

Considered: _____

Vested Right
WATER PERMIT NO. 1972-2

MAP No. same

Name of Applicant Charles W. Eng

Post Office Address Buffalo Gap SD 57722

Amount of Water Claimed 1.20 Total Acres 85

Source of Water Supply dry draw

Water to be used for irrigation County Fall River

About 9 miles E of Hot Springs

PROOF OF PUBLICATION: Received 8/18/86 Not Received _____

APPLICATION: Approved September 3, 1986 Subject to _____

F.F. & C.L. Adopted _____ Not Approved _____ Deferred _____

PRIORITY _____ Date Received August 29, 1985 Fee \$10.50 Remarks _____

Oct 12, 1903

Corrected Application Received _____ Period of Annual Use Jan 1 - Dec 31

WATER QUALITY APPROVAL RECEIVED N/A APPROVED/CONDITIONAL (Circle one)

WI-1 Description same as Application YES _____ NO _____ REMARKS _____

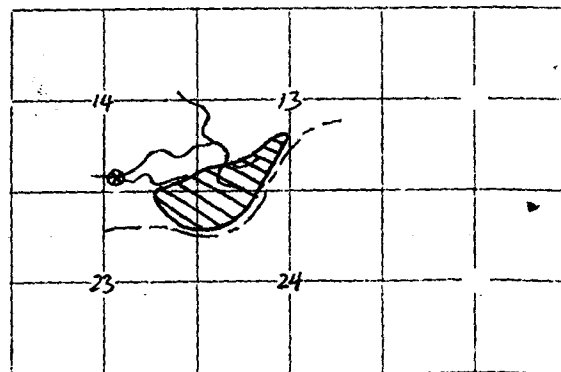
Diversion Point dry draw: SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of

sec 14-T7S-R7E

Land to be Irrigated SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, sec 14; NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, sec 23;

NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, sec 13; S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, sec 13; N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, sec 24;

all in T7S-R7E



Well Log: Driller N/A Licensed YES _____ NO _____

Depth of Well _____ REMARKS _____

Type of Map sketch PREPARED BY Del Brosz Reviewed and the Number

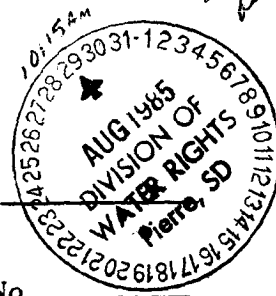
assigned on June 20, 1986 By Ron Duval

No. 1972-2 Hydrologic Unit 10120109
 Map No. same Basin Upper Cheyenne R.
 Newspaper Hot Springs Star, Box 1000 (Tues)

Application For Permit To Appropriate Water Within The State Of South Dakota

Type of Application: Check one or more of the following;

- New ☐ Vested Right ☒ Future Use ☐ Water Right Filing 0574-2
- ☐ Application to amend Permit No. _____ with old priority date retained
- ☐ Change diversion point(s) ☐ Add diversion point(s) ☐ Change acreage ☐ Other ☐
- ☐ Application to: ☐ Change use ☐ Change diversion point(s) ☐ Add diversion point(s)
- ☐ Add Acreage ☐ Increase diversion rate ☐ Other _____ See Permit No. _____
- ☐ Application to: ☐ Use ☐ Transfer water reserved by Future Use Permit No. _____



1. Name of Applicant Charles W. Eng Phone No. _____
- Post Office Address Buffalo Gap, South Dakota State 57722
 (Street, RR or Box) Zip Code
2. Amount of water claimed (c.f.s.) 1.2 Total acres irrigated 85
3. Source of Water supply dry draw
4. Location of point of diversion N85°W 2460 ft from the SE Corner of Section 14, T7S, R7E
- _____ County Fall River
5. Counties where water will be used Fall River
6. Annual period during which water is to be used All year Jan 1 - Dec 31
7. List below each forty acre subdivision, or lot, or fraction thereof and show number of acres to be irrigated in each.

Land Description	No. Acres Irr.
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 14, T7S, R7E	3
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 23, T7S, R7E	16
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 13, T7S, R7E	2
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 13, T7S, R7E	18

Land Description	No. Acres Irr.
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 13, T7S, R7E	17
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 24, T7S, R7E	27
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 24, T7S, R7E	2

Attach sheet if more space is needed

8. Give a brief description of proposed project. When available include any preliminary engineering report or other reports or information that will help explain the project. (Attach sheet if more space is needed)

This is a water spreading system. Water is diverted from a dry draw. Transported by ditch and spread on grassland adjacent to the Cheyenne River.

