Kansas Department of Agriculture Division of Water Resources CHANGE: P/U WORKSHEET

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KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE Division of Water Resources

<u>MEMORANDUM</u>

TO: File

DATE: May 24, 2019

FROM: Leslie Ireland

RE: Water Right, File No. 45,835

Jolene K. Gatton-Snell on behalf of the Jolene K. Gatton-Snell Trust, owner of the irrigated place of use under the referenced file submitted an application to change the place of use on September 5, 2017. The application is being processed with a new application under File No. 49,900.

The right appears to be in compliance with K.S.A. 82a-732 and K.S.A 82a-1906, with no notice to nearby well owners, as there are no well owners within one-half (½) mile of the battery of wells authorized under this right. The application complies with K.A.R. 5-5-2a, appearing to be complete for the requested change.

The referenced file certified 560 gallons per minute (gpm) for the diversion of 169.4 acre-feet (AF) of groundwater from a battery of four (4) wells for the irrigation of 121 acres of row crops under a quarter section pivot without the corners. The place of use is in Section 9, Township 20, Range 10 West, Rice County. The appropriation has no additional limitations and is not in indicated to be in a special use area. The certificate indicated 121 acres as the maximum irrigated during perfection.

The change is to modify the 121 acres to 160 acres adding 39 acres that has been proposed to be irrigated with and additional 54.6 AF of groundwater water from File No. 49,900. The Junior right will be limited to 224 AF and 800 gpm with File No. 45,835. Per K.A.R. 5-3-24, *Reasonable quantity for irrigation use*, Rice County irrigation justifies 1.4 acre-foot per acre for the full irrigation of corn. This regulation would allow the proposed 160 acres to justify 224 AF, as proposed.

The approval of the new appropriation should assure there will not be a substantial increase in the historic net consumptive use under the referenced file due to safe yield assuring additional quantity is available. The change complies with Part 6 of K.A.R. 5-5-11, *Applications for change in place of use for irrigation purposes.* Thus the proposed change complies with K.A.R. 5-5-3, *Consumptive use.* The pivot is to be updated to irrigate the corners of the Northwest Quarter, of Section 9, for 160 acres to be authorized.

A water conservation plan meeting the guidelines of the Kansas Water Office will not be required as there appears to be sufficient quantity authorized for irrigation use. Water flowmeter will be required by the approval pursuant to K.A.R. 5-5-11. A check valve will be required if chemigating.

A compliance investigation completed in July of 2014 determined the actual location of the authorized well to be located 3,579 feet North and 2,604 feet West of the Southeast corner of Section 5, approximately 5 feet from the authorized location of 3,580 feet North and 2,580 feet West. It appears the location of the well complies with Part of KAR 5-5-6, *Failure to construct diversion works at authorized location*. The approval will update the location of the well to the feet distances as determined in the 2014 compliance investigation.

The proposed change was submitted to the Stafford Field Office for a recommendation. In a May 24, 2019, E-mail, Jeff Lanterman, SFO Water Commissioner indicated there was no objection to the approval of the change in place of use with the approval of the new appropriation, File No. 49,900.

Based on the above discussion, that the change is reasonable, the historical consumptive use will not substantially be increased due to the approval of the new appropriation, impairment to existing water rights is unlikely, and that no change in the local source of supply will occur, it is recommended that the referenced application be approved.

Leslie Ireland Environmental Scientist Water Appropriation Program 1320 Research Park Drive Manhattan, KS 66502 785-564-6700 www. agriculture.ks.gov



900 SW Jackson, Room 456 Topeka, KS 66612 785-296-3556

Laura Kelly, Governor

Mike Beam, Secretary

June 7, 2019 FILE COPY

THOMAS C SNELL 509 W 6TH ST ELLINWOOD KS 67526

RE: Water Right, File No. 45,835

Dear Mr. Snell:

Enclosed is the order executed by the Chief Engineer, Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture, approving the application for change under the referenced file.

