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**DWR FIELD OFFICE
 APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL
 TO CHANGE THE PLACE OF
 USE AND/OR THE
 POINT OF DIVERSION**

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Filing Fee Must Accompany the Application, K.S.A. 82a-708b(b), as amended.
 Fee Schedule is on the third page of this application form.

APPLICATION COMPLETE
4/21/22
 Reviewer *MB*

Paragraph Nos. 1, 2, 3 & 5 must be completed. Complete all other applicable portions. If change in point of diversion is greater than 100 feet, or if place of use will be changed, include a topographic map or detailed plat showing the authorized and proposed point(s) of diversion and/or place of use.

File No. 21,582

1. Application is hereby made for approval of the Chief Engineer to change the (check one or both):

Place of Use Point of Diversion

under the water right which is the subject of this application in accordance with the conditions described below.

The source of supply is: Groundwater Surface water

2. Name and address of Applicant: Lyle Billips

3500 Y Rd, Hill City, KS 67642

Phone Number: (785)421-8392

Email address: butchku08@gmail.com

Name and address of Water Use Correspondent: Lyle & Lavern Billips et al

3500 Y Rd, Hill City, KS 67642

Phone Number: (785)421-8392

Email address: butchku08@gmail.com

3. The presently authorized place of use is:

Owner of Land ---- NAME: Lyle & Laverne Billips, et al

ADDRESS: 3500 Y Rd, Hill City, KS 67642

(If there is more than one landowner, attach supplemental sheets as necessary.)

Sec.	Twp.	Range	NE¼				NW¼				SW¼				SE¼				TOTAL ACRES
			NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	
9	8	21w																	218
17	8	21w	40	20		6													66
16	8	21w	33	40	40	40	40	40	24	33									290

4. If this application is for a change in place of use, it is proposed that the place of use be changed to:

Owner of Land ---- NAME: Lyle & Laverne Billips, et al

ADDRESS: 3500 Y Rd, Hill City, KS 67642

(If there is more than one landowner, attach supplemental sheets as necessary.)

Sec.	Twp.	Range	NE¼				NW¼				SW¼				SE¼				TOTAL ACRES			
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9	8	21w																		168.4		
17	8	21w	33	12																45		
16	8	21w	24	31	34.5	34.5	28	32	19	21								1.8	1.7	227.5		
8	8	21w																2	16	10.2	39.3	67.5

For Office Use Only: Code _____ Fee \$ _____ TR # _____ Receipt Date _____ Check # _____

5. **Presently authorized point of diversion:**
 One in the NW Quarter of the NW Quarter of the NE Quarter
 of Section 17, Township 8 South, Range 21 W,
 in GH County, Kansas, 5250 feet North 2440 feet West of Southeast corner of section.
 Authorized Rate 910 gpm Authorized Quantity 148 AF Depth of well _____ (feet)
(DWR use only: Computer ID No. 3 GPS 5204 feet North 2351 feet West)
 This point will not be changed This point will be changed as follows: No change, point better described with GPS as follows:
Proposed point of diversion: (Complete only if change is requested or if existing point is better described by GPS)
 One in the NW Quarter of the NW Quarter of the NE Quarter
 of Section 17, Township 8 South, Range 21 W,
 in GH County, Kansas, 5204 feet North 2351 feet West of Southeast corner of section.
 Proposed Rate 910 gpm Proposed Quantity 148 AF Proposed well depth (feet) _____
 This point is: Additional Well Geo Center List other water rights that will use this point 20197053-MF

6. **Presently authorized point of diversion:**
 One in the CN Quarter of the _____ Quarter of the _____ Quarter
 of Section 16, Township 8 South, Range 21 W,
 in GH County, Kansas, 5180 feet North 2575 feet West of Southeast corner of section.
 Authorized Rate 530 gpm Authorized Quantity 369 AF Depth of well _____ (feet)
(DWR use only: Computer ID No. 1 GPS 4985 feet North 2444 feet West)
 This point will not be changed This point will be changed as follows: No change, point better described with GPS as follows:
Proposed point of diversion: (Complete only if change is requested or if existing point is better described by GPS)
 One in the NW Quarter of the NW Quarter of the NE Quarter
 of Section 16, Township 8 South, Range 21 W,
 in GH County, Kansas, 4985 feet North 2444 feet West of Southeast corner of section.
 Proposed Rate 530 gpm Proposed Quantity 369 AF Proposed well depth (feet) _____
 This point is: Additional Well Geo Center List other water rights that will use this point 20197054-MF

