

Please note: Registration is required for this tour and all tours. To register, contact Julie Ellingson at jellingson@ndwater.net or 701-223-8332.

Devils Lake Basin Joint Water Resource Board & North Dakota Water Education Foundation

Devils Lake Area: Working with Water

Thursday, June 22, 2023

- 8:00 a.m.** Registration: Lake Region State College – Hofstad Ag. Center (1801 College Drive N. Devils Lake) – Located at the north end of the campus.
- 8:30 a.m.** Bus departs for morning tour stops.
- 8:45 a.m.** Devils Lake Dike Protection Tour: Starting at the west end of the Devils Lake Truck Route, heading south towards ND Hwy. 19, the bus will then travel on top of the dike, giving participants a bird’s eye view from the top of the dike and really witness the magnitude of that 165-million dollar, 12-mile-long project. Along the route, the tour passes by the west lift station, Eagle Bend Estates, Henegar boat landing, accessible fishing pier on the north end of Creel Bay, and the Creel Bay Golf course.
- 9:30 a.m.** North Dakota National Guard’s Camp Grafton Tour
- 11:30 a.m.** Lunch – Camp Grafton Mess Hall
- 12:30 p.m.** Bus departs for afternoon tour stops.
- 1:00 p.m.** Afternoon Stops:
- East Devils Lake Outlet Intake Structure – Get an up-close view of the immense size of the 5 pumps totaling over 5,000 Horsepower and capable of moving 350 cubic feet per second.
 - Tolna Coulee Control Structure part of Devils Lake flood infrastructure
 - East Devils Lake Outlet Discharge Structure – witness firsthand as Devils Lake water is released into the Tolna Coulee via the 8-foot diameter discharge pipe (contingent on operation of the pumps)
 - Friends & Neighbors Café – City of Tolna Civic Leaders
 - Mike Tweed, ND Irrigation Association Board of Directors - Irrigation Pivot Presentation
- 5:00 p.m.** Arrival back in Devils Lake and the conclusion of the tour.