Attachments: Attach Form 2A if diversion from a well or dugout, or if storage of water, is proposed. Attach map (see instruction)

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

County of Hot Springs

I, Charles W. Eng the applicant, certify that I have read the foregoing application, have examined the attached map and that the matters therein stated are true and that I intend, and am able to complete the necessary construction.

Signed Charles W. Eng

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Aug 1985

[Signature]
 Notary Public (or other qualified officer)

WATER PERMIT

The Water Management Board hereby approves Water Permit Application No. _____

(Applicant)

(Post Office Address)

(State)

(Zip Code)

With the following qualifications.

see Form VR-1

The applicable portions of Water Right Filing No. 0574-2 were incorporated into Vested Water Right ~~Permit~~ No. 1972-2 and the abandoned portions of Filing No. 0574-2 have been cancelled.

Date of first receipt of application _____, 19____.

Date of return to applicant for correction, amendments or changes required _____, 19____.

Date of receipt of corrected application _____, 19____. Approved _____, 19____.

The Water Management Board hereby approves this Water Permit No. _____ authorizing the construction of the water use system and the placing of water to beneficial use as stated in the Application and as qualified in the Water Permit approval, subject, however, to the following limitations and conditions:

1. The date from which applicant may claim right is _____, 19____.
2. One-fifth of the work is to be completed on or before _____, 19____.
3. The whole of said work is to be completed on or before _____, 19____.
4. The time limit for proof of beneficial use of water is _____, 19____.
5. The water appropriated shall be used for the purpose of _____.
6. The prior right of all persons who, by compliance with the laws of the State of South Dakota, have acquired a right to the use of water must not be unlawfully impaired by this appropriation.
7. The amount of the appropriation herein granted shall not exceed _____ cubic feet per second; neither shall it exceed the capacity of the above described water supply system nor shall it exceed the amount of water needed for beneficial uses served. For irrigation purposes said appropriation must be limited to not more than 2 acre feet per acre per year and be limited to not more than one-seventieth ($1/70$) of one cubic foot of water per second of time for each acre of land to which water is actually and beneficially applied for irrigation on or before _____, 19____; said water to be used during the following described annual period: _____.

WATER MANAGEMENT BOARD

By: _____

Chief Engineer

Division of Water Rights

Dept. of Water and Natural Resources

_____, 19____

VESTED WATER RIGHT

The Water Management Board hereby validates Vested Water Right ^{Claim} No. 1972-2

Charles W Eng
(applicant)

Buffalo Gap
(post office address)

South Dakota 57722
(state) (zip code)

Date of receipt of Application August 29, 1985.

Validated September 3, 1986.

The Water Management Board hereby validates the construction of the water use system and the placing of water to beneficial use as stated in the Application and as qualified in the Vested Water Right, subject, however, to the following limitations and conditions:

1. The date from which the applicant may claim right is October 12, 1903.
2. The whole of said work has been completed and water has been applied to beneficial use as described on Form 2B of this application.
3. The water appropriated is used for the purpose of irrigation.
4. The prior rights of all persons who, by compliance with the laws of the State of South Dakota, have acquired a right to the use of water must not be unlawfully impaired by this appropriation.
5. The amount of the appropriation hereby validated shall not exceed 1.20 cubic feet per second; neither shall it exceed the capacity of the above described water supply system nor shall it exceed the amount of water needed for beneficial uses served. For irrigation purposes said appropriation must be limited to not more than 2 acre feet per acre per year and be limited to not more than one-seventieth (1/70) of one cubic foot of water per second of time for each acre of land to which water has been actually and beneficially applied for irrigation. The water is to be used during the following described annual period Jan 1 - Dec 31.

WATER MANAGEMENT BOARD

By: John Hatch
(Chief Engineer)

Division of Water Rights
Dept. of Water and Natural Resources

NOV 25 1986, 1986.

Affidavit of Water Use

No. _____

(Type or Print in Ink)

Note: This Form is supplemental to Form 2 and is to be used when an affidavit pertaining to construction and water use already constructed is needed, primarily with vested right claims.

**Affidavit Of Construction Of Water Use System
And Application Of Water To Beneficial Use**

Name of Applicant (Same as Form 2) Charles W. Eng
 Post Office Address Buffalo Gap, South Dakota 57722
(Street, RR or Box) (State) (Zip Code)
A. Notice of Appropriation July 15, 1903 Date of Posting _____
 Date of recording October 12, 1903 Recording date Fall River County 3 307
Where Book Page
B. Date of start of construction of water supply system 1903C. Date that water was first applied to beneficial use 1903D. Name of owner of original water supply system John Rodecap

E. Amount of water originally applied to beneficial use _____

F. Present Use of Water - Amount of water now being used 1.2 cfsDate that this water was first used 1903

G. Chronological History of Water Use

The system was constructed by John Rodecap in 1903.

