

### TOPIC 1 – GARRISON DAM and DIVERSION

#### Topic Overview

Topic 1 highlights the building of Garrison Dam and the plans for Garrison Diversion. It includes primary sources that will help you understand why these projects were planned, outcomes of these plans, and effects on people in North Dakota.

#### Topic Objectives

- As a result of the study of Topic 1, you will be able to
  - Analyze and interpret primary documents.
  - Recognize the significance of the Garrison Dam in changing the landscape of North Dakota.
  - Scrutinize the positive and negative impacts of the Garrison Dam on people in North Dakota.

#### ND Content Standards

- 8.1.1
- 8.1.2
- 8.2.11
- 8.5.3

#### Common Core Standards

- RH 2
- RH 3
- RH 7
- WHST 2
- WHST 9

#### Topic Activities

- Reading a Map
- Organizing Data
- Debate/Discussion



## Reading a Map

To access a photo/document/map, refer to the topic reading assignment or use the SEARCH feature to enter its name or number.

When the Garrison Dam was built, the landscape of the Missouri River and its surrounding areas changed significantly. Study **Map 1** (before the Garrison Dam was built) and **Map 2** (after the Garrison Dam was built). Write what you observe for each map. Then, write what significant differences you noted between the two maps. Using the information you found, complete a *Discussion Web* found in the Debate/Discussion activity in this topic.

### Observation of Map 1

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### Observation of Map 2

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### Significant Differences You Observed between Map 1 and Map 2



## Organizing Data

To access a photo/document/map, refer to the topic reading assignment or use the SEARCH feature to enter its name or number.

From your reading and viewing the photos and maps in Topic 1, complete the charts below.

### Garrison Dam

Purpose of This Project	Outcomes of This project	Effects of This Project on People in North Dakota
Pro	Pro	Pro
Con	Con	Con
Summarize your viewpoints about the purpose of this project.	Summarize your viewpoints about the outcomes of this project.	Summarize your viewpoints about the effects of this project.



## Organizing Data (continued)

### Garrison Diversion

Purpose of This Plan	Outcomes of This Plan	Effects of This Plan on People in North Dakota
Pro          Con	Pro          Con	Pro          Con
<b>Summarize your viewpoints about the purpose of this plan.</b>	<b>Summarize your viewpoints about the outcomes of this plan.</b>	<b>Summarize your viewpoints about the effects of this plan.</b>



## Debate/Discussion

To access a photo/document/map, refer to the topic reading assignment or use the SEARCH feature to enter its name or number.

Study **Map 1** (before the Garrison Dam was built) and **Map 2** (after the Garrison Dam was built). Look at **Image 1. 2013-P-024-0400**, **Image 2. 0497-019**, **Image 3. 2013-P-024-0407**, and others in this topic to complete the following Discussion Web based on the statement, *The building of the Garrison Dam was beneficial for people in North Dakota.*

### SUPPORT

1.

List in the appropriate column a minimum of three reasons to support or disagree with the statement below.

### DISAGREE

1.

2.

**The building of the Garrison Dam was beneficial for people in North Dakota.**

2.

3.

3.

Discuss your reasons with a partner or small group. From the reasons given, what conclusion did you and your partner or small group reach after your discussion?

### Conclusion