7. The changes herein are desired for the following reasons?
 (please be specific) Adjust acres to allow more efficient
irrigation

8. If a well, is the test hole log attached? Yes No

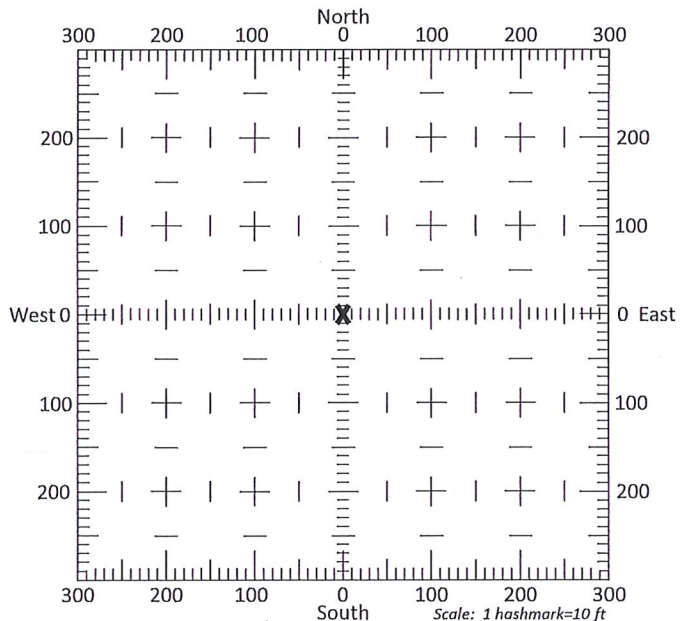
9. The change(s) (was)(will be) completed by?
on approval

10. If the point of diversion is a well:
 (a) What are you going to do with the old well?
n/a
 (b) When will this be done? _____

11. Groundwater Management District recommendation attached?
 Yes No

12. Assisted by jkb - STK FO

13a. If the proposed point of diversion will be relocated more than 300
feet but within 2,640 feet of the existing point of diversion, attach
 a topographic map or aerial photograph. For groundwater
 sources, show all wells (including domestic) within one-half mile
 of the proposed point of diversion and the names and mailing
 addresses of the owners. For surface water sources, show the
 names and addresses of the landowner(s) one-half mile
 downstream and one-half mile upstream from your property
 lines



13b. If the proposed point of diversion will be relocated within 300 feet
 of the existing point of diversion, indicate its location on the
 diagram shown above in relation to the existing point of
 diversion. (PLEASE NOTE: The "X" in center of diagram
 above represents the presently authorized point of
 diversion.)

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14. If the proposed groundwater point of diversion is 300 or fewer feet from the existing point of diversion, complete the following:
- (a) Does the undersigned represent all owners of the currently authorized place(s) of use identified in this application?
 Yes No (If no, all owners must sign this application.)
 - (b) Will the ownership interest of any owner of the currently authorized place(s) of use identified in this application be adversely affected if this application is approved as requested?
 Yes No (If yes, all owners must sign this application.)
 - (c) If this application is not approved expeditiously, will there be substantial damage to property, public health or safety?
 Yes No (If no, all owners must sign this application.)

If the application proposes a surface water change in point of diversion, a groundwater change in point of diversion greater than 300 feet, or a change in place of use, the application must be signed by all owners of the currently authorized place of use, or their duly authorized agent (attach notarized statement authorizing representation).

I hereby verify, being first duly sworn upon my oath or affirmation and under penalty of perjury, that I am of lawful age and the owner, the spouse of the owner, or a duly authorized agent of the owner(s) to make this application on their behalf, in regards to the water right(s) to which this application pertains. I further verify that the statements contained in this application are true, correct and complete.

Dated at Hill City, KS, Kansas, this 18 day of April, 2023.