Olaf Eng became owner around 1936.

Charles Eng became owner in 1972.

The system has been in continuous use since it was constructed.

Attach to this Form 2B any copies of notices, postings, filings, publications, affidavits, or other records that apply. You may also attach any written statement by you, or by others, that you deem pertinent.

State of South Dakota)

County of Fall River) ^{SS}
 I, CHARLES W ENG the applicant, certify that I have read the foregoing
(print or type)
 and that the matters therein stated are true.
Signed Charles W EngSubscribed and sworn to before me Aug 28, 1985[Signature]
Notary Public or other qualified officer

I, the undersigned do hereby certify that I know about the water use system described above, that I have read the foregoing, and that the matters therein stated are true.

(Print name) 19_________
(Print name) 19____

State of South Dakota

VESTED RIGHT Water License No. 1972-2

(1) Charles Eng
of Buffalo Gap SD 57722

made Application No. 1972-2, August 29, 1985 for validation of a vested right claim for a water permit to appropriate
1.20 cubic feet per second of water from a dry draw
Fall River County, South Dakota for irrigation purposes.

Vested Water
Right Permit No. 1972-2, with a priority date of October 12, 1903
was approved validated September 3, 1986 and issued to applicant(s) for diversion of water with construction of the described
water supply system to be completed on or before and for the application to beneficial use of said
water on or before completed.

and

(2) It is certified that the application has complied with the provisions of South Dakota State Law relating to completion of
the construction of the water supply system and is entitled to divert 1.20 cubic feet per second of water
for beneficial use. The location of the diversion point(s) is N 85°W 2460 Feet from the SE corner of
Section 14, T7S, R7E (SW 1/4 SE 1/4)

and

(3) The applicant has complied with the provisions of South Dakota State Law relating to the application of water to beneficial use to the following extent, to irrigate the following lands all in T7S, R7E

Section 14 SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ 3 acres

Section 23 NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ 16 "

Section 13 NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ 2 "

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ 18 "

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ 17 "

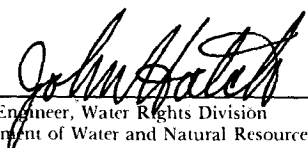
Section 24 NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 27 "

NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 2 "

TOTAL 85 acres

(4) Pursuant to §46-5-30.1 Charles Eng
of Buffalo Gap SD 57722
the holder(s) and/or owner(s) of ~~Water Permit~~ **Vested Water Right** No. 1972-2 is issued a license to appropriate water, the right to use
1.20 cubic feet per second of water from a dry draw with a priority date
of October 12, 1903 from the location specified in (2) of this license. The water to be
conducted to and upon lands specified in (3) of this license for the purpose of irrigation

Vested Water Right
This license is subject to any limitations or qualifications listed in ~~Water Permit~~ No. 1972-2 and subject
to South Dakota State Law.



Chief Engineer, Water Rights Division
Department of Water and Natural Resources

NOV 25 1986

Permit No. 1972-2Upper Cheyenne Water District Water Right Filing 0574-2**Report Of Examination Of Works And/Or Application Of Water To Beneficial Use**

