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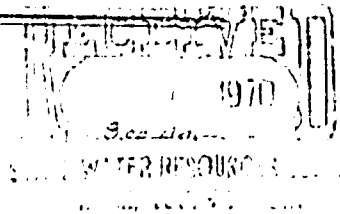
1. Considered MARCH 18, 1970
2. Name of Applicant CITY OF WATERTOWN
3. Post Office Address -
4. Amount of water claimed 0.80
5. Source of water supply WELL
6. Water to be used for MUNICIPAL
- Acres to be irrigated -
7. Water to be diverted and used in CODINGTON county
about _____ miles _____ of IN CITY LIMITS
8. Proof of Publication Received 2-10-70
Net Received _____
9. Application Approved _____
Subject to _____
Not Approved _____
Action deferred _____

10. Remarks:

Send correspondence to
Mell Fisher

No. 1716-3

Water Division No. 3 Big Sioux River District
(Blank to be Filled by the Engineer for the W. R. C.)



APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

To Appropriate Water within the State of South Dakota

(NOTE—Draw a line through items not applicable.)

1. Name of applicant City of Watertown, Municipal Utilities Department
Postoffice address Watertown, County Codington, State South Dakota
- I. If a corporation -----
(a) Name of same City of Watertown, Municipal Utilities Department
(b) Date and place of incorporation -----
(c) Amount of capital stock -----
(d) Amount paid in -----
(e) Names and addresses of directors Moyce and City Commission E. E. CREASER,
Pres., Municipal Utility Board; RALPH MERNAUGH, Vice Pres. Municipal Utility Board;
H. E. McClintic, Member, Municipal Utility Board; Ray Donaldson, Member, Municipal
Utility Board; and Merle Whitman, Member, Municipal Utility Board; all of the
City of Watertown, South Dakota

(NOTE—A certified copy of articles of incorporation must accompany the application.)

- II. Method of accomplishing the work and financial resources of the applicant:
- (a) Method of accomplishing work (Whether by contract, employment of others, or by direct labor)
Contract
- (b) Cash on hand, \$ --- (c) Treasury stock, \$ ---
(d) Bonds to be issued, \$ --- (e) Other resources, \$ ---

2. Name of diversion work Watertown Municipal Water Supply Facilities - Well #10
3. Amount of water claimed 0.80 cubic feet per second
4. Source of water supply Well - See Form 2A
5. Location of point of diversion 1350' N 89° E of the SW Cor. Sec. 25, T 117 N, R 52 W
of the Fifth P. M. on --- bank Codington County.
6. Annual period or periods during which water is to be used January 1 through December 31
7. To be used for:

- I. Irrigation or domestic use: Gravity, overhead sprinkling or combination system? -----
(a) Number of acres to be irrigated ----- acres.
(b) Legal subdivisions to be irrigated -----

(NOTE—A list of lands to be irrigated, giving each subdivision and fraction with acreage thereof, should be written here, or may be appended as a part of this application. Same must also be shown on accompanying map.)

- (c) Statement as to domestic use (giving location, etc.) All Municipal Purposes for
City of Watertown, South Dakota

- II. Stockwatering, mining, milling, power, fish culture, fire protection and public recreation:

- (a) Nature of use -----
Name any of the above uses claimed
(b) Amount of power to be generated ----- horse power.
Amount claimed for engine cooling -----
(c) Location of plant -----
(d) Method of developing power -----
(e) Point where water will be returned to stream -----

MAP No 1243-3

8. Estimated cost of work:

(a) Head Gates, \$-----

(b) Pumping plant, \$-----

(c) Fluming, \$-----

(d) Canal earth, \$-----

Rock, \$-----

(e) Other structures ----- \$-----

Total, \$-----

9. Description of diversion works:

I. Nature of works: (Reservoir, dam, ditch, flume, pumping plant, etc.)

II. Dimensions of works.

(a) Dam: Height ----- feet; length at bottom ----- feet; length at top ----- feet; thickness at bottom ----- feet; thickness at top ----- feet; slope at front water face -----; slope at back face ----- material used in construction -----

(b) Reservoir: Capacity when filled ----- acre feet. Surface area at highwater mark ----- acres.

DEPTH AT OUTLET- FEET	SURFACE AREA AT EACH DEPTH AT OUTLET--ACRES	FEET	ACRE- FEET CAPACITY
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(c) Head gate: Width ----- feet; height ----- feet; Material -----

(d) Canal: Total length ----- miles.

LOCATION BELOW HEADGATE	DEPTH	BOTTOM WIDTH	WIDTH AT WATER-LINE	GRADE PER MILE
At ----- Mile	----- feet	----- feet	----- feet	----- feet
At ----- Mile	----- feet	----- feet	----- feet	----- feet
At ----- Mile	----- feet	----- feet	----- feet	----- feet
At ----- Mile	----- feet	----- feet	----- feet	----- feet
At ----- Mile	----- feet	----- feet	----- feet	----- feet
At ----- Mile	----- feet	----- feet	----- feet	----- feet

(Give dimensions where reductions in size are made.)

10. Time required for completion of work ----- One ----- years.

11. Time required for complete application of water to the proposed beneficial use ----- One ----- years.

12. Choice of newspaper for publication of notice of intention to appropriate ----- Watertown -----
Public Opinion -----

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

County of ----- Codington ----- ss.

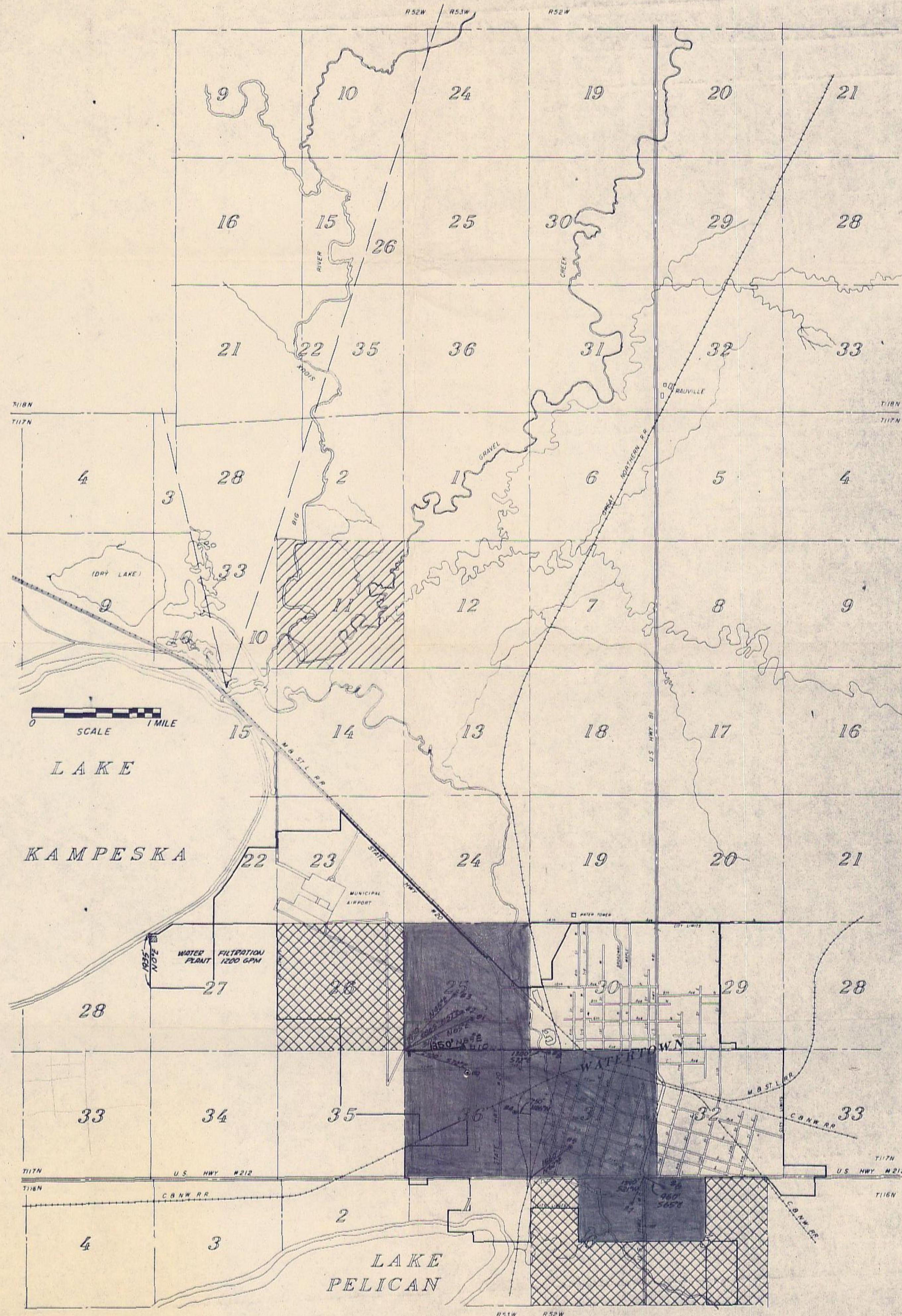
City of Watertown, S.D.