L. Billips
(Owner)

Lyle Billips
(Please Print)

L. Billips
(Owner)

LAVERNE BILLIPS
(Please Print)

(Owner)

(Please Print)

Kippi J. Billips
(Spouse)

Kippi J. Billips
(Please Print)

Janet K. Billips
(Spouse)

Janet K. Billips
(Please Print)

(Spouse)

(Please Print)

State of Kansas }
County of Graham } SS

I hereby certify that the foregoing application was signed in my presence and sworn to before me this 18 day of April, 2023.

[Signature]
Notary Public

My Commission Expires 12-30-23

ONLY COMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE PROCESSED. To be complete, all of the applicable portions of the application form must be completed with accurate information; maps, if necessary, must be included; signatures of all the appropriate owners' must be affixed to the application and notarized; and the appropriate fee must be paid.

FEE SCHEDULE

Each application to change the place of use or the point of diversion under this section shall be accompanied by the application fee set forth in the schedule below: Make checks payable to: **Kansas Department of Agriculture**

- (1) Application to change a point of diversion 300 feet or less \$100
- (2) Application to change a point of diversion more than 300 feet \$200
- (3) Application to change the place of use \$200



SUMMARY ORDER APPROVING APPLICATION FOR CHANGE AND IMPOSING CONDITIONS

This Summary Order is issued under authority of K.S.A. 82a-708b, as amended, and K.A.R. 5-5-1, *et seq.* and other applicable provisions of the *Kansas Water Appropriation Law, K.S.A. 82a-701 et. seq.*, and rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, With the exception of those conditions expressly contained herein, this Summary Order does not change the terms, conditions and limitations of File No. 21,582.

1. A change application was received on 21,582 4-20-23 requesting that the place of use and / or point of diversion authorized under the above-referenced file number be changed as described in the application.
2. On and after the effective date of this summary order, the authorized place(s) of use shall be located substantially as shown on the topographic map accompanying the application to change the place of use. Applicable Not Applicable
3. The change in point of diversion shall not impair existing rights and shall be limited to the same source or sources of water as previously authorized. The point of diversion authorized by this summary order shall be located within a _____ foot radius of the authorized point(s) of diversion. Applicable Not Applicable
4. The point(s) of diversion described herein is administratively corrected to be more accurately described using the Global Positioning System (GPS), as described in the application. Applicable Not Applicable
5. The point(s) of diversion authorized herein shall not actually be located more than _____ feet from the previously authorized point(s) of diversion. Applicable Not Applicable
6. As required by K.A.R. 5-3-5d, if the works for diversion is a well with a diversion rate of 100 gallons per minute or more, a tube or other device suitable for making water level measurements shall be installed, operated and maintained in accordance with K.A.R. 5-6-13. Applicable Not Applicable
7. The owner of the authorized place(s) of use shall properly install an acceptable water flow meter on or before **December 31, 20**_____, or before the first use of water, whichever occurs first. The water flow meter shall be installed, operated and maintained in accordance with K.A.R. 5-1-4 through 5-1-12. As required by K.S.A. 82a-732, as amended, and K.A.R. 5-3-5e, the owner shall maintain records and report the reading of the water flow meter and the total quantity of water diverted annually to the Chief Engineer by March 1 following the end of each calendar year. Applicable Not Applicable
8. Installation of the works for diversion of water shall be completed on or before **December 31, 20**_____, or within any authorized extension of time. By March 1, 20_____ the applicant shall notify the Chief Engineer that construction of the works for diversion has been completed, on the form provided by the Chief Engineer, as required by K.A.R. 5-8-4e. Applicable Not Applicable
9. The completed well log shall be submitted with the required notice. Applicable Not Applicable
10. All diversion works into which any type of chemical or other foreign substance will be injected into the water shall be equipped with an in-line, automatic, quick-closing check valve capable of preventing pollution of the source of the water supply. The check valve(s) shall be installed, operated and maintained in accordance with K.A.R. 5-3-5c. Applicable Not Applicable
11. Additional Conditions are attached. Yes No
12. In accordance with K.S.A. 82a-708a, as amended, and K.A.R. 5-5-14, all of the owners of the authorized place(s) of use of water appropriated under the above-referenced file number are responsible for compliance with its terms, conditions and limitations, as amended and/or supplemented by this Summary Order, and with applicable provisions of the *Kansas Water Appropriation Law* and the *Rules and Regulations* promulgated thereunder. Failure to comply with these provisions may result in civil penalties pursuant to K.S.A. 82a-737, as amended, and/or the suspension or revocation and dismissal of the water or appropriation right or any other enforcement actions authorized by law.