TO: Chief Engineer, Division of Water Rights, DWNR, Foss Bldg., Pierre, SD 57501

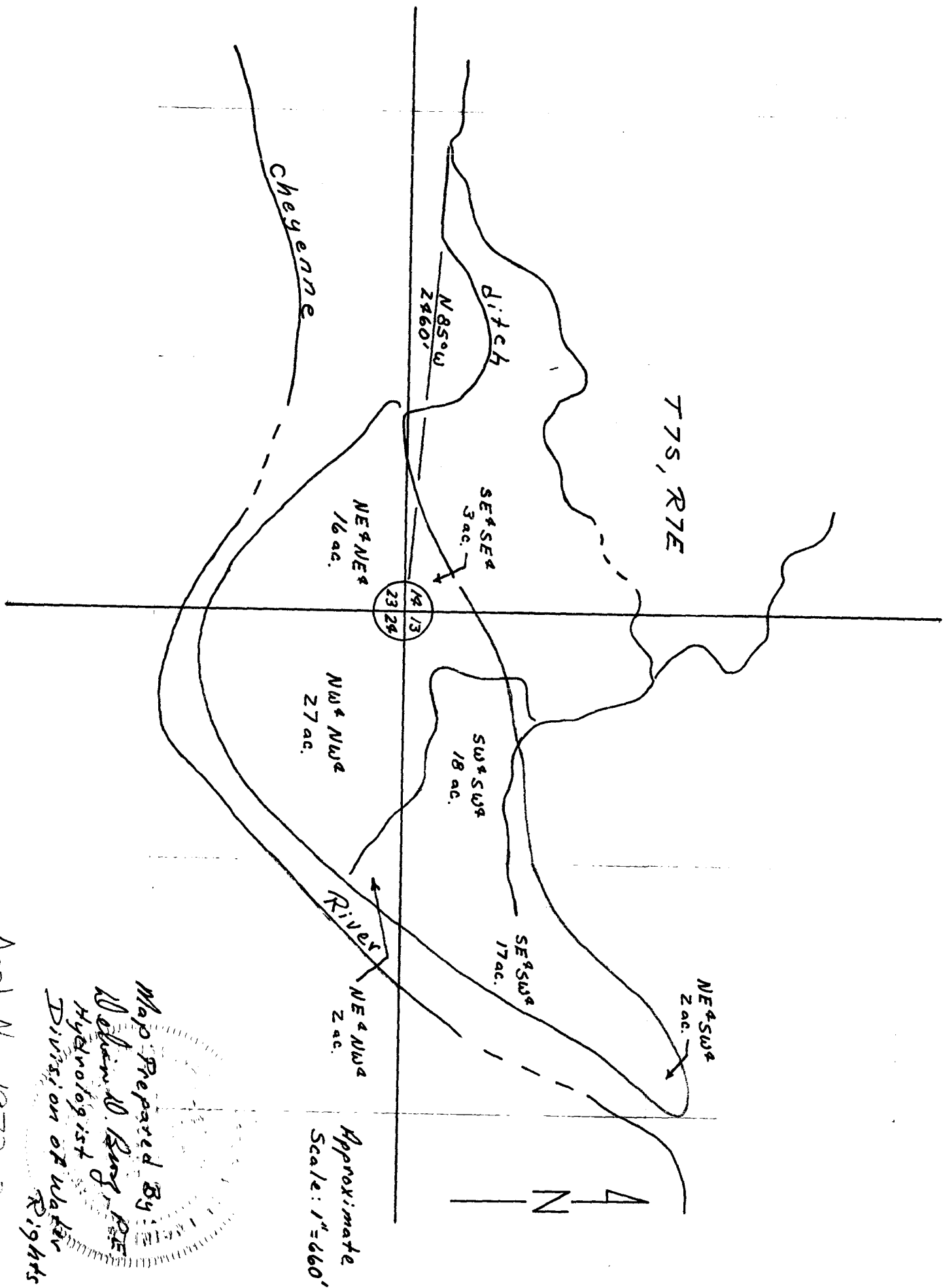
I have this day made a thorough examination of the water use system constructed by CharlesEng of Buffalo Gap, SD holder ofPermit No. 1972-2, bearing the priority of Oct 12, 1903 ~~July 75~~ authorizingthe diversion of 1.2 cu. ft. per second of the waters of dry drawfor irrigation purposes, in Fall River County.

I have to report on the conditions of the same as follows:

A. Works used to divert the water: small dike across channel of the drawB. Works used to transport water to place of use: open ditch for a distance of about 1400 feetC. Works used to apply water to beneficial use: spreader dikes and ditchesThe system is in the following condition FairThe point of diversion is located N85°W 2460 feet from the SE corner of section 14, T7S, R7EThe works are capable of diverting and conveying to the place of use 6-10cu. ft. per second of water which is to be used for irrigation - water spreading

Water has been put to beneficial use to the maximum extent as follows:

SE¹SE², Sec 14, T7S, R7E - 3 ac. SE¹SW², Sec 13, T7S, R7E - 17 ac.NE¹NE², Sec 23, " " - 16 NW¹NW², Sec 24, " " - 27NE¹SW², Sec 13, " " - 2 NE¹NW², " " " - 2SW¹SW², " " " - 18comprising a total of 85 acres of land and the license should be issued for 1.2 cfsApplicable permit qualifications have been complied with ☒ Yes ☐ NoExceptions to compliance are: _____ Date May 23, 1985Devin D. Buzg, P.E.
(signature) Hydrologist



Approximate
Scale: 1"=660'

Map Prepared By
William W. Bury, P.E.
Hydrologist
Division of Water
Rights

0574-2

Recorded - Oct. 12, 1903

~~Sec 1759-2~~

~~1903 2nd~~

~~Adm.~~

~~D. Decker~~

Charles Eng
D. Connell

Buffalo Gap

Notice of Water Claim. Fall River County, South Dakota.