I, E. E. CREASER, President, Municipal Utility Board, of the -----, being first duly sworn on my oath depose and say: That my relation to the above described undertaking is that of owner, that I have read the above foregoing statement, examined the map accompanying the same, and that I know of my own personal knowledge that the matters therein stated and shown are true.

Signed ----- E. E. Creaser

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ----- day of ----- January A.D. ----- 19 70

Notary Public (or other qualified officer.)



- EXISTING AREAS COVERED BY WATER RIGHTS FOR FUTURE USE. PERMIT NO. 1097-3, 4062 GPM
- NEW AREAS FOR WHICH WATER RIGHTS FOR FUTURE USE IS MADE
- AREAS FOR WHICH WATER RIGHTS FOR FUTURE USE IS RELINQUISHED.

SOURCE	WATER RIGHT PERMIT NO.	RATE GPM	DATE	LEGAL LAND TIE
LAKE KAMPESKA	347-3	1200	1881	W1/4 COR. 27-117-53
WELL NO. 1	348-3	360	1932	SW COR. 25-117-53
WELL NO. 2	349-3	400	1933	SW COR. 25-117-53
WELL NO. 3	350-3	360	1933	SW COR. 25-117-53
WELL NO. 4	351-3	504	1934	E1/4 COR. 36-117-53
WELL NO. 5	352-3	504	12-3-56	SW COR. 31-117-52
WELL NO. 6	353-3	504	12-3-56	NW COR. 5-116-52
WELL NO. 7	354-3	504	12-3-56	NE COR. 6-116-52
WELL NO. 8	1097-3	350	12-3-56	NW COR. 31-117-53
WELL NO. 9	1217-3	250	—	NW COR. 36-117-53
WELL NO. 10	PENDING	360	—	SW COR. 25-117-53

- EXISTING WELLS WITH LEGAL LAND TIES
- ▲ NEW WELL WITH LEGAL LAND TIE FOR WHICH PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE WATER IS MADE

SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATE

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA SS
COUNTY OF BROOKINGS

I, CALVIN VAUDREY, A REGISTERED LAND SURVEYOR IN THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT AT THE REQUEST OF THE CITY OF WATERTOWN, SOUTH DAKOTA, I DID PREPARE THE MAP ON THIS SHEET FROM EXISTING INFORMATION OF THE TRACT FOR WHICH FUTURE WATER RIGHTS IS MADE AND OF THOSE TRACTS FOR WHICH EXISTING WATER RIGHTS FOR FUTURE USE IS RELINQUISHED AND, THAT FURTHER MORE, I DID SURVEY AND LOCATE THE SITES FOR WHICH APPLICATION FOR AN APPROPRIATIVE WATER RIGHTS TO WITHDRAW UNDERGROUND WATERS FOR MUNICIPAL PURPOSES IS MADE, AND THAT THIS MAP IS A TRUE REPRESENTATION THEREOF.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND SEAL THIS 28TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D. 1969.

Calvin Vaudrey
REGISTERED LAND SURVEYOR



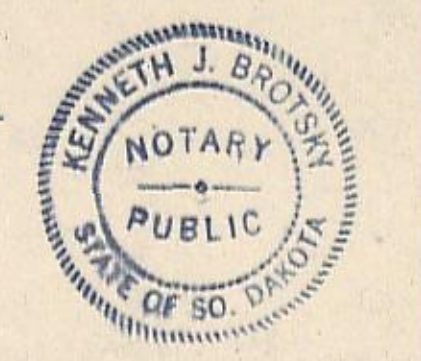
STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA SS
COUNTY OF BROOKINGS

ON THIS DAY, BEFORE ME, THE UNDERSIGNED, A NOTARY PUBLIC WITHIN AND FOR SAID STATE AND COUNTY, PERSONALLY APPEARED CALVIN VAUDREY, KNOWN TO ME TO BE THE PERSON WHO EXECUTED THE FOREGOING SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATE AND ACKNOWLEDGED TO ME THAT HE EXECUTED THE SAME.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL THIS 28TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D. 1969.

Kenneth J. Brotski
NOTARY PUBLIC

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES January 4, 1973



REV.	DATE	DESCRIPTION	MADE APPR.
J. T. BANNER & ASSOCIATES INC. CONSULTING ENGINEERS BROOKINGS, SOUTH DAKOTA			
WATER RIGHTS MAP			
SHOWING LOCATIONS FOR FUTURE WATER RIGHTS AND DIVERSION POINTS FOR PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE WATER FOR CITY OF WATERTOWN, S. DAK.			
DRAWN: D.L.K.	APPROVED:		
DESIGNED:	DATE:		
CHECKED: J.O.E.	APPROVED: <i>Calvin Vaudrey</i>		
DATE: NOV., 1969	DATE NOV. 28, 1969	FOR J. T. BANNER & ASSOC. INC.	
SCALE: 2 IN. = 1 MI.		DRAWING NUMBER	
SHEET 1 OF 1		5039	

APPL NO 1716-3

THIS WELL IS LOCATED NEAR DOMESTIC WELLS IN THE CITY OF WATERTOWN WHICH OBTAIN WATER FROM THE SAME AQUIFER. IF THE WELL COVERED BY THIS PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE WATER DEPLETES THE DOMESTIC SUPPLY, RESTRICTIONS TO THE EXTENT NECESSARY, OF THE CAPACITY OF THIS WELL OR PERIODS OF OPERATION OR OTHER ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE REQUIRED TO PROTECT THE DOMESTIC SUPPLY.

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
County of HUGHES } THE 180 CFS GRANTED IN THIS PERMIT
SS. IS DEDUCTED FROM FUTURE USE PERMIT #1214-3

Pierre, South Dakota, JUNE 28, 1970

This is to certify that the foregoing application was received by the Commission at 8:00 o'clock
01 m. upon the 7TH day of JANUARY, 1970

State Water Resources Commission

By:

Burton J. [Signature]
for Chief Engineer, Executive Officer

Number of permit 1716-3

Date of first receipt of application JANUARY 7, 1970

Date of return to applicant for correction, amendments or changes required as follows: _____, 19____

Date of receipt of corrected application _____, 19____

Date from which applicant may claim right DECEMBER 3, 1956

Approved JULY 22, 1970 Recorded in Book # 11 Page 160

This is to certify that we have examined the foregoing application for a permit to appropriate water of the State of South Dakota, and we hereby grant the same as stated herein, subject, however, to the following limitations and conditions:

1st. The equivalent of at least one-fifth of the work above specified is to be completed on or before JANUARY 22, 1971

2nd. The whole of said work is to be completed on or before JULY 22, 1971

3rd. The limit of time for proof of beneficial use of water appropriated in accordance herewith is

JULY 22, 1972

4th. The water appropriated shall be used for the purpose of MUNICIPAL USE

5th. 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 injuriously affected by this appropriation.

6th. The amount of the appropriation herein granted shall not exceed .80 cubic feet per second; neither shall it exceed the capacity of the above described system of diversion works, nor the least amount of water that experience may hereafter indicate as necessary for ~~the production of crops in the exercise of the best husbandry, and further, said appropriation must be limited to not more than one-tenth (1/10) of one cubic foot of water per second of time for each acre of land to which water is actually~~
USED FOR MUNICIPAL PURPOSES

and beneficially ~~applied for irrigation~~ on or before JULY 22, 1972; said water to be used during the following described annual period:

CONTINUOUSLY

Witness my hand this 28TH day of JULY, 1970

State Water Resources Commission

By:

[Signature]
Chief Engineer, Executive Officer

Certificate of Construction Issued SEPTEMBER 14, 1970

Water License Issued SEPTEMBER 14, 1970

At its March 1970 meeting the Water Resources Commission considered Water Right Application No. 1716-3 of the City of Watertown to withdraw up to 0.80 cubic feet per second of water from a 37 foot deep well for municipal purposes. Several letters and petitions were received protesting approval of this Water Right Application No. 1716-3. Mr. Currey and Mr. Bale, members of the Watertown City Commission, appeared in protest. The Water Resources Commission deferred further consideration pending investigation by the Commission Staff.

The well under consideration is Watertown City Well No. 10. This well has been in existence for several years. It is located in the western portion of the City. Another Well, No. 9 is located a little over 900 feet south of Well No. 10.

These wells are located in populated areas in the west portion of Watertown. There are an estimated 20 to 30 domestic wells in this same area and the owners of most of these domestic wells are not tied into the city water supply system. City water mains exist in the area.

The City of Watertown evidently does use these two wells sparingly, but when there is a heavy demand for water during hot periods, the City does use these wells extensively. At such time there is some draw down and there can be little question but that the domestic wells are affected in varying degrees.

While municipalities do have some special water right privileges, under South Dakota Law, they are not entitled to deplete prior existing domestic water systems without fair compensation of some kind. The Commission Staff believes any approval of Water Right Application No. 1716-3 should reflect this factor.

