Kansas Department of Agriculture Division of Water Resources CLOSURE OF NEW APPLICATION WORKSHEET

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KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE Division of Water Resources

MEMORANDUM

TO: Files DATE: August 19, 2016

FROM: Alex Whitesell RE: Application, File No. 49,506

Dorothy E. Peterson Trust had filed the above referenced application for a permit to appropriate water for beneficial use, proposing the appropriation of 150 acre-feet of groundwater for irrigation use in McPherson County, Kansas.

The source of water supply for the proposed irrigation well would be Alluvium, Slope and Terrace Deposits based on the Kansas Geological Survey Bulletin No. 79. The specific method for calculating safe yield for unconfined groundwater aquifers is described in K.A.R. 5-3-11. Based on the area of consideration, the calculated recharge and the percent of the calculated recharge that can be considered to be available for appropriation, safe yield was determined to be 1,235.90 acre-feet, and that prior appropriations within this same area of consideration have appropriated 1,330.27 acre-feet, leaving no additional water available for appropriation.

The applicant was sent a letter on January 7, 2016 explaining the safe yield evaluation and stating that it would be recommended to the Chief Engineer that pending application, File No. 49,506 be denied and dismissed due to the failure to meet safe yield criteria, as required by K.A.R. 5-3-10 and K.A.R. 5-3-11. The applicant was provided 15 days (until January 22, 2016) to either (1) submit additional information to our office or (2) request additional time beyond the 15 days to submit additional information.

Extensions were granted on February 9, 2016, March 9, 2016, and April 28, 2016 giving until June 22, 2016 to provide additional information.

Scott Ross submitted additional information on behalf of the applicant proposing an offset on June 15, 2016 and November 14, 2016. In a conference call with Brent Turney, Change Application Unit Supervisor and Kelly Stewart, Water Commissioner of the Stockton Field Office, it was determined that the additional information was not sufficient.

Based on the above discussion, the referenced file should be dismissed.

Alex Whitesell

Environmental Scientist

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900 SW Jackson, Room 456 Topeka, Kansas 66612 (785) 296-3556

Jackie McClaskey, Secretary

Governor Sam Brownback

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DOROTHY E PETERSON TRUST 1501 E MAGNOLIA APT 34 SALINA KS 67401

RE:

Dismissal of Application

File No. 49,506

Dear Mr. Peterson:

Enclosed is the Findings and Order by the Chief Engineer, Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture, dismissing Application, File No. 49,506 for failure to meet safe yield criteria in K.A.R. 5-3-11.

This Order shall become a final agency action, as defined by K.S.A. 77-607(b), without further notice to the parties, if a request for hearing or a petition for administrative review is not filed as set forth in the enclosed Order.

If you have any questions, please contact our office. If you wish to discuss a specific file, please have the file number ready so that we may help you more efficiently.

Sincerely,

Brent A. Turney, P.G.

Change Application Unit Supervisor

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Stockton Field Office



KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Jackie McClaskey, Secretary of Agriculture

DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES

David W. Barfield, Chief Engineer

FINDINGS AND ORDER IN THE MATTER OF THE DISMISSAL OF APPLICATION FILE NO. 49,506

After due consideration, the Chief Engineer, Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture (hereinafter referred to as the "Chief Engineer"), makes the following findings and order:

FINDINGS

- 1. That on November 19, 2015, the Chief Engineer received an application from Dorothy E. Peterson Trust for permit to appropriate ground water for beneficial use, assigned File No. 49,506, proposing the appropriation of 150 acre-feet of water for irrigation use from a battery of four (4) wells with a geographic center located in the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (Ne¼ NW¼ NW¾) of Section 4, more particularly described as being near a point 5,080 feet North and 4,305 feet West of the Southeast corner of said section, in Township 17 South, Range 3 West, McPherson County, Kansas.
- 2. That K.S.A. 82a-711 requires the Chief Engineer to ascertain whether a proposed use will impair an existing water right, or prejudicially and unreasonably affect the public interest, shall take into consideration the unreasonable raising or lowering of the static water level, the area, safe yield and recharge rate of the appropriate water supply, the priority of existing claims of all persons to use the water of the appropriate water supply, the amount of each claim to use water from the appropriate water supply and all other matters pertaining to such question.
- 3. That K.A.R. 5-3-9 provides that it shall be considered to be in the public interest that only the safe yield of any source of water supply, including hydraulically connected sources of water supply, shall be appropriated.
- 4. That the source of water for the pending application Alluvium and hydraulically connected Slope and Terrace Deposits based on the Kansas Geological Survey Bulletin No. 79.
- 5. That the specific method for calculating safe yield for unconfined groundwater aquifers is described in K.A.R. 5-3-10 and K.A.R. 5-3-11.
- 6. That based on the area of consideration (extent of the unconfined aquifer), the calculated recharge, and the percent of the calculated recharge that can be considered to be available for appropriation, safe yield was determined to be 1,235.90 acre-feet. Prior water rights within this same area of consideration have appropriated 1,330.27 acre-feet, leaving no additional water available for appropriation.

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7. That on January 7, 2016, a letter was mailed to the applicant stating that the application did not comply with the safe yield requirements of K.A.R. 5-3-10 and K.A.R. 5-3-11, and that the application would be submitted to the Chief Engineer with a recommendation that it be denied and dismissed, for failure to meet safe yield criteria. The applicant was provided 15 days, until January 22, 2016 to either submit additional information to our office or request additional time, prior to final action on the application.