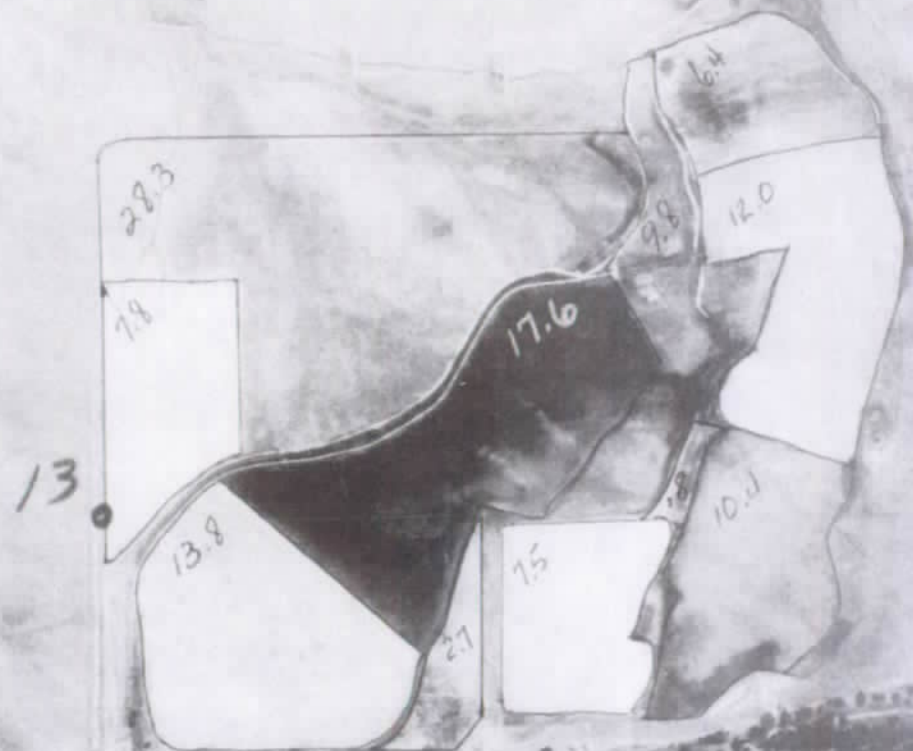
Notice is hereby given that John Rodecap this day the 15th day of July 1903, makes claim to all of the water in the Draw known by some as the Conger Draw, which heads or begins on Section Nine (9) and extends through Section Fifteen (15) Fourteen (14) in Township seven 7 Range 7 in Fall River County, South Dakota, B. H. M. Water to be used for Agricultural purposes on section Twenty-three (23) Twenty-four (24) in Township 7 Range 7 Fall River County, South Dakota, East of B. H. M.

Signed.

John Rodecap.

Olaf Eng - around 1926
C. Eng - 1912

NOT TO SCALE



V.R. Appl. No. 1972-2



V.R. April No. 1972-2

NOT TO SCALE

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V.R. April 40 1912-2

RECEIPT

Division of Water Rights

No 4 10169

South Dakota Department of Water and Natural Resources

Pierre, August 29, 1985

RECEIVED OF Charles W. Eng, Buffalo Gap, SD 57722

the following amount in fees for services rendered as provided for by law:

Fee for Application for Permit No. _____ to Appropriate Water, to construct works and to put water to beneficial use _____	8 00
Fee for Application for Permit No. _____ to Appropriate Water for Future Use _____	
Fee to retain Future Use Permit No. _____ after period of seven years.	
Fee for Inspecting Constructed Works, confirming beneficial use and issuing Water License No. _____	2 50
Fee for Filing Transfer Form _____	
Fee for Filing Extension Request _____	
Fee for Certified Copy of _____	
Fee for Print Copy of Map _____	
Fee for Certifying _____	
Fee for _____	
(Any Other Work Provided by Law)	
Total	10 50

By

Chief Engineer

John Hatch
JOHN HATCH/ms

WATER RIGHTS DIVISION
(605) 773-3352

August 20, 1985

Charles W. Eng
Buffalo Gap, South Dakota 57722

Dear Mr. Eng:

Enclosed are the forms for a vested right application for the lands that you are irrigating with the Rodecap filing. Please review the forms. If there is anything that is in error, please correct it. The forms should be signed in the presence of a notary. All of the forms should be returned to our office with a filing fee of \$10.50.

The copies of the map and notice of water claim are yours to keep. If I can answer any questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Delvin D. Boosz, P.E.
Hydrologist

DDB:ms
Enc.

Aug. 28, 1985

Department of Water & Natural Resources
Division of Water Rights
Joe Foss Building
Pierre, SD. 57501

Gentlemen:

This water is an overflow of water from Beaver Creek irrigation that normally comes thru this draw 12 months out of the year and as a warm water seldom freezes over.