The recommendation of the Commission Staff is that Water Right Application No. 1716-3 be approved containing the following qualification, "This well is located near domestic wells in the City of Watertown which obtain water from the same aquifer. If the well covered by this permit to appropriate water depletes the domestic water supply; restrictions, to the extent necessary, of the capacity of this well or periods of operation or other arrangements will be required to protect the domestic water supply."

9. (Continued)

III. Well Specifications

(a) Hole and casing

Size of drill hole or excavation 60-inch, Depth 37.0 ft.

Type of casing Steel
(wood, concrete, steel, etc.)

Size of casing 30-inch, Thickness of casing 0.50 in.

Length of casing 27.8 ft. If collection gallery, length, size and depth of gallery ---

(b) Screens

Type of ~~perforated~~ screen Everdur-Johnson Wire Wrap No. 200 slot

Size of perforated screen 30-inch 10-ft
(diameter) (length)

Thickness of gravel pack 15 inches, length of gravel pack 36.0 feet

(c) Water Bearing Materials

Distance to water 13 feet Character of water bearing materials Fine to very coarse sand and gravel

Thickness of water bearing material 27 ft.

(d) Pump and Motor

Type of pump Turbine
(centrifugal, propeller, mixed flow, etc.)

Name of pump Fairbanks Morse, size 8" L.C. 2 Stage

Kind of motor Electric
(gasoline, electric, diesel, etc.)

Horsepower $\frac{16}{7\frac{1}{2}}$, Name of Motor U.S.

(e) Complete well

Capacity 360 gpm at drawdown of 4 ft. Estimated cost \$8,600.00

(f) Owner of land upon which well is located City of Watertown
Name
Watertown, South Dakota
Address

(g) Distance to nearest existing wells

On same owner's property --- rods. On property owned by others 5 rods

Permit No. 1716-3

Water Diversion No. 3 Big Sioux River Water District

CERTIFICATE OF CONSTRUCTION

This is to Certify, That the City of Wacertown

_____ the holder _____ of
Permit No. 1716-3, issued upon Application No. 1716-3, bearing date of priority of December 3,
1956 authorizing the diversion of .80 cu. ft. per second of the waters of _____
ground water County of Codington, State of South Dakota at _____
a point 1350' North 89° East of the SW Corner of the SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 25,
T117N, R53W
_____, for Municipal

purposes, has _____ complied with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota relating to proof of
completion of the works of diversion set out and described in said Permit; that said works are found in satisfactory
condition for diverting and conveying to the place of intended use .80 cu. ft. per second of water.

Date September 18, 1970

WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION

By:

J.W. GRIMES, Executive Officer

(1) WHEREAS, On the 7th day of January, A. D. 19 70
the City of Watertown

County of Codington, State of South Dakota, for Municipal purposes; and

(2) WHEREAS, On the 28th day of July A. D. 1970
Permit No. 1716-3, with a date of priority of December 3, 1956

was issued to said applicant _____ for the diversion of said water, and provided for the completion of construction of the water supply system therein described on or before the 22nd day of July A. D. 19 71 and for the application to beneficial use of said water on or before the 22nd day of July A. D. 19 72

and:

(3) WHEREAS, It is hereby certified that the applicant has complied with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota relating to completion of the construction of the water supply system and is entitled to divert .80 cubic feet per second of water for beneficial use and,

(4) WHEREAS, It is hereby certified that the applicant has complied with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota relating to the application of water to beneficial use of the following extent,

water is used for municipal purposes by the City of Watertown

(5) NOW, THEREFORE, By the virtue of the authority vested in us by the laws of the State of South Dakota, We hereby grant and confirm to the City of Watertown

AND

the holder _____ and owner _____ of said permit No. 1716-3 a water right, dating from December 3, 1956
_____ to use of .80 cubic feet per second of the water
of ground water

in the County of Codington and State of South Dakota, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the
purposes hereinbelow mentioned, to be diverted at a point 1350' North 89' East of the SW Corner,
of the SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 25, T117N, R53W

and ~~XXXXXX~~ conducted through the City water distribution system

for the purpose of municipal use.

Subject to any limitations listed in Water Right Permit No. 1716-3 and subject to the laws of the State of South Dakota.

WITNESS, My hand and seal of our office at Pierre, South Dakota
this 14th day of September A. D.
Nineteen Hundred and Seventy

WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION

By:

Chief Engineer, Executive Officer - J.W. GRIMES

1716-3

Publish first publication, on or before February 19, 1970**NOTICE
INTENT TO APPROPRIATE WATER**

Pierre, South Dakota 57501

January 16, 1970

the City of Watertown

Notice is hereby given that

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
whose post office address is _____, South Dakota, has made an application in accordance
with the provisions of the water laws of South Dakota for a permit to ~~development from future use~~ and

.80

cubic feet of water per second of time from the ground water through the

City Well #10

, the point of diversion of which is to be located in the _____

SE 1/4 SW 1/4

25

117N

53W

of Section _____, Twp. _____, Range _____. Said water to be used for the purpose

of providing irrigation on the following described land:

municipal supplies for the City of Watertown

1716-3

This application No. _____ will be considered by the Water Resources Commission at their office at
Pierre upon the 18th day of March, 1970, at 2:00 P.M. M. All interested
persons may appear and be heard.

cc: C.H. Sonnenberg, Superintendent
Municipal Utilities Dept.
Watertown, S.D. 57201

WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION

By:

BURNON F. JONES, Water Rights Specialist

No. 1716-3

PROOF OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
County - Codington) ss.

I, Kenneth B. May hereby

certify that the annexed printed copy of Notice of Intent to Appropriate
Water was taken from the Watertown Public Opinion

A newspaper which during the whole time of publication of said notice
herein after stated, has been and is printed and published in the _____

City _____ of Watertown

County of Codington and State of South Dakota;
that the said notice was published in said newspaper on the following
four dates:

January 16, 1970

January 23, 1970

January 30, 1970

February 6, 1970

Patty Henderson

(Signature)

Bookkeeper

(Title)

2-9-70

(Date Signed)

LEGAL NOTICE

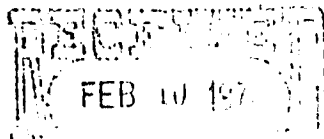
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WATER RESOURCES
COMMISSION

By: Burton F. Jones,
Water Rights Specialist
(Jan. 16, 23, 30; Feb. 6, 1970)



STATE

Pierre, South Dakota

COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE



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College of Agriculture and Biological Sciences • South Dakota State University • Brookings, South Dakota 57006

February 13, 1970

Mr. & Mrs. Rainold Wolff
119-15 Street N.W.
Watertown, South Dakota 57201

RECEIVED
FEB 16 1970
SOUTH DAKOTA
PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA

Dear Sir and Madam:

It would appear from the comments in your letter of February 11, 1970 that your domestic well could be within the radius of influence of the city wells although I cannot be sure of this in absence of any geologic knowledge of the particular aquifer in question. A block is close enough to put your well within the lower part of the cone of depression in some aquifers.

You are pursuing the proper course in making your objections to the Water Resources Commission. Your objections will be given due consideration. That is the purpose of the March 18 hearing. The cities application for a permit for their well No. 10 (plus a lot more applications) will be considered at that time.

If possible to do so, I would suggest that you attend the hearing and make your objections in person. Just see Mr. Grimes, Chief Engineer for the Commission, when you get there and tell him that you wish to make a statement. The Commission will give you every opportunity to state your case.

If it is not possible for you to be in Pierre on the 18th, I would suggest that you make written objection to the granting of this permit. The commission will give this equal consideration; however, I have always thought that it was more satisfying for all parties concerned if cases could be stated in person. This gives the commission an opportunity to ask questions and get detailed information that might have been omitted in the written statement.

Sincerely,

Fay Kerr

F. F. (Fay) Kerr, Extension
Water Resources Specialist

FFK:rs

cc: Joe Grimes

Joe: I get a letter from time to time like the one enclosed. I am sending you this letter and my annual and should like to know if I am handling them in the way that is in the best interests of the commission. I can simply report the letter to you and so inform them of this is better. The content that I am handling it as I have done w/ this one is of some small value to me but that really important Fay

Shelburne, J. R.
February 11, 1970

Dear Mr. Kern,

We have read your comments on water and water rights in the Farm Section of the Shelburne Public Opinion.

We in the west section of Shelburne are having problems with our private wells and the City's Utility Department.

During the summer of 1957 the city put in two wells, one north and one south of us. They are approximately 1 to 1 1/2 blocks away from either of these wells. Since then most of us around here have had to go down farther at one time or another.

Now the city is making a formal application to develop one of these wells and to pump 80 cubic feet of water per second of time from ground water. At this rate we are afraid our wells will all go dry.

Your comment was that there was enough water if a person went deep enough but some of them have gone down and hit clay and then had to have city water put in and pay for it also. The fact the city will take our water and in turn we would have to pay for the water they took away from us. Another thing, most of us can't afford

to pay \$500 to have city water put into our
home.