- 8. That extensions were given on February 9, 2016, March 9, 2016, and April 28, 2016 giving until June 22, 2016 to provide additional information.
- 9. In an email received in the office of the Chief Engineer on June 15, 2016, Scott Ross responded on behalf of the applicant to supply additional information to be considered by the Chief Engineer.
- 10. That on November 14, 2016, Scott Ross, on behalf of the applicant, supplied additional information to be considered by the Chief Engineer.
- 11. That the information submitted by Mr. Ross on June 15, 2016 and November 14, 2016, did not demonstrate that the application described in paragraph No. 1 above complies with K.A.R. 5-3-11, nor did it demonstrate justification for a waiver of K.A.R. 5-3-11.
- 12. That the application should be denied and dismissed and its priority forfeited for failure to comply with K.S.A. 82a-711, K.A.R. 5-3-9, K.A.R. 5-3-10 and K.A.R. 5-3-11.

<u>ORDER</u>

NOW, THEREFORE, It is the decision and order of the Chief Engineer, Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture, that effective the date of this order, in accordance with the law, Application, File No. 49,506, is herewith dismissed and the priority assigned to it is considered to be forfeited.

This Order shall become a final agency action, as defined by K.S.A. 77-607(b), without further notice to the parties, if a request for hearing or a petition for administrative review is not filed as set forth below.

Request for Hearing. According to K.A.R. 5-14-3(c), any party who desires a hearing must submit a request within 15 days after the date shown on the Certificate of Service attached to this Order. Filing a request for a hearing will give you the opportunity to submit additional facts for consideration, contest any findings made by the Chief Engineer, or present any other information you believe should be considered in this matter. A timely-filed request for hearing will stay the deadline for requesting administrative review of this Order pending the outcome of the hearing.

Petition for Review. The applicant, if aggrieved by this Order, may petition for administrative review, pursuant to K.S.A. 82a-711(c) and K.S.A. 82a-1901(a). The petition must be filed within 30 days after the date shown on the Certificate of Service attached to this Order and must set forth the basis for the review, unless stayed by the timely filing of a request for hearing.

Any request for hearing or petition for administrative review shall be in writing and shall be submitted to the attention of: Chief Legal Counsel, Kansas Department of Agriculture, 1320 Research Park Drive, Manhattan, Kansas 66502, Fax: (785) 564-6777.

Ordered this 23rd day of November, 2016, in Topeka, Shawnee County, Kansas.

Lane P. Letourneau, P.G. Program Manager Water Appropriation Program

Division of Water Resources Kansas Department of Agriculture

State of Kansas

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County of Riley

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



Notary Public

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

2016, I hereby certify that the foregoing Dismissal of Application, File No. 49,506, dated Wavember 23, 2016 was mailed postage prepaid, first class, US mail to the following:

DOROTHY E PETERSON TRUST 1501 E MAGNOLIA APT 34 SALINA KS 67401

With photocopies to:

Stockton Field Office

Division of Water Resources

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KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE Dale A. Rodman, Secretary of Agriculture

DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES David W. Barfield, Chief Engineer

File Number 49506
This item to be completed by the Division of Water Resources.

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE WATER FOR BENEFICIAL USE

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Filing Fee Must Accompany the Application (Please refer to Fee Schedule attached to this application form.)

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| | To the Chief Engineer of the | e Division of Wate | r Resources, Kansas Depart | ment of Agriculture, |
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| | 109 SW 9 ^s | Street, Second F | Hoor, Topeka, KS 66612-12 | 63: |
| 1. | Name of Applicant (Please Print): | DoRoth | , E. PETERSON | TRUST |
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| 2. | The source of water is: | surface water in | C W (See a) | |
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| | (i) ☐ Domestic (i) | ☐ Dewatering | (k) Hydraulic Dredging | (I) Fire Protection |
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| | Well location as shown in paragraph No. | | (C) | (D) |
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| | Total depth of well | 50' | | - |
| | Depth to water bearing formation | 35' | | |
| | Depth to static water level | 15' | | |
| | Depth to bottom of pump intake pipe | 48' | | |
| 14. | The relationship of the applicant to the OUNER (owner, lenant, agent or otherwise) The owner(s) of the property where the war | | | |
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| 16. | The undersigned states that the information this application is submitted in good faith. Dated at, Kansa | | } | |
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| ₽ | (Agent or Officer Signature) | APPLIC | and/or CANT(S) TAXPAYER L | D. NO.(S) |
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| | Have you also made an application for a permit for construction of this dam and Water Resources? Yes No | reservoir v | with the Division of |
| | If yes, show the Water Structures permit number here | | |
| | If no, explain here why a Water Structures permit is not required | | |
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| 11. | The application <u>must</u> be supplemented by a U.S.G.S. topographic map, aerial showing the following information. On the topographic map, aerial photograph, or section, the section lines or the section corners and show the appropriate section, Also, please show the following information: | plat, identi | fy the center of the |
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| 12. | List any application, appropriation of water, water right, or vested right file number to points or any of the same place of use described in this application. Also list any of the existing permits or water rights in conjunction with the filing of this application. | | |
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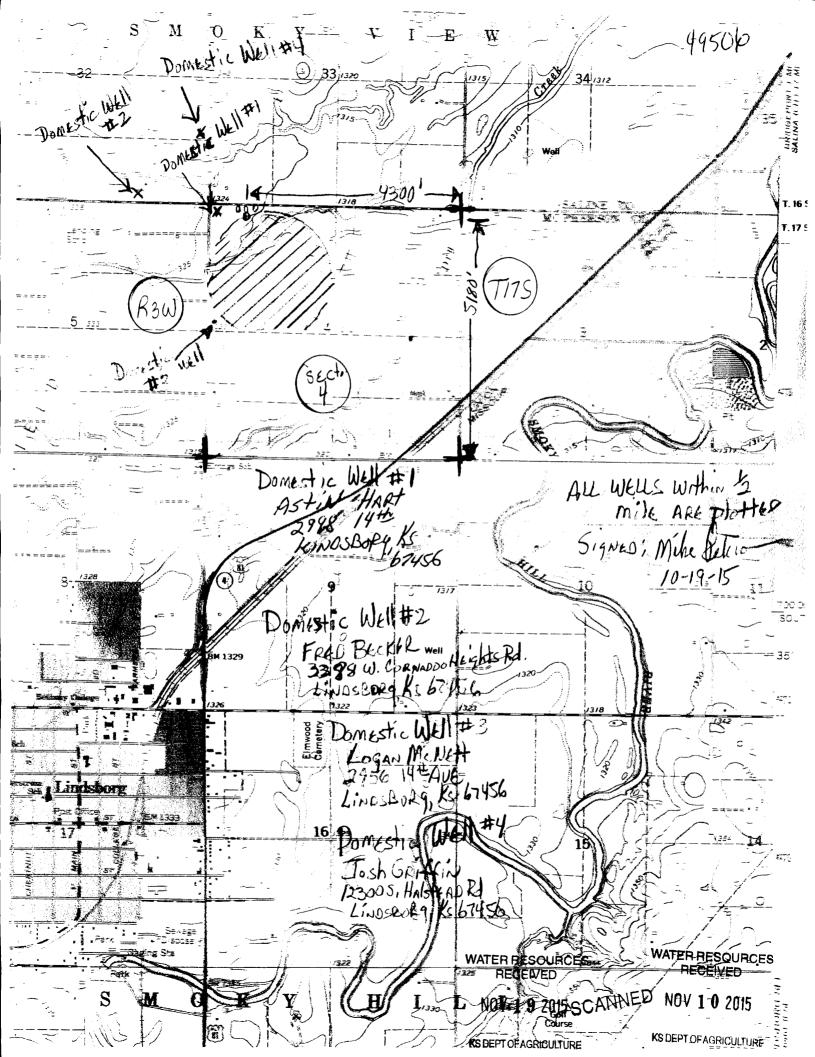
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FILE NO. 49506