Administrative Appeal and Effective Date of Order

If you are aggrieved by this order, pursuant to K.S.A. 82a-1901, you may request an evidentiary hearing before the Chief Engineer or request administrative review by the Secretary of Agriculture. A request for hearing by the Chief Engineer must be filed within **15 days** of service of this Order and a request for administrative review by the Secretary must be filed within **30 days** pursuant to K.S.A. 77-531. Any request for administrative review must state a basis for review pursuant to K.S.A. 77-527. File any request with **Kansas Department of Agriculture, Legal Division, 1320 Research Park Drive, Manhattan, KS 66502**. Failure to timely request a hearing or review may preclude review under the Kansas Judicial Review Act.

For Use by Register of Deeds

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APPLICATION APPROVED AND SUMMARY ORDER ISSUED

By: Mark Billinger
Duly Authorized Designee of the Chief Engineer
(Print Name): MARK BILLINGER
Division of Water Resources - Kansas Department of Agriculture
Date of Issuance: 4-21-23
State of Kansas _____)
County of Hooker _____) SS
Acknowledged before me on 4-21-23
by Mark Billinger
Signature: Nancy Hageman
Notary Public
My commission expires: 9-27-25
(Notary Seal)

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APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL TO CHANGE THE PLACE OF USE AND/OR POINT OF DIVERSION SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET FILE NO. 21,582

Stockton Field Office Division of Water Resources

Presently authorized point of diversion:

One in the SW Quarter of the SE Quarter of the SW Quarter of Section 9, Township 8 South, Range 21 W, in GH County, Kansas, 90 feet North 3830 feet West of Southeast corner of section. Authorized Rate 665 Authorized Quantity 206 AF Depth of well (feet) (DWR use only: Computer ID No. 1 GPS 68 feet North 3769 feet West)

This point will not be changed This point will be changed as follows: No change, point better described with GPS as follows:

Proposed point of diversion: (Complete only if change is requested or if existing point is better described by GPS)

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Presently authorized point of diversion:

One in the Quarter of the Quarter of the Quarter of Section Township South, Range W, in County, Kansas, feet North feet West of Southeast corner of section. Authorized Rate Authorized Quantity Depth of well (feet) (DWR use only: Computer ID No. GPS feet North feet West)

This point will not be changed This point will be changed as follows: No change, point better described with GPS as follows:

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One in the Quarter of the Quarter of the Quarter of Section Township South, Range W, in County, Kansas, feet North feet West of Southeast corner of section. Proposed Rate Proposed Quantity Proposed well depth (feet) This point is: Additional Well Geo Center List other water rights that will use this point

Presently authorized point of diversion:

One in the Quarter of the Quarter of the Quarter of Section Township South, Range (E/W), in County, Kansas, feet North feet West of Southeast corner of section. Authorized Rate Authorized Quantity Depth of well (feet) (DWR use only: Computer ID No. GPS feet North feet West)