We are trying to object to this application
and any information you could give us would
be greatly appreciated. We have written the
Water Resource Commission in Pierre.

We are also enclosing two stories from the
Hartford Public Opinion about this well.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mar + Mrs. Simon Engels
Mrs. Mrs. Reinold Hoff

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TO WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION, STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

We, the undersigned, residents of the City of Watertown, Codington County, South Dakota, residing at the addresses set forth opposite our names herein, being effected by and opposed to Application No. 1716-3 for a permit to develop from future use and appropriate for beneficial use .80 cubic feet of water per second of time from ground water through the City of Watertown, South Dakota, City Well #10, the point of diversion of which is to be located in the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ -SW $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section 25, Township 117 North, Range 53 West, Codington County, South Dakota, respectfully request the Water Resources Commission to refuse said Application for the reasons, among others, as hereinafter set forth.

[illegible]

NAME	ADDRESS (including street number)	DATE
13. Mrs. P. Spring	113 2 nd Ave N.W.	March 3-1970
14. Mary Macak	113 14 th St N.W.	March 5-1970
15. Gladys Johnson	113 14 th St N.W.	March 5-1970
16. Mrs. John W. Foster	209 9 th St N.W.	March 5-1970
17. E. L. L. Stenrod	1209 4 th Ave N.W.	March 5-1970
18. Emma Stein	1209 4 th Ave N.W.	March 5, 1970
19. Jack Smith	103 12 th St N.W.	March 5
20. Bessie Smith	103 12 th St N.W.	March 5
21. Mrs. W. C. Miller	105 10 th St N.W.	March 5-70
22. Mrs. P. H. Miller	205 12 th St N.W.	March 5-1970
23. Mrs. L. M. Johnson	100-12 St N.W.	March 5-1970
24. Emma Johnson	1210 3 rd St N.W.	March 5-1970
25. Mrs. Katherine Johnson	1210-3 rd Ave. N.W.	March 5-1970
26. Helen Johnson	112 12 th St N.W.	March 5-1970
27. Mrs. Margaret Thacker	213 12 th St N.W.	March 5-1970
28. Cassie Johnson	13 th Ave S 9 th St N.W.	March 5-1970
29. Ruth E. Johnson	12-15 th St N.W.	March 5-1970
30. Mrs. M. L. Johnson	1311 12 th St N.W.	March 5-1970
31. Mrs. Macak, Grace	1211 12 th St N.W.	March 5-1970
32. Mrs. O. L. Johnson	1211 12 th St N.W.	March 5-1970
33. Mrs. M. F. Johnson	309 12 th St N.W.	March 5-1970
34. Mrs. M. F. Johnson	100 11 th St N.W.	March 5-1970
35. Mrs. M. F. Johnson	208-13 th St N.W.	March 5-1970
36. Mrs. M. F. Johnson	11 29 th St N.W.	March 5-1970
37. Herman Preschke	29-9 th St N.W.	March 5-1970
38. Walter W. Dahl	902 W. Kemp	May 6, 1970
39. Mrs. O. W. Dahl	913 W. Kemp	May 6, 1970
40. Walter Dahl	9-12 th St N.W.	May 6, 1970

NAME	ADDRESS (including street number)	DATE
41. Raymond C. Van Dinkle	1215 West Kemp City	Mar 7, 1970
42. Mrs. Raymond Van Dinkle	1215 West Kemp City	7, 1970
43. Sylvester Beest	221 14th St. N.W. Minn	7, 1970
44. Norma Wilson	1219 4th St. N.W. Minn	7, 1970
45. Gerry Urban	130 12th St. S.W. Minn	7, 1970
46. Richard M. Munn	1500 4th Ave. N.W. Minn	7, 1970
47. Shirley West	1210 4th Avenue N.W. Minn	7, 1970
48. W. B. Munn	1210 4th Ave. N.W. Minn	7, 1970
49. L. M. Munn	1000 Washington St. N.W. Minn	7, 1970
50. W. B. Munn	1000 Washington St. N.W. Minn	7, 1970
51. Olga R. Munn	916 1st Ave. S.W. Minn	7, 1970
52. W. B. Munn	1000 Washington St. N.W. Minn	7, 1970
53. Raymond B. Munn	1020 West Kemp Ave. Minn	7, 1970
54. Mrs. Claire Munn	1018 West Kemp Ave. Minn	7, 1970
55. Claire Munn	1018 West Kemp Ave. Minn	7, 1970
56. Anna T. Munn	1000 Washington St. N.W. Minn	7, 1970
57. W. B. Munn	1000 Washington St. N.W. Minn	7, 1970
58. Clifford Munn	507-8 1st N.W. Waterbury S.D.	Mar 9, 1970
59. J. T. Munn	2000 9th St. N.W. Minneapolis Minn	9, 1970
60. J. T. Munn	105 9th St. N.W. Waterbury S.D.	Mar 9, 1970
61. J. T. Munn	215 7th Street Waterbury S.D.	Mar 9, 1970
62. Regina Munn	113 3rd Avenue N.W. Minn	Mar 13, 1970
63. J. T. Munn	106 12th St N.W. Waterbury S.D.	Mar 12, 1970
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66. J. T. Munn	112-12th St N.W. Waterbury S.D.	Mar 12, 1970
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68. <i>Mrs. Bette</i>	<i>315-12 St. W.</i>	<i>March 12, 1970</i>
69. <i>Joe Wellington</i>	<i>320-12 St. W.</i>	<i>March 12-1970</i>
70. <i>Merley Wellington</i>	<i>320-12 St. W.</i>	<i>March 12, 1970</i>
71. <i>Delvin (Vicki)</i>	<i>209-13th St. N.W.</i>	<i>March 13/12/70</i>
72. <i>Mrs. Lucille Koch</i>	<i>419-12th St. N.W.</i>	<i>March 13, 1970</i>
73. <i>Alma Hale</i>	<i>203-12th St. N.W.</i>	<i>March 13 1970</i>
74. <i>John Sall</i>	<i>1023-11th St. N.W.</i>	<i>March 14-1970</i>
75. <i>Victoria Sall</i>	<i>1023-11th St. N.W.</i>	<i>March 14-1970</i>

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residence with street and number, if any, and the date of signing
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Alaine Kalko
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(SEAL)

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1. Nelson H. Haggard	22-14th St SW Watertown	2-19-70
2. Mrs. Lillian Walcott	22-14th St SW Watertown S.D.	2-19-70
3. Melvin L. Walker	1311-1 $\frac{1}{2}$ Ave SW Watertown S.D.	2-19-70
4. Leo M. McKen	1311-1 $\frac{1}{2}$ Ave SW Watertown S.D.	2-19-70
5. Frank Hill	1310-1st Ave SW Watertown S.D.	2-19-70
6. Frank Hill	1310-1st Ave SW Watertown	2-19-70
7. Harold Hill	1311-2 Ave SW Watertown	2-19-70
8. Francis Logan	1511 3 Ave SW Watertown	2-19-70
9. Charles P. Bland	1531 3 Ave SW Watertown	2-19-70
10. Mrs. L. A. Hines	1511 3 Ave SW Watertown	2-20-70
11. Hugh Carley	308-12th St SW Watertown S.D.	2-20-70
12. Roy J. Williams	1114 3 Ave SW Watertown S.D.	2-20-1970

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13. <u>Walt Valigin</u>	1621-3 rd and 84 th Waterman, So. Dak	2/20/70
14. <u>Mrs. Matt Valigin</u>	1621-3 rd and 84 th Waterman, So. Dak	2/20/70
15. <u>Ernest O'Brien</u>	1524 3 rd and 56 th W. St. S.D.	2/20/70
16. <u>Mrs. Ernest O'Brien</u>	1524 3 rd and 56 th W. St. S.D.	2/20/70
17. <u>Sara F. Olson</u>	1801 - 4 th and 5 th St. W. S.D.	2-21-70
18. <u>Barbara J. Olson</u>	1801 - 4 th and 5 th St. W. S.D.	2-21-70
19. <u>Dr. Charles H. Olson</u>	1903 4 th and 5 th St. W. S.D.	2-21-70
20. <u>Hortense Nelson</u>	1803 4 th and 5 th St. W. S.D.	2-21-70
21. <u>Ernest H. Olson</u>	1805 4 th and 5 th St. W. S.D.	2-21-70
22. <u>Mrs. Ruth D. Olson</u>	1727 4 th and 5 th St. W. S.D.	2-21-70
23. <u>Mrs. Gerald Olson</u>	1027 4 th and 5 th St. W. S.D.	2-21-70
24. <u>Ernest P. Olson</u>	11-13 th and 5 th St. W. S.D.	2-24-70
25. <u>Dr. E. M. Olson</u>	11-13 th and 5 th St. W. S.D.	2-24-70
26. <u>Elizabeth M. Larson</u>	131-15 th St. S.W. Waterman, S. Dak	Feb. 24, 1970
27. <u>Donald R. Larson</u>	131-15 th St. S.W. Waterman, S. Dak	Feb. 24, 1970
28. <u>Donald R. Larson</u>	205-13 th St. S.W. City, S.D.	Feb. 24, 1970
29. <u>Raymond S. Miller</u>	2003 - 13 th St. S.W. S.D.	Feb. 24, 1970
30. <u>Mrs. Raymond S. Miller</u>	7002 - 13 th St. S.W. S.D.	Feb. 24, 1970
31. <u>Roger H. Miller</u>	913 3 rd and 5 th St. S.W. S.D.	Feb. 24, 1970
32. <u>Joyce D. Miller</u>	1104 - 13 th St. S.W. S.D.	Feb. 24, 1970
33. <u>Richard G. Miller</u>	1104 - West Kemp Waterman, S.D.	Feb. 24, 1970
34. <u>Donald Brinkman</u>	1122 West Kemp Waterman, S.D.	Feb. 24, 1970
35. <u>Patricia Brinkman</u>	1122 - West Kemp Waterman, S.D.	Feb. 24, 1970
36. <u>Mrs. Robert D. Miller</u>	8-12 th St. S.W. S.D.	Feb. 24, 1970
37. <u>William M. Jensen</u>	15-13 th St. S.W. Waterman, S.D.	Feb. 24, 1970
38. <u>Robert Jensen</u>	18-13 th St. S.W. Waterman, S.D.	Feb. 24, 1970
39. <u>Robert Jensen</u>	1800 - 17 th St. S.W. Waterman, S.D.	Feb. 25, 1970
40. <u>Bob Miller</u>	208 17 th St. S.W. Waterman, S.D.	Feb. 25, 1970