Safe Yield Report Sheet Proposed Water Right Application Point of Diversion in NENENWNW 04-17S-03W

Analysis Results

The selected PD is in an area to new appropriations. The safe yield, based on the variables listed below is 1,235.90 AF. Total prior appropriation in the circle is 1,330.27 AF. Total quantity of water available for appropriation is 0.00 AF.

Safe Yield Variables

The area used for the analysis is set at 7847 acres. Potential annual recharge of the area is estimated to be 2.52 inches. The percent of recharge available for appropriation is 75%.

Authorized Quantity values are as of 10-DEC-2015 and are based on Appropriated and Vested ground water right and possible stream nodes for GMD #2. Domestic, Term and Temporary water rights have been excluded.

There are 16 water right(s) and 18 point(s) of diversion within the circle.

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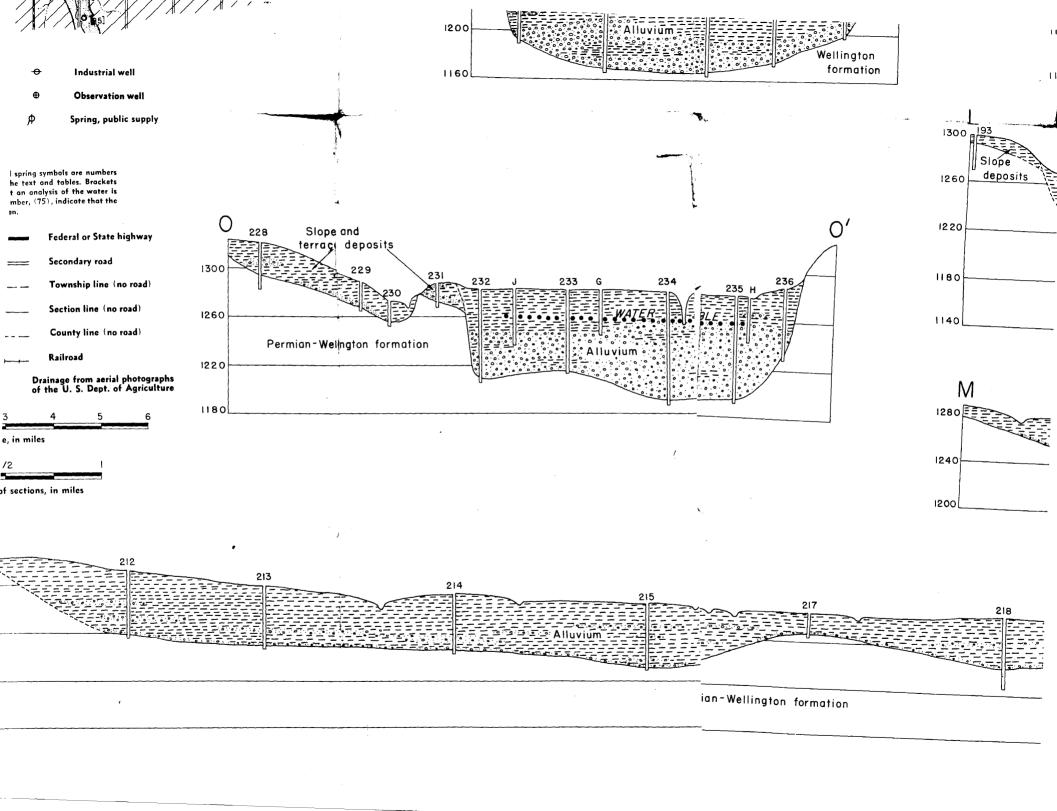
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1320 Research Park Drive Manhattan, Kansas 66502 Jackie McClaskey, Secretary



Phone: (785) 564-6700 Fax: (785) 564-6777 Email: ksag@kda.ks.gov www.agriculture.ks.gov

Sam Brownback, Governor

November 23, 2015

DOROTHY E PETERSON TRUST 1501 E MAGNOLIA APT 34 SALINA KS 67401

RE: Application File No. 49506

Dear Sir or Madam:

Your application for permit to appropriate water in 4-17S-3W in McPherson County, was received and has been assigned the file number noted above.