Sincerely

Charles Eng

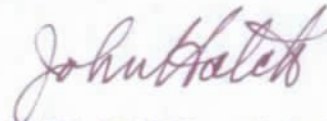
Charles Eng

RECOMMENDATION OF CHIEF ENGINEER FOR VALIDATION OF VESTED WATER
RIGHT APPLICATION NO. 1972-2

Pursuant to SDCL 46-2A-2, the following is the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, Water Rights Division, Department of Water and Natural Resources concerning Validation of Vested Water Right Application No. 1972-2, Charles W. Eng, Buffalo Gap SD.

The Chief Engineer is recommending VALIDATION of Application No. 1972-2 because 1) water has been appropriated as described, 2) the use has been developed without unlawful impairment of existing rights, 3) the use is a beneficial use and 4) it is in the public interest.

See the attached report for additional information.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "John Hatch", is written in a cursive style.

JOHN HATCH, Chief Engineer
July 24, 1986

REPORT ON VESTED RIGHT APPLICATION NO. 1972-2

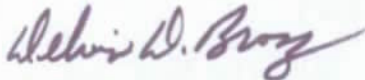
Charles W. Eng

July 24, 1986

Application No. 1972-2 requests validation of a vested right claim to appropriate 1.2 cfs from dry draws. The water has been used following construction of the system after October 12, 1903 to irrigate 85 acres. The point of diversion is located in the SW 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 14, T7S, R7E. The irrigated acreage is located in Sections 13, 14, 23 and 24 all in T7S, R7E.

Conclusions

1. The project is a water spreading system. It was inspected by Delvin D. Brosz and found to exist as described.
2. The system was constructed after October 12, 1903 and water has been put to beneficial use since that time.
3. It is recommended that the vested right claim be validated.



DELVIN D BROSZ, P.E.
Hydrologist



Department of Water & Natural Resources

Joe Foss Building
523 East Capitol
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-3181

July 24, 1986

HOT SPRINGS STAR
Box 1000
Hot Springs SD 57747

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a Notice of Hearing to Validate Vested Right Application No. 1972-2, 1973-2, 1974-2, 1975-2, 1977-2, 1978-2, 1979-2 and 1980-2. Please publish this notice once each week for two consecutive weeks in your paper. The first publication should be on or before July 29, 1986.

Please bill the Water Right Division for the cost of the publication.

Please receipt for the notice IMMEDIATELY after first publication attaching a copy of the first publication so that it may be compared with the records. For your convenience, you may use the printed form below for this purpose.

After final publication please complete and mail to this office, the enclosed Form to furnish Proof of Publication. The application can not be considered by the Water Management until proof of publication has been received.

Sincerely,

Ron Duvall
Natural Resources Engineer
605 773-3352

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-----CUT HERE-----
Date _____ TO: Water Rights Division
Joe Foss Building
Pierre SD 57501-3181

We are in receipt of your letter of _____ enclosing
Notice of Hearing to Validate Vested Right Applications which was
first published in our issue of _____.
ENCLOSED IS A COPY OF THIS FIRST PUBLICATION.

Name

Newspaper



Department of Water & Natural Resources

Joe Foss Building
523 East Capitol
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-3181

July 24, 1986

Charles W Eng
Buffalo Gap SD 57222

Dear Sir:

Your Application No. 1972-2 for a vested water right claim has been examined and found to comply with the South Dakota Water Laws and applicable rules. A notice of your claim has been sent to the Publisher of the HOT SPRINGS STAR printed at Hot Springs SD. For your information, a copy of the notice, the recommendation of the Chief Engineer and a report on the application are enclosed. Please review the notice and notify this office, if you have any corrections or questions.

The cost of publication of this notice will be paid for by the Water Rights Division.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ron Duvall".

Ron Duvall
Natural Resources Engineer
605 773-3352

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Instruction to Newspaper - Publish first publication of the following Notice on or before July 29, 1986 with 2nd publication 1 week later.

NOTICE OF HEARING To Validate

Vested Right Application Nos. 1972-2, 1973-2, 1974-2, 1975-2, 1977-2, 1978-2, 1979-2 & 1980-2 to Appropriate Water

Notice is given that Charles W. Eng whose mailing address is Buffalo Gap, South Dakota has filed Application No. 1972-2 to validate a vested right claim to appropriate 1.2 cubic feet of water per second from dry draws to irrigate 85 acres with a priority date of October 12, 1903. The point of diversion is located in the SW 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 14, T7S, R7E and the irrigated acreage is in the SE 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 14; NE 1/4 SW 1/4, S 1/2 SW 1/4 Section 13; NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 23; N 1/2 NW 1/4 Section 24; all in T7S, R7E.