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Wendell Miller	308-12 st N W. S. Dak	Feb. 25, 1970
42. Fred Phillips	1308 N. W. Cooper Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 25, 1970
43. Frank Anderson	100-14th N. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 25-1970
44. Ted Hansen	30-12 th St. S. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 25-1970
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46. Eugene J. Miller	116-12 St. S. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 25-70
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48. Del Wayne Hartung	127-11 st S. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 25-70
49. Mrs. Del Wayne Hartung	137-11 St. S. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 25-70
50. Mrs. Vern Gels	115-11 st S. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 25-70
51. Beatrice Van Gels	115-11 th St. S. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 25-70
52. Charles Kuno	124-12 st S. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 25-70
53. Mrs. Dorothy Kuno	124-12 St. S. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 25-70
54. (Miss) D. Kuno	11-11th St. S. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 25-70
55. Mrs. Albert Kuno	11-11 th St. S. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 25-1970
56. (Miss) Kuno	124-12 th St. S. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 25-1970
57. Fred Confession	124-12 th St. S. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 25-1970
58. (Miss) Kuno	112-12 St. S. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 25, 1970
59. (Miss) Williams	112-12 St. S. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 25-1970
60. Loretta Kuno	112-12 St. S. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 25-1970
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62. Mrs. V. E. Tufeland	101-18 th St. N. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 27, 1970
63. Amanda A. Tufeland	101-18 St. N. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 27-1970
64. Edith W. Tufeland	300-17 St. N. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 27-1970
65. (Miss) Rasmussen	25-13 St. S. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 28-1970
66. (Miss) Rasmussen	25-13 St. S. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 28-1970
67. (Miss) O'Brien	102-18 th St. N. W. Waterbury, S. Dak	Feb. 28-1970

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68. <i>Leah M. Parich</i>	<i>102 15th St NW, Waterbury S. Dak.</i>	<i>2-28-70</i>
69. <i>Eugene K. Phillips</i>	<i>1119 5th Ave NW, Waterbury S. Dak.</i>	<i>Feb 28, 70</i>
70. <i>Charles W. Schenck</i>	<i>Box 818 2nd Ave. S.W. Waterbury S. Dak.</i>	<i>Feb 28, 1970</i>
71. <i>Ronald Johnson</i>	<i>1209 3rd Ave. NW, Waterbury S. Dak.</i>	<i>Feb 28, 1970</i>
72. <i>Arnell Ruastad</i>	<i>808 1st Ave. S.W. Waterbury S. Dak.</i>	<i>Feb 28, 1970</i>
73. <i>Joyce Ruastad</i>	<i>808 1st Ave. S.W. Waterbury S. Dak.</i>	<i>Feb 28, 1970</i>
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2. Tersal Smith	801 4 th Ave N.W. Watertown S.Dak.	3/19-70
3. Marion Carlson	197 10 th St. NW Watertown S.Dak.	3/4/70
4. Mrs Louise Marotz	205-10 4 th St. NW Watertown S.Dak.	3/19-70
5. Joseph McCullough	311-10 4 th St. NW Watertown S.Dak.	3/19-70
6. Russell J. Leonard	221 12 th St. N.W. Watertown S.Dak.	3/19/70
7. Mrs. L. E. Bryan	200 5 th St. N.W. Watertown S.Dak.	3/19/70
8. L. E. Bryan	200-10 th St. N.W. Watertown S.Dak.	3/19/70
9. Dale Currey	102 10 th St. N.W. Watertown S.Dak.	2/19/70
10. Marion Currey	102-10 th St. N.W. Watertown S.Dak.	2/19/70
11. Ralph E. Johnson	103-11 th St. N.W. Watertown S.Dak.	20-1970
12. Anthony J. Johnson	205 11 th St. N.W. Watertown S.Dak.	20-20-70

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14. Verne Bruner	219-11th St NW Waterbury	2-20-70
15. ^{4th} Lillian Bruner	105 10th St NW Waterbury	2-20-70
16. Lydia Bruner	514 Hampden Blvd Waterbury	2-20-70
17. Charles Bruner	514 Hampden Blvd Waterbury	2-20-70
18. Eugene A. Bruner	1406 3rd Ave. N.W. Waterbury	2-24-70
19. Jeannette A. Bruner	1406 3rd Ave. N.W. Waterbury	2-24-70
20. Orrill C. Wilcox	214 15th St NW Waterbury	2-24-70
21. Gladys Wilcox	214 15th St NW Waterbury	2-24-70
22. Marilyn Taur	219 15th St NW Waterbury	2-24-70
23. Peter Taur	219 15th St NW Waterbury	2-24-70
24. Helen ^{Brent} Taur	209-15th St NW Waterbury	2-24-70
25. Maudie Taur	209-15th St NW Waterbury	2-24-70
26. Helen M. Taur	206-15th St NW Waterbury	2-24-70
27. Simon Engel	702-15th St NW Waterbury	2-24-1970
28. Clara H. Engel	202-15th St NW Waterbury	2-24-70
29. Elaine Hoff	119 15th St NW Waterbury	2-24-1970
30. Ernest Hoff	119 15th St NW Waterbury	2-24-70
31. Bob Johnson	819-3rd Ave NW Waterbury	3-3-70
32. Emma G. Johnson	219-9th St NW Waterbury	3-3-70
33. Hazel Johnson	202-9th St NW Waterbury	3-3-70
34. Barbara Johnson	111-9th St NW Waterbury	3-3-70
35. Joyce Olson	103-9th St NW Waterbury	3-3-70
36. Alice Tignor	209-9th St NW Waterbury	3-3-70
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38. Alice Tignor	315-8th St NW Waterbury	3-3-70
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52. Mrs. Bernard Burchett	1017 3rd Ave N.W. Water town Dak	3/14/70
53. M. Bernard Burchett	1017 3rd Ave N.W. Water town Dak	3/14/70
54. Barbara Cogal	525 9th St N.W. Water town Dak	3/14/70
55. William Cogal	525 9th St N.W. Water town Dak	3/14/70
56. Roger Turley	802 6th Ave N.W. Water town Dak	3/14-70
57. Doreen Turley	820 6th Ave N.W. Water town Dak	3-14-70
58. Loren Strait	509 8th St N.W. Water town Dak	14-70
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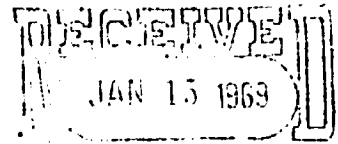
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Alaine Kallo
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South Dakota

(SEAL)

Watertown, N. H.
January 13, 1969

Water Resources Commission
State Office Building
Paines, South State 57501



WATER RESOURCES COMM.
STATE OFFICE BLDG.

Dear Mr. Schreyer:

We have talked and written to you of our water situation during the fall of 1967 here in Watertown.

Now we are experiencing trouble again. Mrs. McBrien and Mr. & Mrs. Hall have had to drop their wells down about 3 ft., and Mr. & Mrs. Engels' pump isn't working as it should.

Mr. Engels has measured the well and it shows a drop of 2 ft 8 inches in the last month. He knew the city has been running their wells near us and the water level has dropped some, but we believe the city wells are pulling the water away from us.

We want to send this information to you so that if we have more trouble you will come and check it out for us. Talking to Mr. Bronnberg does not get us anywhere.

Thank you.

Sincerely,
Mr & Mrs. Simon Engels
Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Hall

Jan = 13 - 19 69
17 feet 8 in

Apr. = 9 - 19 69
15 feet --- 7 in.