Your attention is directed to the enclosures and to the terms, conditions, and limitations specified in the approval for change. A condition of the approval for is that an acceptable water flowmeter must be installed on the diversion works.

Since this order modifies the original document referred to above, it should be recorded with the Register of Deeds as other instruments affecting real estate.

If you have any questions, please contact Leslie Ireland, Environmental Scientist, at (785) 564-6633, or our staff at the Stafford Field Office, (620) 234-5311. If you wish to discuss a specific file, please have the file number ready so that we may help you more efficiently.

Sincerely,

Lane P. Letourneau, P.G.

Water Appropriation Program Manager

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KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE Mike Beam, Secretary of Agriculture

DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCESDavid W. Barfield, Chief Engineer

APPROVAL OF APPLICATION FOR CHANGE IN PLACE OF USE WATER RIGHT, FILE NO. 45,835

The Chief Engineer, Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture, after due consideration of the written application of Jolene K. Gatton-Snell, as Trustee of the Jolene K. Gatton-Snell Trust 509 W 6th Street, Ellinwood, Kansas 67526, received in the office of the Chief Engineer on September 5, 2017, for approval of a change in the location of the place of use under the certificate of appropriation issued pursuant to the permit to appropriate water for beneficial use, finds that the change is reasonable and will not impair existing rights, and that the application should be and is hereby approved.

The effective date of the change shall be the date this order is executed by the Chief Engineer, after which the authorized location of the place of use shall be:

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a total of 160 acres, in Section 9, Township 20 South, Range 10 West, Rice County, Kansas,

located substantially as shown on the topographic map accompanying the application to change the place of use.

All diversion works into which any type of chemical or other foreign substance will be injected into the water pumped from the diversion works shall be equipped with an in-line, automatic, quick-closing check valve capable of preventing pollution of the source of the water supply. The type of valve installed shall meet specifications adopted by the Chief Engineer and shall be maintained in an operating condition satisfactory to the Chief Engineer.

The water right owner shall properly install an acceptable water meter on each of the diversion works authorized under this water right, prior to the use of water, in strict accordance with the Kansas Administrative Regulations 5-1-4 through 5-1-12 adopted by the Chief Engineer. The water right owner shall notify the Chief Engineer when installation of the water meter has been completed. The water right owner shall maintain the water meter in an operating condition satisfactory to the Chief Engineer, at all times during diversion of water and shall maintain records from which the total quantity of water diverted may be determined. The water right owner shall also report the reading of said water meter and the total quantity of water diverted annually to the Chief Engineer. Such records shall be furnished to the Chief Engineer by March 1 following the end of each calendar year.

In all other respects, the Certificate of Appropriation issued pursuant to Approval of Application, File No. 45,835, for permit to appropriate water for beneficial use, is as stated and set forth in the Certificate of Appropriation dated July 17, 2017.

Ordered this 30 Lday of May

, 2019, in Manhattan, Riley County, Kansas.

Lane P. Letourneau, P.G.

Program Manager

Division of Water Resources Kansas Department of Agriculture

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The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 50 day of Mour , 2019, by Lane P. Letourneau, P.G., Program Manager, Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture.

DANIELLE WILSON
My Appointment Expires
August 23, 2020

Notary Public

RIGHT TO A HEARING AND TO ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW

If you are aggrieved by this Order, then pursuant to K.S.A. 82a-1901, you may:

- 1) request an evidentiary hearing before the Chief Engineer, or
- 2) request administrative review by the Secretary of Agriculture.

Failure to request an evidentiary hearing before the Chief Engineer does not preclude your right to administrative review by the Secretary.

To obtain an evidentiary hearing before the Chief Engineer, a written request for hearing must be filed within 15 days after service of this Order as provided in K.S.A. 77-531 (i.e., within a total of 18 days after this Order was mailed to you), with: Kansas Department of Agriculture, Attn: Legal Section, 1320 Research Park Drive, Manhattan, KS 66502, FAX (785) 564-6777.