Notice is given that A. J. Nelson whose mailing address is Broadus Stage, Miles City, Montana has filed Application No. 1973-2 to validate a vested right claim to appropriate 2.3 cubic feet of water per second from Duck Creek to irrigate 163 acres with a priority date of December 12, 1949. The points of diversion are located at points between and including the SE 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 35 and the SE 1/4 NE 1/4, NE 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 36 all in T11S, R3E. The irrigated acreage is located in the E 1/2 SE 1/4 Section 35; SW 1/4, S 1/2 NE 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4, SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 36; all in T11S, R3E.

Notice is given that George LeBar whose mailing address is Box Q, Douglas, Wyoming has filed Application No. 1974-2 to validate a vested right claim to appropriate 1.9 cubic feet of water per second from Duck Creek and dry draws to irrigate 134 acres with a priority date of June 12, 1912. The points of diversion are located at points between and including the NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 33 and the NE 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 34 all in T11S, R3E. The irrigated acreage is located in the NE 1/4 NW 1/4, N 1/2 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 NE 1/4, NE 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 33; S 1/2 NW 1/4, N 1/2 SW 1/4 Section 34; all in T11S, R3E.

Notice is given that the USDA Forest Service whose mailing address is Star Route, Box 200, Hot Springs, South Dakota has filed Application No. 1975-2 to validate a vested right claim to appropriate 0.91 cubic feet of water per second from dry draws to irrigate 64 acres with a priority date of June 9, 1938. The points of diversion are located in the SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 19; SW 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 29; and the irrigated acreage is located in the S 1/2 NW 1/4, N 1/2 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 29; all in T9S, R1E.

Notice is given that Claude Plumb whose mailing address is Box 466, Provo, South Dakota has filed Application No. 1977-2 to validate a vested right claim to appropriate 0.3 cubic feet of water per second from a dry draw to irrigate 22 acres with a priority date of March 31, 1911. The points of diversion are located at points between and including the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 and the SE 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 32, T11S, R3E. The irrigated acreage is located in the N 1/2 NW 1/4, S 1/2 NE

1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4 Section 32; SW 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 33; all in T11S, R3E.

Notice is given that Claude Plumb whose mailing address is Box 466, Provo, South Dakota has filed Application No. 1978-2 to validate a vested right claim to appropriate 0.4 cubic feet of water per second from a dry draw to irrigate 27 acres with a priority date of April 2, 1908. The points of diversion are located at points between and including the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 32 and the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 33 all in T11S, R3E. The irrigated acreage is located in the NW 1/4 SW 1/4, S 1/2 S 1/2 Section 32; SW 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 33; all in T11S, R3E.

Notice is given that Pfister Ranch whose mailing address is Box 1208, Lusk, Wyoming has filed application No. 1979-2 to validate a vested right claim to appropriate 4.3 cubic feet of water per second from Cottonwood Creek and dry draws to irrigate 304 acres with a priority date of January 1, 1907. The points of diversion are located at points between and including the SW 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 28 and the E 1/2 NE 1/4 Section 22 all in T10S, R1E. The irrigated acreage is located in the S 1/2 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 21; SE 1/4 NW 1/4, NE 1/4, NW 1/4 SE 1/4, S 1/2 SE 1/4 Section 22; N 1/2 NE 1/4, NW 1/4 Section 27; N 1/2 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 NE 1/4, N 1/2 NW 1/4, SW 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 28; NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 29; all in T10S, R1E.

Notice is given that Don W Henry whose mailing address is Box 276, Ardmore, South Dakota has filed Application No. 1980-2 to validate a vested right claim to appropriate 2.3 cubic feet of water per second and store 16 acre feet of water annually from Short Branch Creek and a dry draw dam to irrigate 158 acres with a priority date of November 21, 1944. The dry draw dam is located in the SE 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 12 and other points of diversion are at points between and including NE 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 13 and the NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 14 all in T12S, R4E. The irrigated acreage is located in the SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 12; E 1/2 NE 1/4, NE 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 14; NW 1/4, N 1/2 SW 1/4, NW 1/4 NE 1/4, S 1/2 NE 1/4, NW 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 13; all in T12S, R4E.

Pursuant to SDCL 46-2A-2 the Chief Engineer of the Water Rights Division recommends VALIDATION of Vested Water Right Application Nos. 1972-2, 1973-2, 1974-2, 1975-2, 1977-2, 1978-2, 1979-2 and 1980-2 because 1) water has been appropriated as described for irrigation with the priority dates listed above, 2) the use has been developed without unlawful impairment of existing rights, 3) it is a beneficial use of water and 4) it is in the public interest.

Validation of these applications will be considered by the Water Management Board in Room 216, Joe Foss Building, Pierre SD on September 3, 1986 at 10:00 am.