Oct = 1 19 69
14 feet --- 4 in

Feb = 19 19 70
13 feet --- 10 in

Mar. 3 - 19 70
13 feet --- 4 in

Mar. 17 - 19 70
13 feet

Simon Engels
Water Level

February 2, 1970

Mr. and Mrs. Rainold Wolff
119 15th St. N.W.
Watertown, South Dakota 57201

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Wolff:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter regarding the application of the City of Watertown application for their existing City Well #10.

The correspondence with you from the fall of 1967 to the present will be presented to the Commission before the application is considered. Too, any additional information you wish to furnish can be made either by letter or by appearance at the meeting. Any written protest will be read to the Commission.

If you should have further questions, feel free to contact this office.

Sincerely,

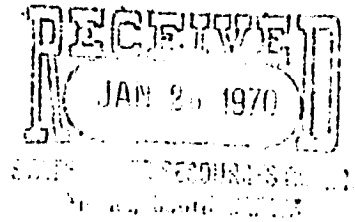
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Water Rights Specialist

BFJ/bw

cc: Mr. and Mrs. Simon Engels
202 15th St. N.W.
Watertown, S.D.

1716-3 Watertown, South Dakota
January 24, 1970

Water Resource Commission
Pierre, South Dakota



Dear Mr. Jones,

This letter is in regard to application No 1716-3 made by the City of Watertown to develop City well #10.

We live from 1 to 1 1/2 blocks away from this well. Most of us with private wells have had trouble at one time or another since that well was put in and have had to put our wells further down. Now with them pumping this much water we won't have any and at least eight families that we know on 15 16. dependent on their own wells.

We have written your office about our problems in the past so we know you will find correspondence on it from September 1967 to November 1967.

What we want to know is how we go about objecting to this. Do we need legal counsel and have to appear at this meeting or will a written letter be sufficient?

Any help you can give us will be greatly appreciated.

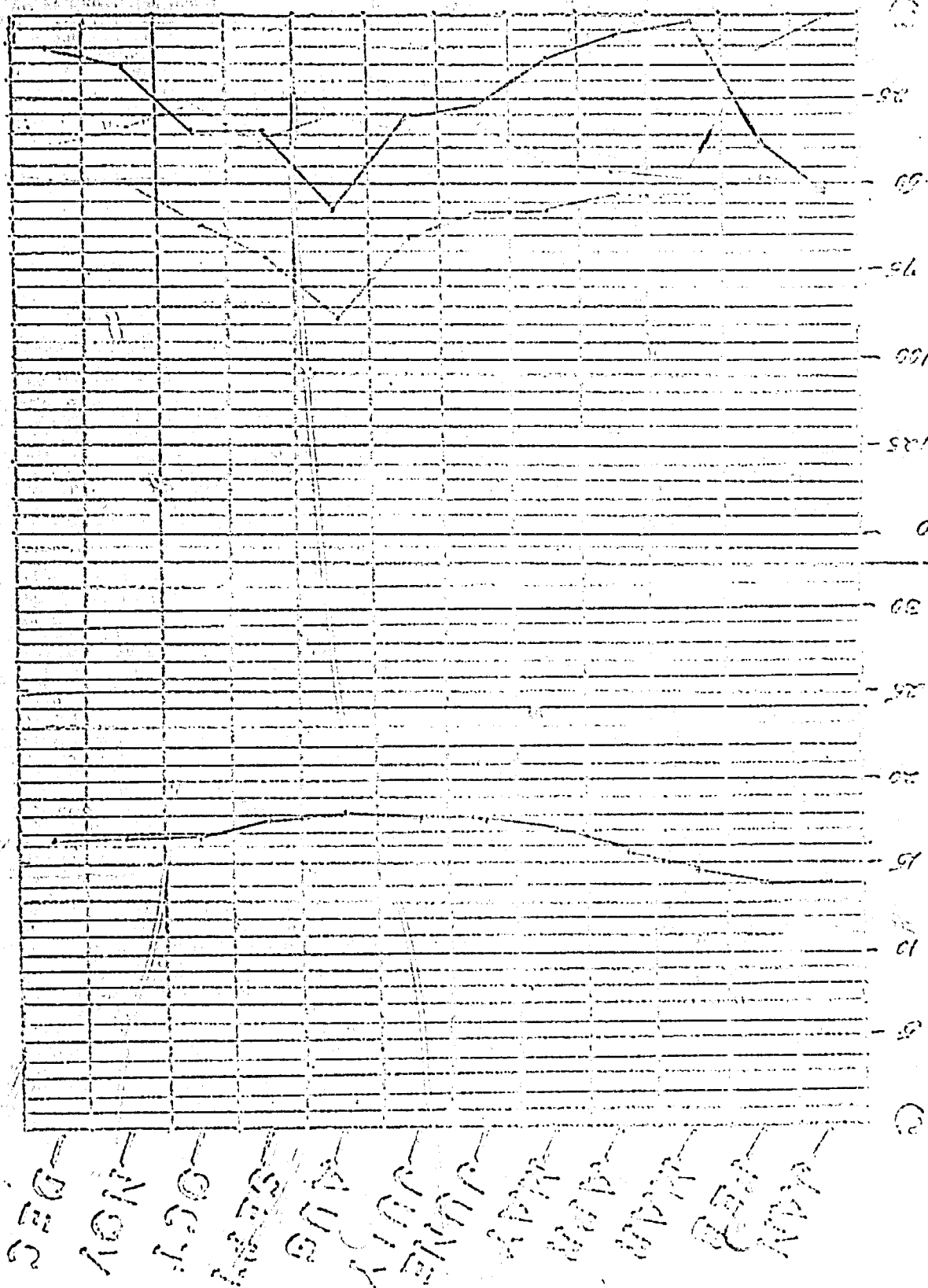
Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mr. & Mrs. Donald Skiff
Mr. & Mrs. Simon Engle

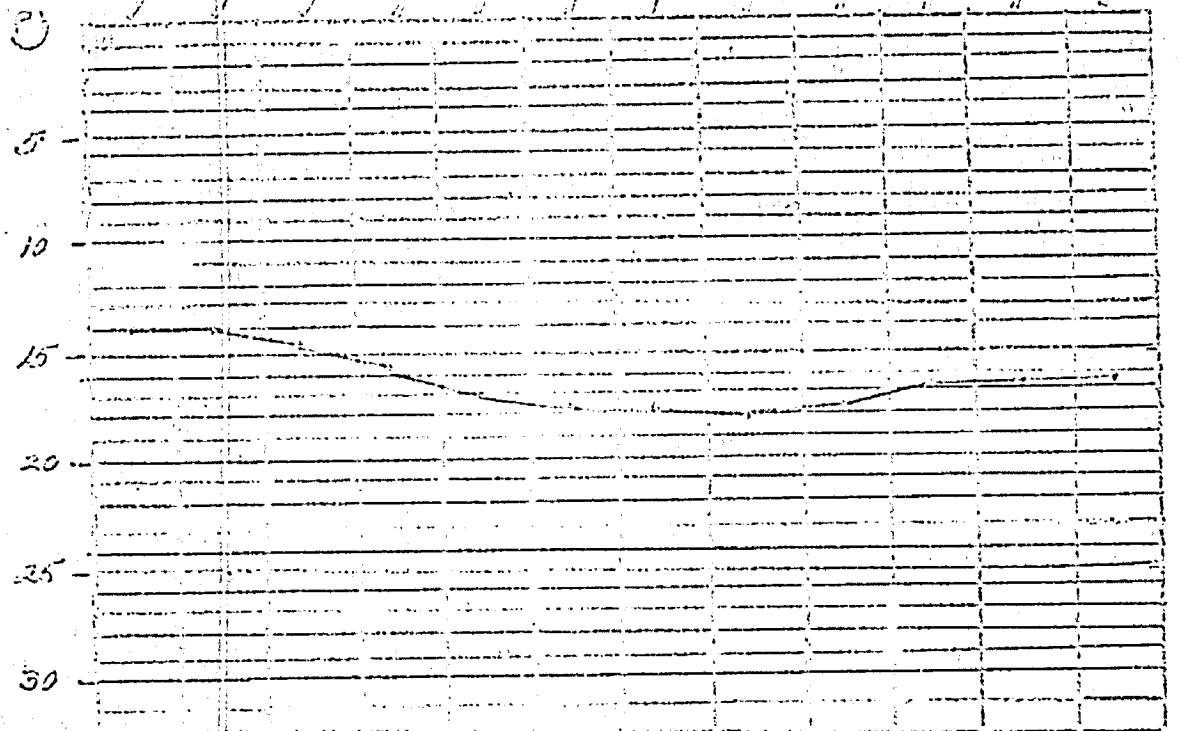
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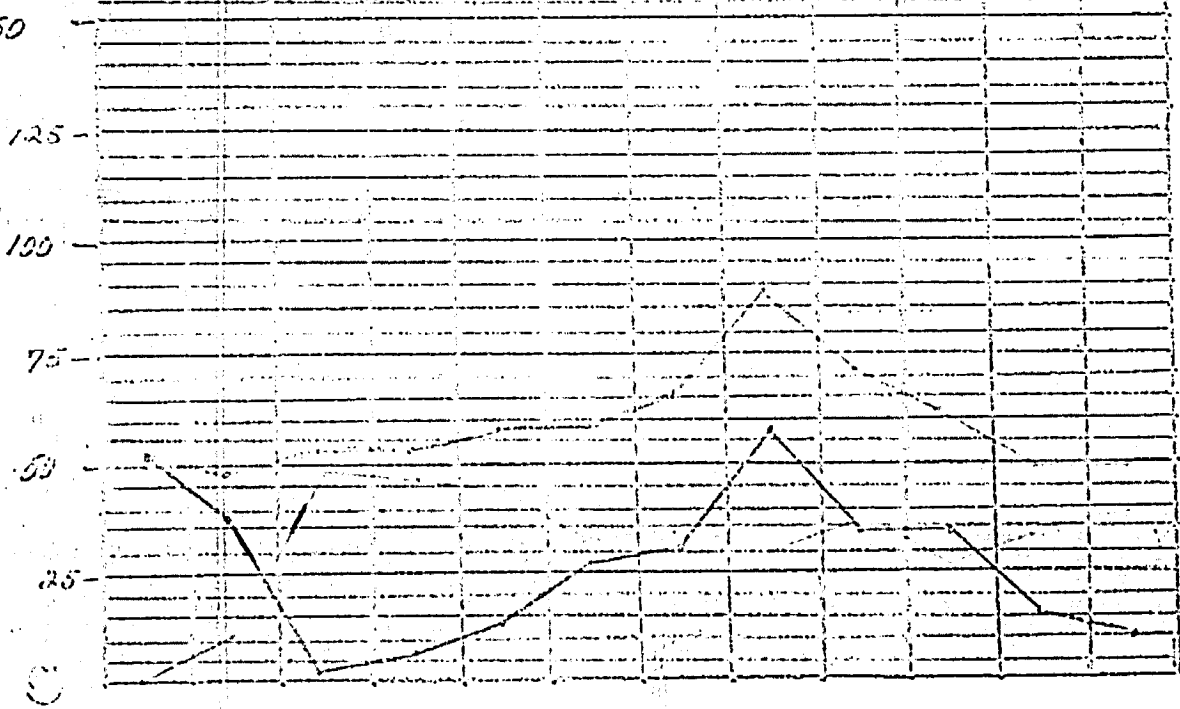