If you do not file a request for an evidentiary hearing before the Chief Engineer, you may petition for administrative review of the Order by the Secretary of Agriculture. A petition for review shall be in writing and state the basis for requesting administrative review. The request for hearing may be denied if the request fails to clearly establish factual or legal issues for review. See K.S.A. 77-527. The petition must be filed within 30 days after service of this Order as provided in K.S.A. 77-531 (i.e., within a total of 33 days after this Order was mailed to you), and be filed with: Secretary of Agriculture, Attn: Legal Division, Kansas Department of Agriculture, 1320 Research Park Drive, Manhattan, KS 66502, FAX (785) 564-6777.

If neither a request for an evidentiary hearing nor a petition for administrative review is filed as set forth above, then this Order shall be effective and become a final agency action as defined in K.S.A. 77-607(b). Failure to timely request either an evidentiary hearing or administrative review may preclude further judicial review under the Kansas Judicial Review Act.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

On this day , 2019, I hereby certify that the attached Approval of Application for Change in Place of Use, Water Right, File No. 45,835 dated, Water Right, File No. 45,835 da

THOMAS C SNELL 509 W 6TH ST ELLINWOOD KS 67526

With photocopies sent to:

Stafford Field Office

Division of Water Resources

KS DEPT OF AGRICULTURE

Submit To: CHIEF ENGINEER Division of Water Resources Kansas Department of Agriculture 1320 Research Park Drive Manhattan, Kansas 66502 http://agriculture.ks.gov/dwr

APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL TO CHANGE THE PLACE OF USE, THE LER RESOURCE SON ON THE ASSOURCE THE AN ADDITION OF THE MATER AND ADDI **EXISTING WATER RIGHT**



Filing Fee Must Accompany the Application (Please refer to Fee Schedule on signature page of application form.)

Paragraph Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 & 8 must be completed. Complete all other applicable portions. A topographic map or detailed plat showing the authorized and proposed points(s) of diversion and /or place of use must accompany this application.

1.	Application is hereby made for approval of the Chief Engineer to change the
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	☐ Use Made of Water
	File No. <u>45835</u>
2.	Name of applicant: Thomas C Snell
	Address: 509 W 6 th St
	City, State and Zip: Ellinwood, KS 67526
	Phone Number: <u>(620)564-3312</u> E-mail address:
	What is your relationship to the water right; owner tenant agent other? If other, please explain. Husband
	Name of water use correspondent: Thomas C Snell
	Address: 509 W 6 th St
	City, State and Zip: Ellinwood, KS 67526
	Phone Number: (620)564-3312
3.	The change(s) proposed herein are desired for the following reasons (please be specific): Filing new application which will
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	The change(s) will be completed by <u>ASAP</u>
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12.	The presently authorized use of water is for <u>Irrigation</u> purposes.
	It is proposed that the use be changed to No Change purpose EP 0 5 2017
13.	If changing the place of use and/or use made of water, describe how the consumptive use will not be increased.
	applied for a new application for additional quantity (overlapping p/d and p/u) as consumptive use will increase.
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	(Please show any calculations here.)
14.	It is requested that the maximum annual quantity of water be reduced to (acre-feet or million gallons).
15.	It is requested that the maximum rate of diversion of water be reduced to gallons per minute (c.f.s.).
16.	The application must include either a topographic map or detailed plat. A U.S. Geological Survey Topographic Map, scale 1:24,000, is available through the Kansas Geological Survey, 1930 Constant Avenue, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas 66047-3726 (www.usgs.gov). The map should show the location of the presently authorized point(s) of diversion. Distances North and West of the Southeast corner of the section must be shown. The presently authorized place of use should also be shown. Identify the center of the section, the section lines and the section corners and show the appropriate section, township, and range numbers on the map. In addition the following information must also be shown on the map.
	a. If a change in the location of the point(s) of diversion is proposed, show:
	 The location of the proposed point(s) of diversion. Distances North and West of the Southeast corner of the section must be shown. Please be certain that the information shown on the map agrees with the information shown in Paragraph Nos. 9, 10 and 11 of the application.
	2) If the source of supply is groundwater, please show the location of existing water wells of any kind, including domestic wells, within ½ mile of the proposed well or wells. Identify each well as to its use and furnish name and mailing address of the property owner or owners. If there are no wells within ½ mile, please indicate so on the map.
	3) If the source of supply is surface water, the names and mailing addresses of all landowner(s) ½ mile downstream and ½ mile upstream from your property lines must be shown.
	b. If a change in the place of use is desired, show the proposed place of use by crosshatching on the map. Please be certain that the information shown on the map agrees with the information shown in Paragraph No. 5 of the application.
17.	Attach documentation to show the change(s) proposed herein will not impair existing water rights and relates to the same local source of supply as to which the water right relates. This information may include statements, plats, geology reports, well logs, test hole logs, and other information as necessary information to show the above. Additional comments may be made below.
18.	If the proposed change(s) does not meet all applicable rules and regulations of the Kansas Water Appropriation Act, please identify the rules and regulations for which you request a waiver. State the reason why a waiver is needed and why the request should be granted. Attach documentation showing that granting the request will not impair existing water rights and will not prejudicially and unreasonably affect the public interest.
	The need for a waiver is not anticipated.