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AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

State of South Dakota)
) ss.
County of Fall River)

Charles Najacht of Hot Springs, Fall River County, South Dakota, being duly sworn, upon oath says that he is the publisher of the Hot Springs Star, a legal weekly newspaper published at Hot Springs, county and state aforesaid; that the advertisement headed—

Notice of Hearing

#1972-2, 1973-2, 1974-2,
1975-2, 1977-2, 1978-2,
1979-2 & 1980-2 to
—Appropriate Water—

a true printed copy thereof is hereunto annexed, was published in the said Hot Springs Star, in the regular and entire issue of said paper,

for two

successive issues, beginning with the
issue dated

July 28, 1986

and ending with the issue dated

August 5, 1986

That the full amount of the fee charged for the publication of said

notice is \$90.00, and that no agreement or understanding, for the division thereof, has been made with any other person, and that no part thereof has been agreed to be paid to any person whomsoever, that the whole amount insures to the benefit of the publishers of said newspaper.

Charles Najacht

Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 5 day of August

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Krime M. Leonard
Notary Public



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Newly crowned Miss Fall River
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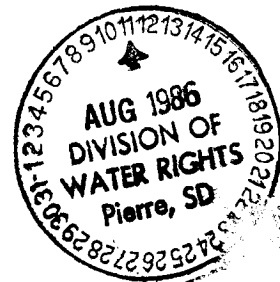
ANGOSTURA IRRIGATION DISTRICT

P. O. BOX 346

ORAL, SOUTH DAKOTA 57766

August 7, 1986

water Rights Specialist
Water Management Board
Joe Foss Building
Pierre, South Dakota



Dear Sir:

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The Board and the Water Users on the Angostura Project feel that these or any future water rights on the Cheyenne River and its tributaries and drainage basin, should be denied, because the inflows at Angostura Reservoir, over recent years seem to indicate that little water is available for irrigation purposes.

The Angostura Irrigation District, through the Bureau of Reclamation, has the right to one (1) filling of the Angostura Reservoir each year, and feel that any more rights issued will further jeopardize the water supply to the Water Users on the project.

Sincerely,

Russell Sanders, President
Board of Directors
Angostura Irrigation District

cc: Mr. Richard E. Brohl, Project Manager
Bureau of Reclamation
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Newell, South Dakota

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Department of Water & Natural Resources

Joe Foss Building
523 East Capitol
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-3181

August 18, 1986

Russell Sanders, President
Angostura Irrigation District
PO Box 346
Oral SD 57766

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If we can answer any questions, please contact us.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John Hatch". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

JOHN HATCH, Chief Engineer
Water Rights Division
605 773-3352

JH:DB:ks

cc: Richard E Brohl
Bureau of Reclamation
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September 16, 1986

NOTICE

Russell Sanders, President
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PO Box 346
Oral SD 57766

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South Dakota Statutes provide that decisions by the Board may be
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Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John Hatch". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name and title.

JOHN HATCH, Chief Engineer
Water Rights Division
605 773-3352

JH:ks

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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that on September 16, 1986 I have personally deposited with the U.S. Mail postage prepaid envelopes containing a Notice pertaining to Validation of certain vested rights in Fall River County addressed as stated on the letter.

Karen Schlaak

KAREN SCHLAAK
Senior Secretary

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
) SS
COUNTY OF HUGHES)

Sworn to, before me, this 16th day of September, 1986.



John Hatch
Notary Public

South Dakota
Department of
Water & Natural Resources

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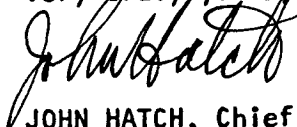
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Charles Eng
Buffalo Gap,
South Dakota 57722

Dear Mr. Eng:

Enclosed are your Validated Vested Water Right and Water License No. 1972-2.
As long as you use the water beneficially, as stated in the Water License,
the State Water Laws provide that you have a continuing right to use the
water.

Very truly yours,



JOHN HATCH, Chief Engineer
Water Rights Division
605 773-3352

JH: ks

enclosures

NOTE: The applicable portions of Water Right Filing No. 0574-2 were
incorporated into Vested Right No. 1972-2 and the abandoned portions
of Filing No. 0574-2 have been cancelled.

Equal Opportunity Employer

1972-2

RE: Water permits 696-2 & 378-2
Eng Ranch
Fair River County

New address notification

C. John & Lynn Ann Eng

Mailing address:

P.O. Box 111391

Anchorage, AK 99511-1391

Physical address:

5300 Country Club Lane

Anchorage, AK 99516

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Old address

3121 Marathon Circle

Anchorage, Alaska 99511-1391