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. Once review of your application has begun, we will contact you, if additional information is required.

In accordance with the provisions of the Kansas Water Appropriation Act, a portion of which is included below, the use of water as proposed prior to approval of the application is unlawful. 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) 564-6634. If you wish to discuss a specific file, please have the file number ready so that we may help you more efficiently.

Sincerely

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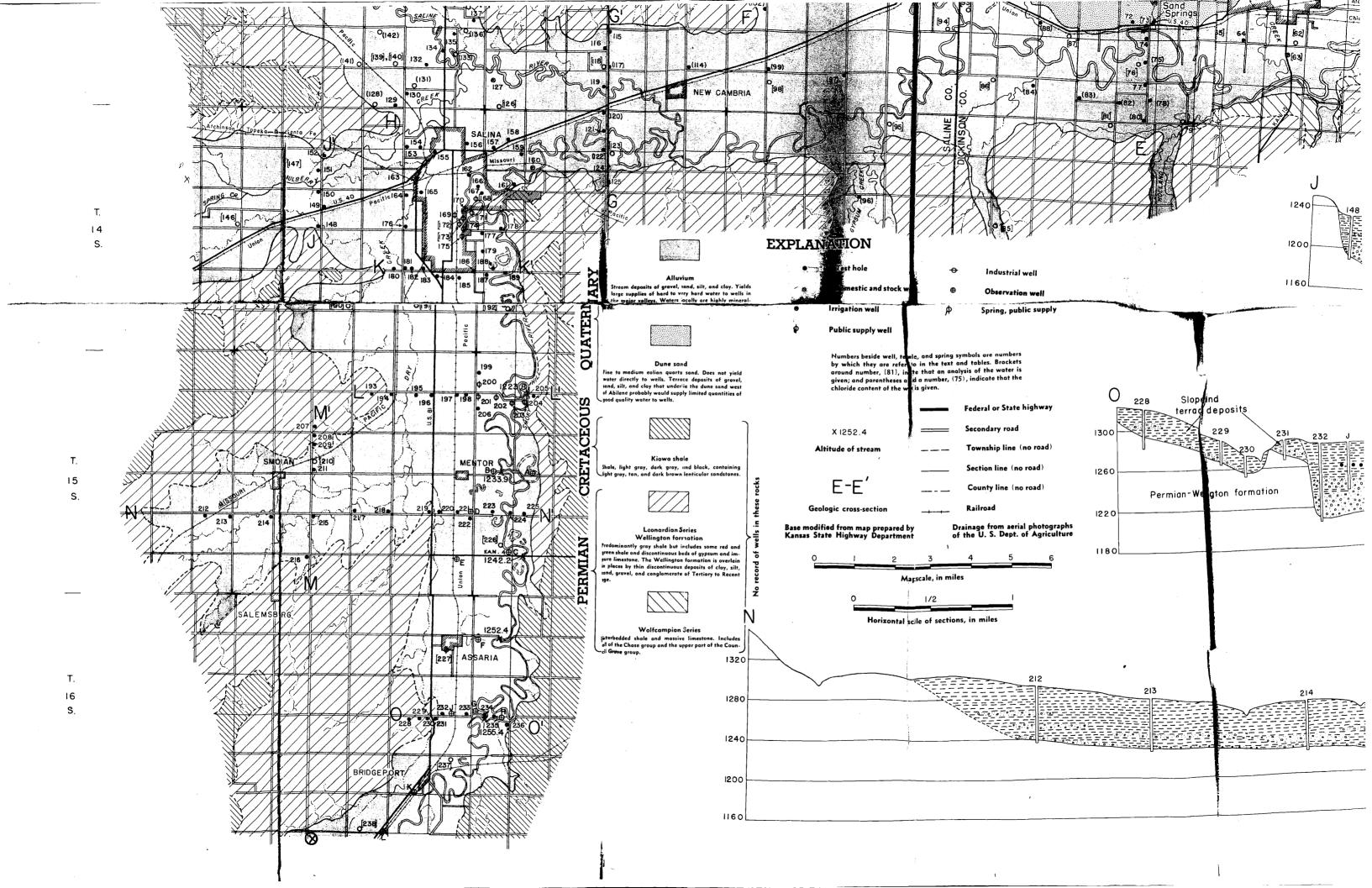
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WATER RIGHTS INVESTIGATIVE SERVICE 209 SOUTH ASH ST. STOCKTON, KANSAS 67669–1921 (785) 543–8254 May 25, 2016

RE: Application File No. 49,506

Division of Water Resources

C/O Brent Turney

1320 Research Park Dr.

Manhattan, KS. 66502

Dear Mr. Turney:

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We ask that you consider this proposal and offer whatever guidance you deem appropriate. Further, if any questions arise, feel free to contact me at the numbers below.

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Water Rights Agreement

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The irrigation of 130 acres in the NW Quarter of Section 4, Township 17 South, Range 3 West in McPherson County, Ks. That the irrigation authorized under this Term Permit be limited to the diversion of not more than 150 acre-feet of water per calendar year at a rate note to exceed 800 gallons per minute from a battery of not more than 4 wells to be located as proposed in the Application for Term Permit.