WATER TABLE

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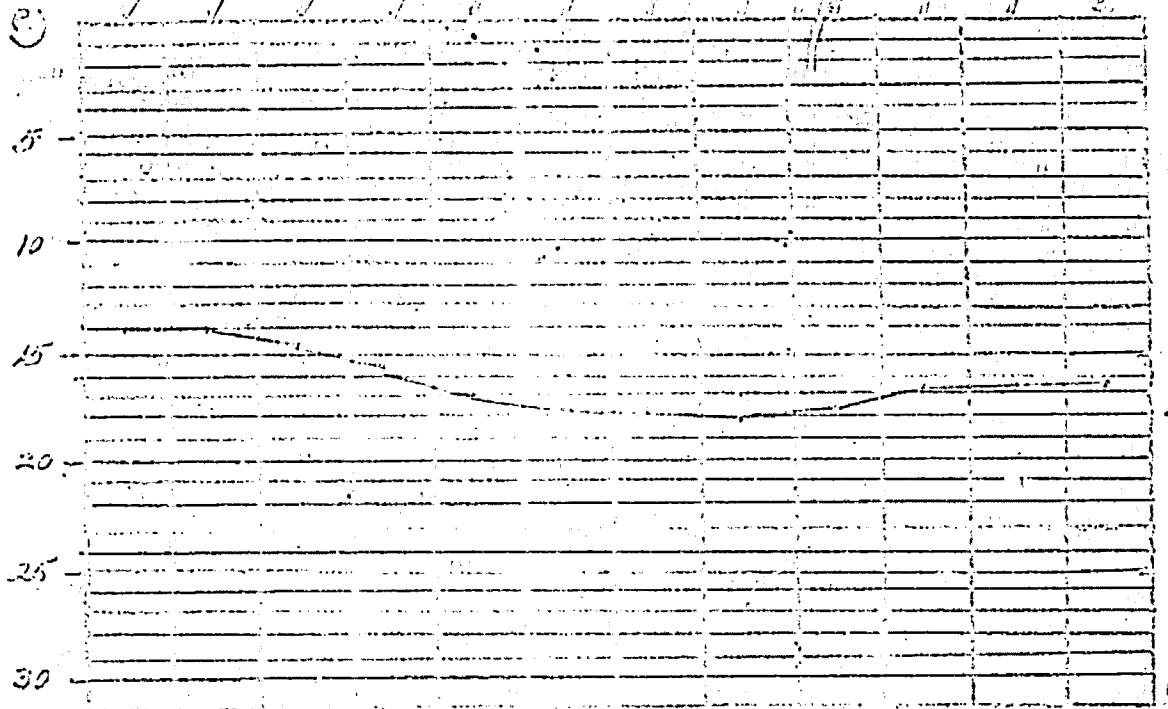
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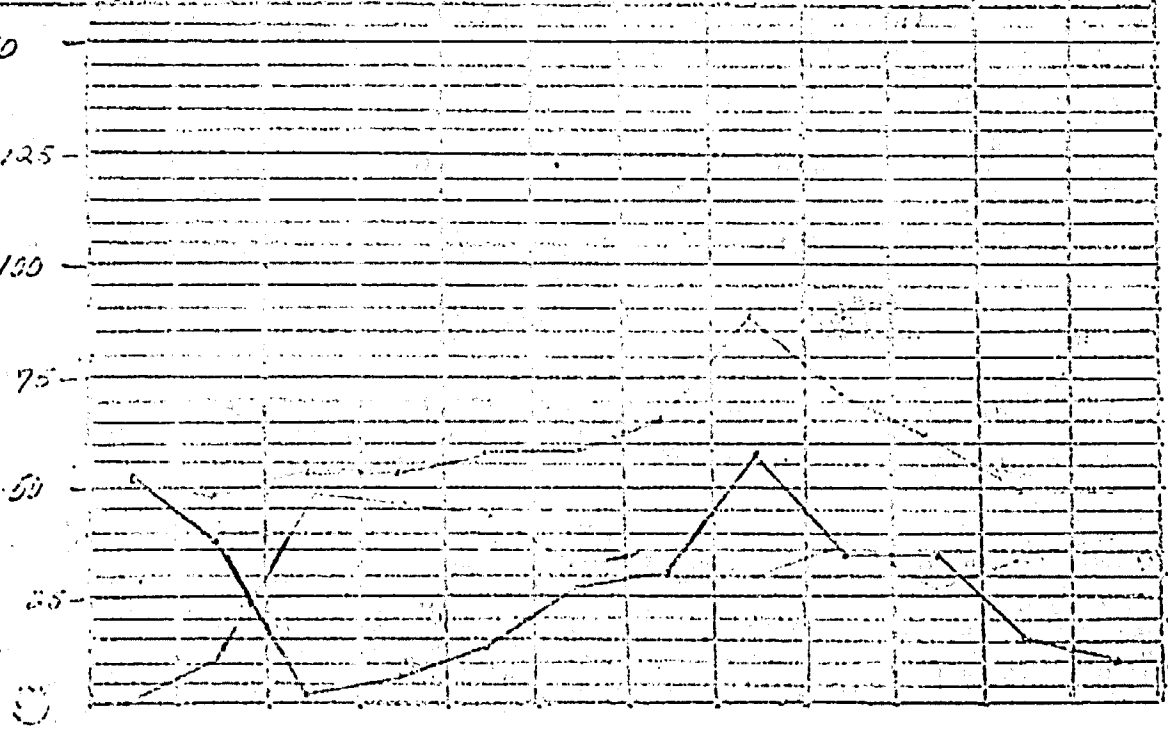
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WATER TABLE

WELL ☒

LAKE ☒

TOTAL ☐

YEAR _____

ELEV 9400

Dec-4-67

Wet & Damp

No. 10 hole with the pump out - 3724 ft

Water Reading - 681721 - start

118204 - stop

Pumped - 2,954,300 Gals

Pumped - 120 hrs

Static level - 462' 4"

No. 3 Test

Drawdown - 3 1/4"

172'

465'

15' 3" SW 3760'

Pressure 10 1/2'

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Static level

10-3 3/4"

No. 1 Test

Static level 13' 6"

No. 2 Test

Drawdown - 1"

550'

530'

No. 8 Well

Drawdown 5'

16' 3"

Static level

14' 5"

No. 10 Well

Static level

At its March 1970 meeting the Water Resources Commission considered Water Right Application No. 1716-3 of the City of Watertown to withdraw up to 0.80 cubic feet per second of water from a 37 foot deep well for municipal purposes. Several letters and petitions were received protesting approval of this Water Right Application No. 1716-3. Mr. Currey and Mr. Bale, members of the Watertown City Commission, appeared in protest. The Water Resources Commission deferred further consideration pending investigation by the Commission Staff.

