet the comprehensive water needs of people and industries in the Red River Valley through the year 2050.

Agriculture and Natural Resources >>>

Garrison Diversion is now a multi-purpose project, but we have not forgotten that our roots are in agriculture.

Through valuable partnerships, we have been able to develop, expand and enhance irrigation efforts as we continue to invest in agriculture initiatives, including irrigation.



Garrison Diversion answers to the people of North Dakota, state government, and it's partners through:

- 28-member board of directors, whom oversee all Garrison Diversion activities; each member county elects one person in the general election to serve on the board of directors
- Regular reports to legislative committees
- Regular reports to the Governor at State Water Commission meetings

Operations & Maintenance >>>

Garrison Diversion is responsible for the operations and maintenance on the Garrison Diversion Unit project facilities under a cooperative agreement with the Bureau of Reclamation.

Recreation>>>

Twenty percent of Garrison Diversion's property tax funding goes toward the Matching Recreation Grant Program. To date, $4.5 million has been awarded to local recreation projects within the district.

Municipal, Rural & Industrial Water Supply Program >>>

The program provides hundreds of thousands of North Dakota citizens and businesses with reliable and high quality water.

Find us on the web at www.garrisondiversion.org

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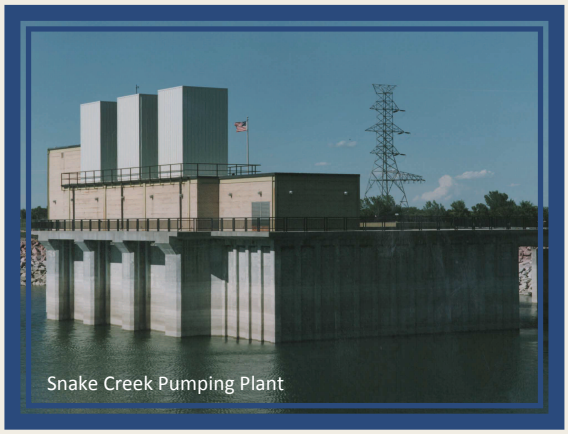
Garrison Diversion Staff

Garrison Diversion employs 39 individuals throughout four locations in Carrington, New Rockford, Oakes and McClusky. The operations and maintenance (O&M) staff includes a professional engineer, master electrician, certified diesel mechanic, painting and coating specialists, vegetative management specialists and multiple heavy equipment operators. A safety coordinator promotes safety procedures and implements a comprehensive safety program to ensure a safe work environment for all employees.


Snake Creek Pumping Plant

Garrison Diversion has established interagency cooperative agreements with a number of federal and government agencies to benefit the operations of everybody involved. The cooperative agreements were established to assist agencies with tasks they may not have the manpower or equipment to efficiently complete. Garrison Diversion has the knowledge, skill and equipment to complete a wide assortment of projects and has, therefore, contracted our services with these agencies: State Water Commission, Bureau of Reclamation, ND Game & Fish and US Fish & Wildlife.

McClusky Canal

The O&M staff is tasked with keeping the Garrison Diversion Unit (GDU) facilities in good working condition. Maintenance of the GDU existing facilities is performed under a cooperative agreement with the Bureau of Reclamation. The facilities include the McClusky Canal, New Rockford Canal and Oakes Test Area. Other facilities associated with the GDU, such as the Snake Creek Pumping Plant, Jamestown Reservoir, and Arrowwood and Audubon National Wildlife Refuges, receive Garrison Diversion's O&M assistance when requested.

Lake Agassiz Water Authority

Planning today for tomorrow's water

The Lake Agassiz Water Authority represents water users of the Red River Valley in the Red River Valley Water Supply Project and is comprised of cities and water districts in the Red River Valley.

The Lake Agassiz Water Authority was created by the state legislature to coordinate planning efforts and determine the best method to supply the Red River Valley with drinking water for sustainability, long-term growth and development.

Garrison Diversion administers the Lake Agassiz Water Authority.

CARRINGTON, ND

The Central City

According to the 2010 Census, the city has about 2,065 people.

The community of Carrington is dedicated to providing opportunities for people and businesses alike by collaborating, cooperating and committing time, resources and leadership to make Carrington a place where everyone is welcome and wants to live and work. We offer incentive packages, a safe and friendly community and a quality work force. We will convince you that Carrington is the place to bring your business and your family, just give us a chance.

Schools

Caring-Ton Preschool

Carrington Elementary
Kindergarten—6th Grade
Recognized as a National Blue Ribbon School in 2011

Carrington High School
7th—12th Grade

Activities

Baseball
Boys & Girls Track
Boys & Girls Basketball
Football
Volleyball
Wrestling
Dance

Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, 4-H, FFA

Churches

Bethel Chapel Assemblies of God

Trinity Lutheran ELCA

Calvary Baptist Church

Church of the Nazarene

Faith Baptist

Federated Church

Grace Lutheran

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

Entertainment

18-Hole Golf Course

Outdoor Swimming Pool

Youth Center

Bowling Alley

Movie Theater

Frisbee Golf Course

Outdoor Volleyball, Basketball and Tennis Courts

Foster County Fair

North Dakota LEGENDARY

- ND has recently been ranked as the friendliest state in the US, according to Cambridge University.
- ND ranks #1 as the safest place to live.
- ND ranks #1 for high school completion rates.
- ND offers abundant opportunities for the great outdoors: hunting, fishing, hiking, birding, camping and snowmobiling to name a few.

For more information regarding Garrison Diversion, Carrington or North Dakota, please visit the following websites:
http://www.garrisondiversion.org/
http://www.carringtonnd.com/
http://www.ndtourism.com/
http://www.carrington.k12.nd.us

BENEFITS AND REWARDS

The compensation for the Engineer's position is competitive and based on experience.

Garrison Diversion offers an extensive package for its employees. Benefits received are as follows:

- Employee Assistance Program
- Annual Leave
- Sick Leave
- Family Leave
- Personal Time Off
- Military leave
- Paid Jury Leave
- Leave without Pay
- Education and Training Assistance
- Group Health Insurance
- Life Insurance
- Retirement Plan—ND Public Employees Retirement System
- Deferred Compensation Plan
- Dental Insurance
- Flex Comp Plan
- Disability Retirement Benefits
- Workers Compensation
- Group Long-term Disability Plan Benefits
- Vision Insurance

Corn Irrigation from McClusky Canal

New Rockford Canal

O&M rip rapping at Garrison Dam

You are invited to apply for the Engineer position for the Garrison Diversion Conservancy District. Please send a letter of interest, resume and three professional references to:
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