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Set pollution control meetings next week

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Pollution control will be the subject of two meetings in Bloomfield next week.

A meeting to discuss the handling of sewage materials in the small towns will be held at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday and a meeting concerning the problems of environmental pollution relating to soil erosion and water quality will be held Wednesday.

The Tuesday night meeting is specifically for small towns that do not have an organized sewer system. It will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the courtroom of the Davis County Courthouse.

The meeting is being sponsored by the Davis County Rural Development Committee, which consists of local representatives of government agencies and the Davis County agencies and the Davis Coun-

ty Board of Supervisors.

"As the concern about pollution increases, the state laws will force remedies to some of these problems in the near future," William D. Byers, Davis County Extension director, said in discussing the purpose of the Tuesday night meeting.

Specialists who will discuss what might be done about sewage disposal are Ted Willrich, Extension engineer from Iowa State University specializing in water quality and treatment. Also on the agenda will be Don French of Fairfield, a consulting engineer. French completed a study earlier this year of the possibilities of county-wide water and sewerage systems.

The Wednesday meeting is designed for Davis county farm operators with

discussion centering around some of the factors of pollution problems concerning soil erosion and water quality.

It will begin at 10 a.m. Wednesday at the Bloomfield Christian Church and conclude about 3:30 p.m.

The morning session will be a discussion on water quality and treatment; feedlot run off pollution problems and suggestions on pollution control measures.

Afternoon discussion will be controlling pollution by management of soil and water movement in the land and discussion on the cooperative arrangements between farmers and local soil conservation districts.

Both meetings are open to anyone interested in the problems.