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### TO LAND OWNERS UNDER THE TIETON PROJECT:

On next Saturday, July 7th, an election will be held to determine whether the Tieton Project shall be formed into an irrigation district. Your committee appointed at the last annual meeting of stockholders reported favorably, and after a careful investigation your Board of Trustees recommends the adoption of the district plan. The main advantages of the district plan appear to be: First, in the increased ability to make every acre pay its proportionate share of the expenses; second, a considerable saving to the water users actually farming their land due to the collection of charges against lands not now paying or liable for payment of the maintenance and operation fees; third, the ability to organize and carry out local improvement work, both of construction or drainage, without further organization expense; fourth, the removal of liens upon the lands now affecting the borrowing of money. It is hoped by the directors that through the district scheme the Farm Loan Act may be made available to the Tieton ranchers and to the Tieton water users, though definite assurances of this fact cannot at this time be made. A certain obstacle thereto is, however, removed.

The project has been divided into five (5) voting precincts, the boundaries of which are given in the Yakima Morning Herald of June 22, 29, and July 6th. Polling places are: Harwood Store, Cowiche School, Tieton School, Naches Heights Hall and the residence of A. M. Pearce on the Summitview Road.

Every land owner or owner of a community interest in land who is a qualified voter in this State can vote at this election. As a two-thirds majority is necessary to organize the district, we urge every voter to make special effort to get to the polls on Saturday, between the hours of 9:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.

You will also vote for three directors to hold office until January, 1918.

—H. M. Gilbert, W. I. Huxtable, John D. Griffiths, C. P. Wickersham, W. L. Lemon,  
Trustees. North Yakima, Wash., July 3, 1917.