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IF MORE SPACE IS NEEDED, ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS AS NECESSARY

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Any use of water that is not as authorized by the water right or permit to authorize water before the chief engineer approves this application is a violation of the Kansas Water Appropriation Act for which criminal or chief penalties may be assessed. Such violation is a class C misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not to exceed \$500 and/or a term of confinement not to exceed one month in the county jail. K.S.A. 82a-728(b). Civil penalties shall be not less than \$100 nor more than \$1,000 per violation. In the case of a continuing violation, each day such violation continues may be deemed a separate violation. In addition to these penalties the water right may be modified or suspended. K.S.A. 82a-737, as amended.

The application must be signed by all owners of the place of use authorized under the water right and his or her spouse, if married. Please indicate if there is no spouse. If land is being purchased under contract, the seller must sign as landowner until such time as the contract is completed.

In the event that all applicants cannot appear before one notary public, they may as necessary sign separate copies of the application before any notary public conveniently available to them. All copies signed in this manner shall be considered to be valid parts of the application.

If the request is signed on behalf of any Owner by someone with legal authority to do so (for example, an agent, one who has power of attorney, or an executor, executrix, conservator), it will be necessary to attach proper documents showing such authority.

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Each application to change the place of use, the point of diversion or the use made of the water under this section shall be accompanied by the application fee set forth in the schedule below:

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Make check payable to Kansas Department of Agriculture.

Ireland, Leslie [KDA]

From:

Lanterman, Jeff [KDA]

Sent:

Friday, May 24, 2019 11:08 AM

To:

Conant, Cameron [KDA]; Ireland, Leslie [KDA]; Baum, Kristen [KDA]

Subject:

RE: Recommendation for change in place of use File No. 45835 Snell

Leslie:

This looks good to go. As Cameron noted I already made a recommendation on the new application so you might coordinate with Kristen and send these as a package.

Thanks and HAPPY FRIDAY.

Jeff

From: Conant, Cameron [KDA]

Sent: Friday, May 24, 2019 8:56 AM

To: Lanterman, Jeff [KDA] < Jeff.Lanterman@ks.gov>

Subject: FW: Recommendation for change in place of use File No. 45835 Snell

Jeff,

This new application/change application is located about 2 miles east of the GMD#5 border in Rice County. Matt worked the new app and you recommended approval on it at the beginning of May...with the understanding that this p/u change also was in the works.

The change is to allow 160 acres in the NW¼ to be irrigated. They recently perfected the senior file but it was short so they requested the new app and change to the full quarter. They now have adequate water with approval of the new app so this change is reasonable and we can recommend approval of this one and it should all get approved and finalized with the new app.