Further, the Trust agrees to be responsible for any and all violations that may attach to the Term Permit authorizing the use of water for irrigation purposes. The Trust further agrees to hold the City harmless for any damages that may occur as the result of the operation of the Term Permit.

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The annual payment for the renewal term shall be calculated using the following formula:

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This agreement may be terminated if any of the following occur:

- 1. The City, due to unforeseen circumstances, is unable to meet the reasonable demand for water by its residents;
- 2. The Trust has acquired sufficient water rights and is able to utilize such water rights to accomplish the irrigation of the lands set forth above;
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Finally, the City and the Trust agree that this agreement is specific to the conditions stated above; the City and the Trust agree that the suspension of Water Right File No. 36,001 and the subsequent operation of the Term Permit shall have no impact on the use or status of other water rights held by the City or the Trust.

City of Lindsborg

Bill Taylor Mayor

Dorothy E. Peterson Trust

Mike Peterson, Trustee

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WATER RIGHTS INVESTIGATIVE SERVICE 209 SOUTH ASH ST. STOCKTON, KANSAS 67669-1921 (785) 543-8254 May 25, 2016

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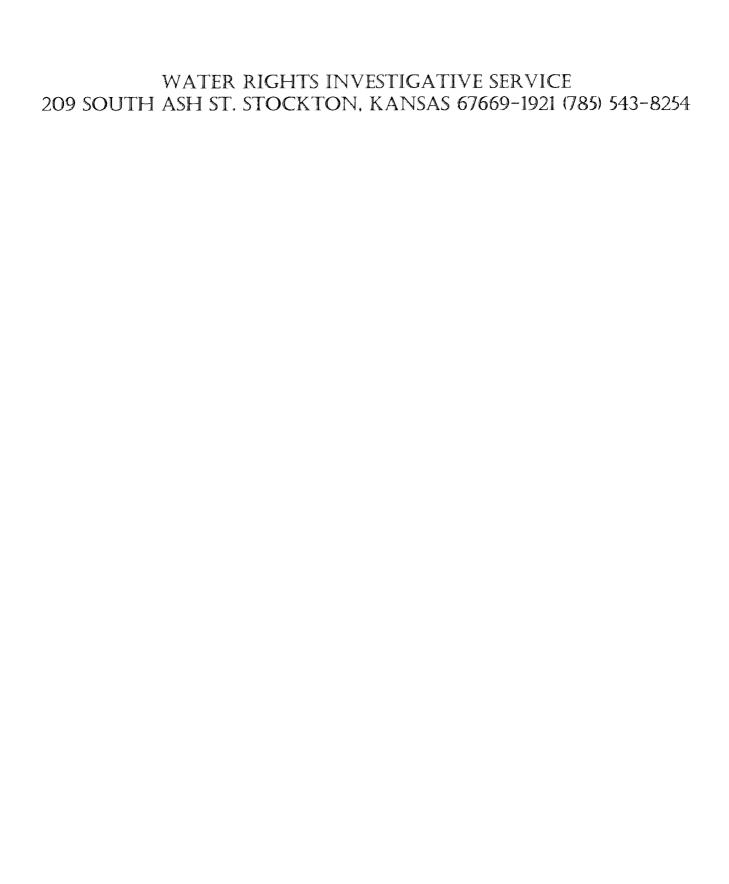
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Water Rights Agreement

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The irrigation of 130 acres in the NW Quarter of Section 4, Township 17 South, Range 3 West in McPherson County, Ks. That the irrigation authorized under this Term Permit be limited to the diversion of not more than 150 acre-feet of water per calendar year at a rate note to exceed 800 gallons per minute from a battery of not more than 4 wells to be located as proposed in the Application for Term Permit.

Further, the Trust agrees to be responsible for any and all violations that may attach to the Term Permit authorizing the use of water for irrigation purposes. The Trust further agrees to hold the City harmless for any damages that may occur as the result of the operation of the Term Permit.

The City and the Trust agree that the initial period for which this suspension shall be in effect is to be limited to a 5-year period beginning January 1, 2017 and extending through December 31, 2021. Further, that during the initial period, the Trust agrees to pay to the City, the sum of \$3800.00 per year with said payment being due on or before January 1st of each year, beginning January 1, 2017. Further, failure of the Trust to remit the agreed upon sum by January 31st of each year during the term of this agreement, will be subject to forfeiture. The City and the Trust further agree that this agreement will be automatically renewed for an additional 5 year period beginning January 1, 2022.

The annual payment for the renewal term shall be calculated using the following formula:

The difference between the McPherson County Average Estimated Cropland Rents (\$/ac) for Tenant-Owned Pivot and the McPherson County Average Estimated Cash Rental Rates for Non-Irrigated Cropland (\$/ac) multiplied by 150 acre feet.

The source document for the McPherson County Average Estimated Cropland Rents (\$/ac) for Tenant Owned Pivot shall be the 2021 Kansas County Level Cash Rents for Irrigated Cropland as published by the Kansas State University College of Agriculture. The source document for the McPherson County Average Estimated Cash Rental Rates for Non-Irrigated Cropland (\$/ac) shall be the 2021 Kansas County-Level Cash Rents for Non-Irrigated Cropland published by the Kansas State University College of Agriculture.

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In the event that the Kansas County Cash Rents for Irrigated Cropland and the Kansas County-Level Cash Rents for Non-Irrigated Cropland is not available, then an equivalent study and publication by the Kansas State University College of Agriculture shall be used in determining the annual payment.