The well under consideration is Watertown City Well No. 10. This well has been in existence for several years. It is located in the western portion of the City. Another Well No. 9 is located a little over 900 feet south of Well No. 10.

These wells are located in populated areas in the west portion of Watertown. There are an estimated 20 to 30 domestic wells in this same area and the owners of most of these domestic wells are not tied into the city water supply system. City water mains exist in the area.

The City of Watertown evidently does use these two wells sparingly, but when there is a heavy demand for water during hot periods, the City does use these wells extensively. At such time there is some draw down and there can be little question but that the domestic wells are affected in varying degrees.

While municipalities do have some special water right privileges, under South Dakota Law, they are not entitled to deplete prior existing domestic water systems without fair compensation of some kind. The Commission Staff believes any approval of Water Right Application No. 1716-3 should reflect this factor.

The recommendation of the Commission Staff is that Water Right Application No. 1716-3 be approved containing the following qualification, "This well is located near domestic wells in the City of Watertown which obtain water from the same aquifer. If the well covered by this permit to appropriate water depletes the domestic water supply; restrictions, to the extent necessary, of the capacity of this well or periods of operation or other arrangements will be required to protect the domestic water supply."

July 13, 1970

Mr. Marvin Currey
105 10th N.W.
Watertown, S.D. 57201

Mr. Nels Bale
9 13th S.W.
Watertown, S.D. 57201

Dear Sirs:

This is to inform you that Water Right Application No. 1716-3 of the City of Watertown to withdraw up to 0.80 cubic feet per second of water from a 37 foot deep well will be reconsidered by the Water Resources Commission at its Office in Pierre at 3:30 P.M., D.S.T., on July 22, 1970.

The recommendation of the Commission Staff will be that the permit should be issued with the following qualification.

"This well is located near domestic wells in the City of Watertown which obtain water from the same aquifer. If the well covered by this Permit to Appropriate Water depletes the domestic water supply; restrictions, to the extent necessary, of the capacity of this well or periods of operation or other arrangements will be required to protect the domestic water supply."

Sincerely,

J.W. GRILES

JWG/DD/bw

July 13, 1970

Mr. C.H. Sonnenberg, Superintendent
Municipal Utilities Department
Watertown, South Dakota 57201

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J.W. GRIMES

JWE/DD/bw

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WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION

State Office Building #2

PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA 57501

J.W. GRIMES

Chief Engineer
 and
 Executive Officer

PHONE
 224-3354
 Area Code 605

July 29, 1970

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Engels
 202 15th N.W.
 Watertown, South Dakota 57201

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Engels:

Your letter of July 27, 1970 inquires about the action of the Water Resources Commission pertaining to Well No. 10 of the City of Watertown.

This Water Right Application No. 1716-3 was first considered by the Water Resources Commission on March 18, 1970, and action was deferred pending investigation by the Commission Staff, primarily because of presentations made by City Commissioners Currey and Bale on behalf of domestic well owners.

After investigation, reconsideration was scheduled for July 20, 1970. City Commissioners Currey and Bale were notified on July 13th of the time and date of this reconsideration and were informed of the recommendation of the Water Resources Commission Staff.

Enclosed for your information is a copy of the report of the Water Resources Commission Staff.

On July 20, 1970 the Water Resources authorized issuing the permit with the protective domestic well qualification as recommended by the Water Resources Commission Staff.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Engels

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July 29, 1970

Water Permit No. 1716-3 does not let the City of Watertown pump more water out of the well than it had been doing but confirms the pumping rate that has been used for several years, providing such use does not take away the water supply for domestic wells in the vicinity of the City Well.

Sincerely,

J.W. GRIMES
Chief Engineer and
Executive Officer
Water Resources Commission

JWG/DD/Lw

CC:

Mr. and Mrs. Rainold Wolff, 119 15th N.W., Watertown, S.D.

Mr. C.H. Sonnenberg, Supt., Municipal Utilities Dept., Watertown, S.D.

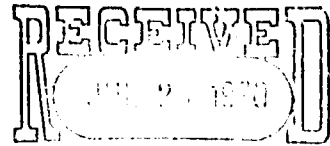
Mr. Nels Bale, 9 13th St. S.W., Watertown, S.D.

Mr. Marvin Currey, 105 10th N.W., Watertown, S.D.

Hartstone, South Dakota

July 22, 1970

Mr. J. H. Shimes
Water Resources Commission
Pierre, South Dakota



STATE WATER RESOURCES COMM.
PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA

Dear Mr. Shimes;

This is in regard to the hearing on March 18 about well #10 in Hartstone. We have never heard any definite facts of the outcome. Things that we have heard, we are not sure of the authenticity, and would like to know them.

We have heard that your Commission has let the City of Hartstone pump more water out of the wells than it has been doing. Is this true? Also what is the reason for this if it is true?

Logical since tells us that with the city pumping more water, the water under our property will be ruined, since most of us had to lower our wells already. You have told us that our private wells had priority. But how long will we have this priority if the city has pumped the water away from our property? We believe this may take several years but we don't intend to sit by and let this happen.

We have heard that there are now 5 more homes in the vicinity of one of these wells that are out of water. It seems that every once in awhile we hear of someone being out of water.

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What can be done about this? Will we have to hire a lawyer and fight this city? As we've written before most of us can't afford to spend between \$500 to \$1000 for water which we now have.

Any facts or advice you can give us will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you

Sincerely,
Mr + Mrs Simon Engels
Mr + Mrs. Raymond Hoff

July 28, 1970

Mr. C.H. Sonnenberg, Superintendent
Municipal Utilities Department
Watertown, South Dakota 57201

Dear Mr. Sonnenberg:

Enclosed herewith is your water right Permit No. 1716-3 as approved by the Water Resources Commission, authorizing you to construct your water diversion system and apply the water to beneficial use, not exceeding the limits as specified in said Water Right Permit No. 1716-3.

Mr. Driscoll has completed the inspection on this well, and upon receipt of the required fees of \$12.00, the Water License will be recorded, in this office and a copy sent to you.

Sincerely,

J.W. GRIMES

JNG/BEJ/bw
Encl: As stated

Permit No 1716-3
 Water Division 3 STIOUX RIVER Water District

REPORT OF EXAMINATION OF WORKS
 AND/OR APPLICATION OF WATER TO BENEFICIAL USE

TO: Water Resources Commission, State Office Building No. 2, Pierre, South Dakota 57501

I have this day made a thorough examination of the water use system constructed by Watertown Municipal
Utilities Department of Watertown, South Dakota holder
 of Permit No. 1716-3, bearing date of priority of December 3, 1956
 authorizing the diversion of 0.80 cu. ft. per second of the waters of shallow ground water
 for municipal purposes, in Codington County.

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

The Water Use System consists of,

A. Works used to divert the water:

A well 37 feet deep, cased with 30 inch diameter steel casing and having a 10' long
 30 inch diameter screen at bottom of well.
 10 H.P. Electric Motor (U.S. Motors) Mod. 9-1753-GI-167
 Fairbanks - Morse, 3 bowl, turbine pump

B. Works used to transport water to place of use,

City Main Line

C. Works used to apply water to beneficial use.

Storage
 Treatment plant
 Distribution City
 Service connections

The system is in the following condition: Excellent

The point of diversion is located 1350 feet N. 89° East of SW Corner of SE½ SW¼, Section 25,
T117N, R53W

The works are capable of diverting and conveying to the place of use 0.80

cu. ft. per second of water which is to be used for Municipal purposes

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

This well was drilled in 1968 and has been used on various occasions since
and particularly during the summer months.

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX

Date July 9, 1970

Donald Driscoll
 (Signature)
 DONALD DRISCOLL, Deputy Chief Engineer
 Water Resources Commission



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WATER RIGHTS
PROGRAM

June 23, 2021

Eric Gronlund
Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources
Water Rights Program
523 East Capitol
Pierre, SD 57501-3182

Dear Eric,

I sadly announce to you that after thirty-three years of service with the Watertown Municipal Utilities, our dedicated and hard-working Water Superintendent, Jeff DeVille, will be retiring effective June 30, 2021. We greet Mr. DeVille's retirement with sorrow, but we are also happy Jeff can now enjoy his own time. Jeff has been a great asset to the Water Department here at the Watertown Municipal Utilities and will be greatly missed.

I would like to introduce our new Water Superintendent Wayne Lovelis. Wayne has been training under Jeff for the past two months and comes with much experience. He has over 25 years in the water/utility industry. He has spent the last six years with The City of Great Falls, Montana. He will take over the reins as Water Superintendent along with the duties of being the correspondent for the Water Rights and Diversion Structure under FC29. Feel free to contact Wayne at any time.

See below Wayne's contact information.

Watertown Municipal Utilities
Wayne Lovelis, Water Superintendent
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Watertown, SD 57201
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605-882-6239 fax

Best regards,

Steve Lehner, General Manager
Watertown Municipal Utilities