Please pass on to Leslie that this change is good to go and you already recommended on the new app.

Cameron

From: Ireland, Leslie [KDA]

Sent: Tuesday, May 21, 2019 4:03 PM

To: Conant, Cameron [KDA] < Cameron. Conant@ks.gov>

Subject: RE: Recommendation for change in place of use File No. 45835 Snell

Cameron,

So busy with a DB file I didn't see this email. So sorry.

I do have the email from Matt with all the new app stuff and am working on getting it printed.

The safe yield used 1.7 inches and 75% recharge found 854.1 AF of which 717.1 AF was appropriated. The 137.41 AF available for appropriation. The new appropriation is requesting 224 AF having an additional 54.6 AF on top of the 169.4 AF under File No. 45835.

The 54.6 AF that will be appropriated under the new app leaves 82.81 AF at the point for any future applications... 🕲

Leslie

From: Conant, Cameron [KDA]

Sent: Wednesday, May 15, 2019 12:24 PM
To: Ireland, Leslie [KDA] < Leslie. Ireland@ks.gov>

Subject: FW: Recommendation for change in place of use File No. 45835 Snell

Hello Leslie, I was hoping to get these reviews out today. Do you have a memo for the new app as I assume they are being processed together? What did the SY analysis look like for 49900?

Thanks, Cameron

From: Ireland, Leslie [KDA]

Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2019 2:01 PM

To: Conant, Cameron [KDA] < Cameron. Conant@ks.gov >

Subject: FW: Recommendation for change in place of use File No. 45835 Snell

Cameron,

This is for you too.....

Leslie

From: Ireland, Leslie [KDA]

Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2019 2:00 PM

To: Lanterman, Jeff [KDA] < Jeff.Lanterman@ks.gov>

Subject: Recommendation for change in place of use File No. 45835 Snell

Please let me know if you'd recommend this change in PU with the new application File No. 49,900.

As always comments and concerns are welcome.

Leslie Ireland, Environmental Scientist Kansas Department of Agriculture Division of Water Resources - Change Unit (785) 564-6633 Leslie.Ireland@ks.gov www.agriculture.ks.gov



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THOMAS C SNELL

9/6/2017

509 W 6TH ST ELLINWOOD, KS 67526

RE: File No 45835

Dear Sir or Madam:

An application for approval of the Chief Engineer to change the following condition or conditions of the file number referred to above has been received:

> PU place of use point of diversion use made of water

As a matter of record, the Division of Water Resources has on hand a large number of applications awaiting processing. Therefore, to be fair to all concerned, and so that we can process those applications on hand in the order they were received, we intend to concentrate on the backlog of applications until the issue is resolved. You will be contacted regarding this application as soon as it has been examined.

In accordance with the provisions of the Kansas Water Appropriation Act, a portion of which is included below, the use of water prior to approval of the application is unlawful. You should not proceed and divert water as indicated by your plans in your application for a change for this file until you receive approval for this change from the Chief Engineer. Once approved, compliance with the terms, conditions and limitations of the permit is necessary. Conservation of the water resources of Kansas is required.

Section 82a-728 of the Kansas Water Appropriation Act, provides (a) except for the appropriation of water for the purpose of domestic use, . . . it shall be unlawful for any person to appropriate or threaten to appropriate water from any source without first applying for and obtaining a permit to appropriate water in accordance with the provisions of the Water Appropriation Act or for any person to violate any condition of a vested right, appropriation right or an approved application for a permit to appropriate water for beneficial use.

(b) (1) The violation of any provision of this section by any person is a class C misdemeanor... A class C misdemeanor is punishable by a fine not to exceed \$500 and/or a term of confinement not to exceed one month in the county jail. Each day that the violation occurs constitutes a separate offense.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (785) 564-6645. If you wish to discuss a specific file, please have the file number ready so that we may help you more efficiently.

Sincerely,

Brent Tourney, L.G.

Change Applications Unit Supervisor

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