This agreement may be terminated if any of the following occur:

- 1. The City, due to unforeseen circumstances, is unable to meet the reasonable demand for water by its residents;
- 2. The Trust has acquired sufficient water rights and is able to utilize such water rights to accomplish the irrigation of the lands set forth above;
- 3. Circumstances arise in which either the City or the Trust are unable to fulfill the terms of this agreement.

In the event that any of the afore mentioned circumstances arise, wither party may begin discussions to terminate this agreement with a notice filed at least 90 days in advance of the proposed termination date. Finally, the City and the Trust agree to be represented at a minimum of one arbitration meeting with an arbitrator agreed upon by both parties. The cost of such arbitration is to be shared between the City and the Trust.

The City and the Trust agree to limit access to the water authorized under either Water Right File No. 36,001 and the Term Permit for the duration of the agreement. The parties agree to withhold access to the use of water for any purpose outside the terms of this agreement.

Finally, the City and the Trust agree that this agreement is specific to the conditions stated above; the City and the Trust agree that the suspension of Water Right File No. 36,001 and the subsequent operation of the Term Permit shall have no impact on the use or status of other water rights held by the City or the Trust.

City of Lindsborg

Dorothy E. Peterson Trust

Mike Peterson Trustee

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| Peterson, Trustee of the Dorothy E. Peterson Trust. |
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Whitesell, Alex AUG 2 5 2016

From:

Scott Ross <water.rights.llc@gmail.com>

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Sent:

Thursday, August 25, 2016 1:26 PM

To: Subject:

Whitesell, Alex; Peterson Irrigation, Inc.; timd@lindsborgcity.org

Off set for 49,506 from 36,001

Alex,

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I'm really glad you called. Perhaps I wasn't clear before, but I want to have DWR consider this scenario.

The proposed off-set is from File No. 36,001 owned and currently operated by the City of Lindsborg. Mike Peterson, applicant for his mother Dorothy Peterson, is proposing to lease File No. 36,001 which is located within 2 miles of the proposed point of diversion. Then placing File 36,001 (207 AF) in an off-set account for 10 years. This 207 acre-feet would be used to off-set the approval of 150 AF proposed under Application File No. 49,506. Mr. Peterson would then convert File No. 49,506 to a Term Permit of 10 years. Mr. Peterson understands this is not a permanent solution, but merely a temporary step to be used to meet his final goal of establishing a permanent water right on the land under File No. 49,506.

The City of Lindsborg has agreed to a lease of this right and are only awaiting DWR direction on the actual term of the lease.

In conclusion, Mr. Peterson and his tenant are willing to invest in the diversion works and distribution system for a lease of ten years. Feeling that this will allow them to recover their initial investment.

Please note that this proposal does not in any way include Water Right File No. 17,822. This file is an entirely separate project and the two are not connected.

Thanks

Scott

Scott E. Ross

General Manager Water Rights Investigative Service LLC 209 South Ash ST. Stockton, KS. 67669 785-543-8254

Baum, Kristen

From:

Scott Ross <water.rights.llc@gmail.com>

Sent: To: Wednesday, June 15, 2016 6:57 AM

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Letourneau, Lane; Baum, Kristen; Turney, Brent

Subject:

Proposed Off-Sets

Attachments:

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Lane,

Attached is a summary of the current projects I'd like to discuss with DWR. As we discussed, these are only two of several potential off-set projects. Let me know when we can discuss them in more detail.

Scott

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Proposed Off-Set Projects

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PETERSON FAMILY AND THE CITY OF LINDSBORG

The second proposal is multi-faceted and does not involve the Republican River Compact.

This proposal is based on pending Application File No. 49,506. The Peterson Family has owned the land in question for many of years. The original well, then under Water Right File No. 12,735 became polluted with oil field brine due to a failed disposal well. The owner at that time was Wallace Peterson. Mr. Peterson agreed to abandon the water right in 1986 as it had not been used in a number of years. I advised him at that time that if the salt water ever cleared up he could file another application. Which he did in 2002 filing Application File No. 45,163. That application was denied as it would not meet safe-yield. Since that time Wallace Peterson has passed away, and Mike Peterson, his son, is handling the family farming.

The current pending application 49,506 proposes a battery of wells to divert a total of 150 acrefeet per year at a rate not to exceed 800 gallons per minute. This water is proposed to be used to irrigate 120 acres in the Northwest Quarter of Section 4, Township 17 South, Range 3 West in McPherson County, Kansas. After a great deal of consideration, the Division of Water Resources concluded that within the Northwest Quarter of Section 4, no location would support a new application.

At that point Mr. Mike Peterson called me and asked that I review the application and offer him options under which he might meet his father's wishes to irrigate this land. After reviewing other area water rights, it became clear that none of the other water rights were close enough be approved under a change in point of diversion. So, an off-set was the only potential avenue in which to proceed. After a review of all the rights within a two-mile circle of the proposed point of diversion we concluded that the best opportunity for an off-set came under those two water right held by the City of Lindsborg.

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During the course of a meeting with Tim Dunn, City utility director, and Greg DuMars, City Manager, the City expressed a willingness to discuss a lease of their water rights and potentially the sale a water right they had recently acquired. The water rights in question are all or in part owned by the City of Lindsborg. They are described as follows:

Water Right File No. 38,719

This right was originally filed by the City in 1987 it authorizes a well for municipal use located 4620 feet north and 1310 feet west of the Southeast corner of Section 17, T17S, R3W. Further, it authorizes the diversion of 214.822 acre-feet of water per calendar year at a rate of 500 gallons per minute. While this well is not located within 2 miles of the pending application, it is within two miles of the original well location under Water Right File No.12,735. This well continues to be used by the city as part of their system.