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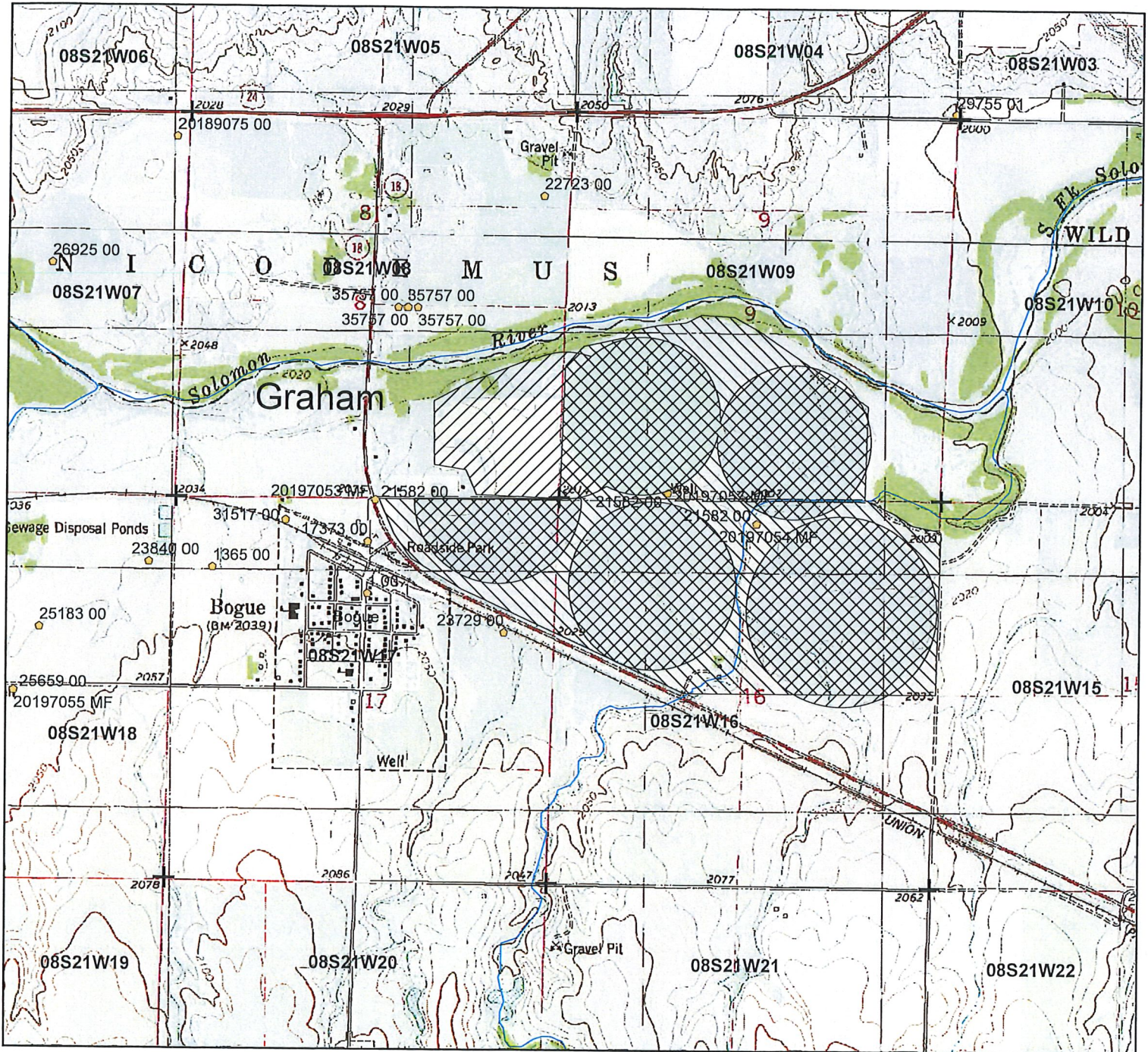
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Application for Change in Place of Use, Water Right, File No. 21,582

Stockton Field Office
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+ Section Corners

◆ Groundwater Point of Diversion

 Presently Authorized Place of Use

 Proposed Place of Use




Signature

4/20/23
Date

Date: 4/3/2023

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Stockton, KS 67669-0192



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Mike Beam, Secretary

Laura Kelly, Governor

April 21, 2023

LYLE & LAVERNE BILLIPS ET AL
3500 Y RD
HILL CITY, KS 67642

Re: Water right, File No. 21,582

Dear Sir or Madam:

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

Your attention is directed to the terms, conditions, and limitations specified in this approval for change.

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

This document is a summary order by this agency regarding this matter. This order shall become final if a request for a hearing is not filed with the Chief Engineer within 15 days of the date of service of this order.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact this office. If you wish to refer to a specific file, please reference it when you contact us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Mark Billinger".

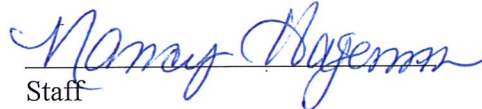
Mark Billinger
Assistant Water Commissioner

MB:ndh
Enclosures

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

On this 21st day of April 2023, I hereby certify that the attached **SUMMARY ORDER APPROVING APPLICATION FOR CHANGE in Place of Use** for water right, File No. 21,582, dated on the 21st day of April 2023, was mailed postage prepaid, first class, U.S. mail, to the following:

LYLE & LAVERNE BILLIPS ET AL
3500 Y RD
HILL CITY, KS 67642


Staff