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TERRESTRIAL NATURAL COMMUNITIES OF NEBRASKA

The enclosed publication is a revision of the June 2003 version produced by Gerry Steinauer with the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission and Steve Rolfsmeier. It includes plant communities on uplands (prairies, woodlands, etc.) and wetlands that have rooted vegetation including rooted aquatic vegetation. A key included within the enclosed publication will help to classify a site into one of 83 plant communities.

Communities are described based on where they are found in the state, the landscapes they occupy, their diagnostic plant species (by scientific name), and their relative rarity and endangerment within the state (State Rank) and within the world (Global Rank). Information can be used to develop revegetation specifications, prioritize conservation efforts, or provide environmental education assistance.

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