Water Right File No. 36001

This right was also originally filed by the City for their municipal use in 1982. It authorizes one well located 150 feet north and 656 feet west of the Southeast corner of Section 8, Township 17 South, Range 3 West in McPherson County, Kansas. This well authorizes the diversion of 207.445 acre-feet per calendar year at a rate of 500 gallons per minute. This well is within the 2-mile circle and only about 1.5 miles from the original well under Water Right File No. 12,735. This well is part of the city system used for irrigation in their parks and on the Bethany College Campus.

Water Right File No. 17,822

This right is also within 2 mile of the pending application. It was filed in 1971 proposing to irrigate 79 acres from a well located 65 feet north and 3643 feet west of the Southeast corner of Section 9, Township 17 South, Range 3 West in McPherson County, Kansas. This well is authorized to divert 96 acre-feet per year at a rate of 675 gallons per minute. This water right has been in an unsettled state since 2014.

In 2009, the owner John Peterson, sold a tract (5 acres) of land which contains the irrigation well to the Lindsborg Baptist Church. The water right was not addressed in the sale of the land. In 2012 another small acreage was sold to Rottenburg Realty LLC, again no mention of the disposition of the water right. Later, in 2014 the remainder of the 79 acres were sold to the Bethany Home Association for the construction of a nursing home. Finally, in 2015 the Bethany Home Association sold the City of Lindsborg the property they were not using. Sometime during this process, about 4 acres were sold as lots in the Emerald Lake Estates development. These lots are in the southeast corner of the original 79 acres. My review of these deeds along with Mike Peterson and Tim Dunn found no mention in any of the deeds defining the disposition of the water rights.

Initially, the City of Lindsborg thought they held the water rights. They have since concluded that such is not the case.

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The Peterson Family and the City of Lindsborg would like have DWR consider and comment on the proposed series of events.

- 1. The City of Lindsborg would lease, for a period of 5 years, approximately 140 acre-feet of water from their alluvial water rights under Water Right File Nos. 36,001 or 38,719 to the Peterson Family. The Peterson Family would then suspend the use of this 140 acre-feet for that same 5-year period. The Peterson Family would develop irrigation under a Term Permit for that 5-year period on the land currently proposed in the Northwest Quarter of Section 4, T17S, R3W. To be irrigated from a well located in the SW SW NW of Section 4 (near the original site of File No. 12,735).
- 2. During this 5-year period Peterson's, along with the City of Lindsborg, will attempt to secure the ownership of the water right under File No. 17,822 under one owner, either Peterson's or the City of Lindsborg. At the conclusion of the 5-year period of the initial lease, the City and Peterson's will consider the future with regard to both the continued lease of the city's water right and/or the sale of 17,822.

Both Petersons and the City of Lindsborg are actively discussing the lease and the future of File No. 17, 822. However, they would like to open a discussion the Division of Water Resources prior to making any final commitments to each other.

Thank you for your time and I'm looking forward to any discussion you may wish to have on these topics.

Attachments:

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900 SW Jackson, Room 456 Topeka, Kansas 66612 (785) 296-3556

Jackie McClaskey, Secretary

Governor Sam Brownback

April 28, 2016

MICHAEL PETERSON PO BOX 150 LINDSBORG KS 67456

Re:

Appropriation of Water

File No. 49,506

Dear Mr. Peterson:

In response to a written request by electronic mail received in this office on April 27, 2016, the Chief Engineer has extended until June 22, 2016, the time in which to supply additional information.

We will hold your application pending receipt of this information. If we do not hear from you on or before <u>June 22, 2016</u>, your application will be returned to you as being incomplete.

If you have any questions, please contact me (785) 564-6631. If you call, please reference the file number so we can help you more efficiently.

Sincerely,

Alex Whitesell

Environmental Scientist

Water Appropriation Program

KAK: AJW

pc:

Stockton Field Office

Water Rights Investigative Services LLC

Whitesell, Alex

From:

Baum, Kristen

Sent:

Wednesday, April 27, 2016 10:39 AM

To: Cc: Scott Ross Whitesell, Alex

Subject:

RE: Application File No. 49,506

Scott,

The deadline was April 22. Since we're within the 3 business day window, we'll grant another extension. Alex will send an official extension in the mail.

Thanks, Kristen

From: Scott Ross [mailto:water.rights.llc@gmail.com]

Sent: Wednesday, April 27, 2016 9:50 AM

To: Baum, Kristen

Subject: Application File No. 49,506

Kristen

This is an application I just got involved with. Mike Peterson is the applicant or perhaps his mother Dorothy Peterson. It seems that Ken was working on this one. The copy of the letter says "got extension", but I don't know when or for how long. I am assuming that the time is about up, so I'm asking for another 60 days to try and find a solution.

Thanks for all your help.

Scott

Scott

Scott E. Ross

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March 9, 2016

MICHAEL PETERSON PO BOX 150 LINDSBORG KS 67456

Re:

Appropriation of Water

File No. 49,506

Dear Mr. Peterson:

In response to your written request by electronic mail received in this office on February 12, 2016, the Chief Engineer has extended until **April 22, 2016**, the time in which to supply additional information.

We will hold your application pending receipt of this information. If we do not hear from you on or before <u>April 22, 2016</u>, your application will be returned to you as being incomplete.

If you have any questions, please contact our office at (785) 564-6634. If you call, please reference the file number so we can help you more efficiently.

Sincerely,

Kenneth A. Kopp, P.G.

New Application Unit Supervisor Water Appropriation Program

KAK: AJW

pc:

Topeka Field Office

Kopp, Kenneth

From:

Stewart, Kelly

Sent:

Friday, March 04, 2016 4:15 PM

To:

Kopp, Kenneth

Subject:

Re: Mike Peterson, File No. 49,506

I have talked to him several times recently. I even ran a number of safe yields and couldn't find any water available. He is now considering hiring a consultant to see if they can convince us to use different numbers.

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 4, 2016, at 2:56 PM, Kopp, Kenneth < Kenneth.Kopp@KDA.KS.GOV > wrote:

Has Mike been out to visit with you about safe yield on this file? Just curious if there has been any further contact.

Thanks, Ken

From: Stewart, Kelly

Sent: Friday, February 12, 2016 10:00 AM

To: Kopp, Kenneth

Subject: RE: Mike Peterson, File No. 49,506

He was going to call you, but I told him you didn't work Fridays. You work Fridays?

He will e-mail his request to you.

From: Kopp, Kenneth

Sent: Friday, February 12, 2016 9:59 AM

To: Stewart, Kelly

Subject: RE: Mike Peterson, File No. 49,506

Thanks... I'll have Alex put this note with the file.

Ken

From: Stewart, Kelly

Sent: Friday, February 12, 2016 9:49 AM

To: Kopp, Kenneth

Subject: Mike Peterson, File No. 49,506

Ken,

Just talked to Mike. He said my copy of the letter you sent out was sent to Topeka field office.

Also, he is going to request a 30 day extension which I don't have a problem with.

Kelly C. Stewart, Water Commissioner Kansas Department of Agriculture Division of Water Resources Stockton Field Office (785)425-6787 kelly.stewart@kda.ks.gov http://www.agriculture.ks.gov/

Kopp, Kenneth

From: Peterson Irrigation, Inc. <petersonirrigation@yahoo.com>

Sent: Friday, February 12, 2016 10:55 AM

To: Kopp, Kenneth

Dear Ken, We would like an extension of time on this permit until we can determine an exact location that could meet safe yield. We are working with the Stockton field office on this.

Thanks, Mike

Mike Peterson Peterson Irrigation, Inc. Office 785-227-3520 Fax 785-227-2720

Department of Agriculture agriculture.ks.gov

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Jackie McClaskey, Secretary

Governor Sam Brownback

February 9, 2016

MICHAEL PETERSON **PO BOX 150** LINDSBORG KS 67456

Re:

Pending Application,

File No. 49,506

Dear Mr. Peterson:

The Division of Water Resources granted an extension of time to supply additional information for the above referenced application on January 27, 2016, and the current deadline for your response is February 22, 2016. The purpose of this letter is to provide a reminder of your deadline.

We will hold your application pending receipt of this information. If we do not hear from you on or before February 22, 2016, your application will be returned to you as being incomplete.

If you have any questions, please contact our office at (785) 564-6634. If you call, please reference the file number so we can help you more efficiently.

Sincerely.

Kenneth A. Kopp, P.G.

New Application Unit Supervisor Water Appropriation Program

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Topeka Field Office

January 12, 2016

Kenneth A Kopp
Division of Water Resources
Manhattan, Kansas 66502

RE: File # 49,506

Dear Mr. Kopp,

We would like an extension on this permit application. We believe after extensive research that this application does met safe yield.

We will provide further information, along with the Stockton field office to figure out why this does not meet your safe yield data.

Please advise us of the extension time and what further information you would like to move this application along. I can be reached at 785-906-0117-Cell or 785-227-3520-Work

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Sincerely,

Michael Peterson

Son of Dorothy Peterson

PO Box 150

Lindsborg, Kansas 67456



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Jackie McClaskey, Secretary

Governor Sam Brownback

January 7, 2016

MIKE PETERSON DOROTHY E PETERSON TRUST 1501 E MAGNOLIA APT 34 SALINA KS 67401

RE:

Application

File No. 49,506

Dear Mr. Peterson:

We have reviewed your application, which proposes to pump 150 acre-feet of water, at a maximum rate of 800 g.p.m. for irrigation purposes.

The Kansas Water Appropriation Act and related regulations govern whether your application can be approved. That act states, in part:

"In ascertaining whether a proposed use will prejudicially and unreasonably affect the public interest, the Chief Engineer shall take into consideration:

- ...(2) the area, safe yield and recharge rate of the appropriate water supply;
- (3) the priority of existing claims of all persons to use the water of the appropriate water supply;
- (4) the amount of each claim to use water from the appropriate water supply; and
- (5) all other matters pertaining to such questions . . . " K.S.A. 82a-711.

The rules and regulations, in K.A.R. 5-3-9 and K.A.R. 5-3-10, further state that an application may not be approved if its proposed use will exceed the safe yield of the source of water supply. The area of your proposed appropriation has been determined to be fully appropriated based on the safe yield calculation contained in K.A.R. 5-3-11. Therefore, it will be recommended to the Chief Engineer that Application, File No. 49,506 be denied and dismissed due to failure to meet the required safe yield criteria.

We are advising you of this recommendation in order to allow you an opportunity to submit additional information (such as hydrologic analysis) to show why our evaluation should be reconsidered. You have a period of 15 days (until January 22, 2016) to either (1) submit additional information to our office or (2) to request additional time beyond the 15 days to submit additional information. If you wish to request additional time, you must do so in writing, before the 15 day period expires. Such a request should state what steps are being taken to obtain the information and the amount of time you will need to supply the information to our office.

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If you do not request more time within the 15 day period, or if your request is not granted, the above-referenced application will be submitted to the Chief Engineer for final decision based on the recommendation stated above. If you do submit additional information within the 15 day period or any authorized extension, that information will be given due consideration prior to final action on the application.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (785) 564-6634. If you call, please reference the file number so we can help you more efficiently.

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