

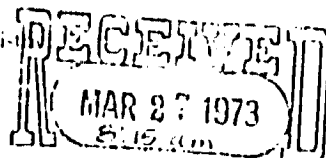
Water Right Number 1980-3

1. Considered May 23, 19 73
2. Name of Applicant Spring Valley Colony
3. Post Office Address Wessington Springs, S.D.
4. Amount of Water claimed 5.92
5. Source of Water supply ground water and Crow Creek
6. Water to be used for Irrigation
Acres to be irrigated 390.90
7. Water to be diverted and used in Jerauld County
about 3E 5S miles 1ST of GANN VALLEY
8. Proof of Publication
Received 1ST
Not Received _____
9. Application
Approved _____
Subject to _____
Not Approved _____
Action Deferred _____

10. Remarks:

No. 1980-3Map No. 1403-3 Water Division No. 3 MISSOURI RIVER

(Blanks 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 Spring Valley Colony Association
 Post-office address Westington Springs, State S D - 57382
 If a corporation show date and place of incorporation NO
2. Method of accomplishing work (contract, employment of others, or by direct labor) Contract & Direct Labor
3. Name of diversion work Spring Valley Colony Irrigation Project
4. Amount of water claimed (cubic feet per second) 5.58 MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE 3.24 from Well & 2.37 from Crow Creek
5. Source of water supply Well & Crow Creek
6. Location of point of diversion Well 1920' West & 2200' N of SE Corner Sec 29-T107N, R67W 8PM and from PTA to P.B. on West Bank of Crow Creek 6 from P.B. to P.D. on East Bank Crow Creek N 1/2 Sec 30-T107N, R67W County Alexander
7. Annual period or periods during which water is to be used April 1st to Nov 1st
8. Use to be made of water. (irrigation, industrial, municipal, commercial, recreation, etc.) Irrigation
9. For irrigation use, Total number of acres to be irrigated 3407

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.
<u>SW 1/4 Sec 29 T107-R67</u>	<u>62.5</u>
<u>SW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec 29 T107-R67</u>	<u>15</u>
<u>SW 1/4 Sec 29 T107-R67</u>	<u>72.5</u>
<u>SE 1/4 Sec 29 T107-R67</u>	<u>75.8</u>

Land Description	No. Acres Irr.
<u>SW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec 30 T107-R67</u>	<u>132.5</u>
<u>NE 1/4 Sec 30 T107-R67</u>	<u>62.5</u>

Attach sheet if more space is needed

10. Time required to complete construction of water supply system 3 years. Additional time required to complete application of water to the proposed beneficial use 5 years.
11. Choice of newspaper for Notice of Intent to Appropriate Water publication Westington Springs Independent
12. Principal Features of the Proposed Water Supply System.

A. Works proposed to divert water from its natural source.

Turbine Pump

B. Works proposed to transport water to place of use.

Pipe

C. Works proposed to apply water to beneficial use.

Pivotal SprinklersEstimated Total Cost \$ 40,000⁰⁰Attachments: Attach Form 2A if diversion from a well or dugout, or if storage of water, is proposed. Attach map.
(See instructions concerning preparation.)

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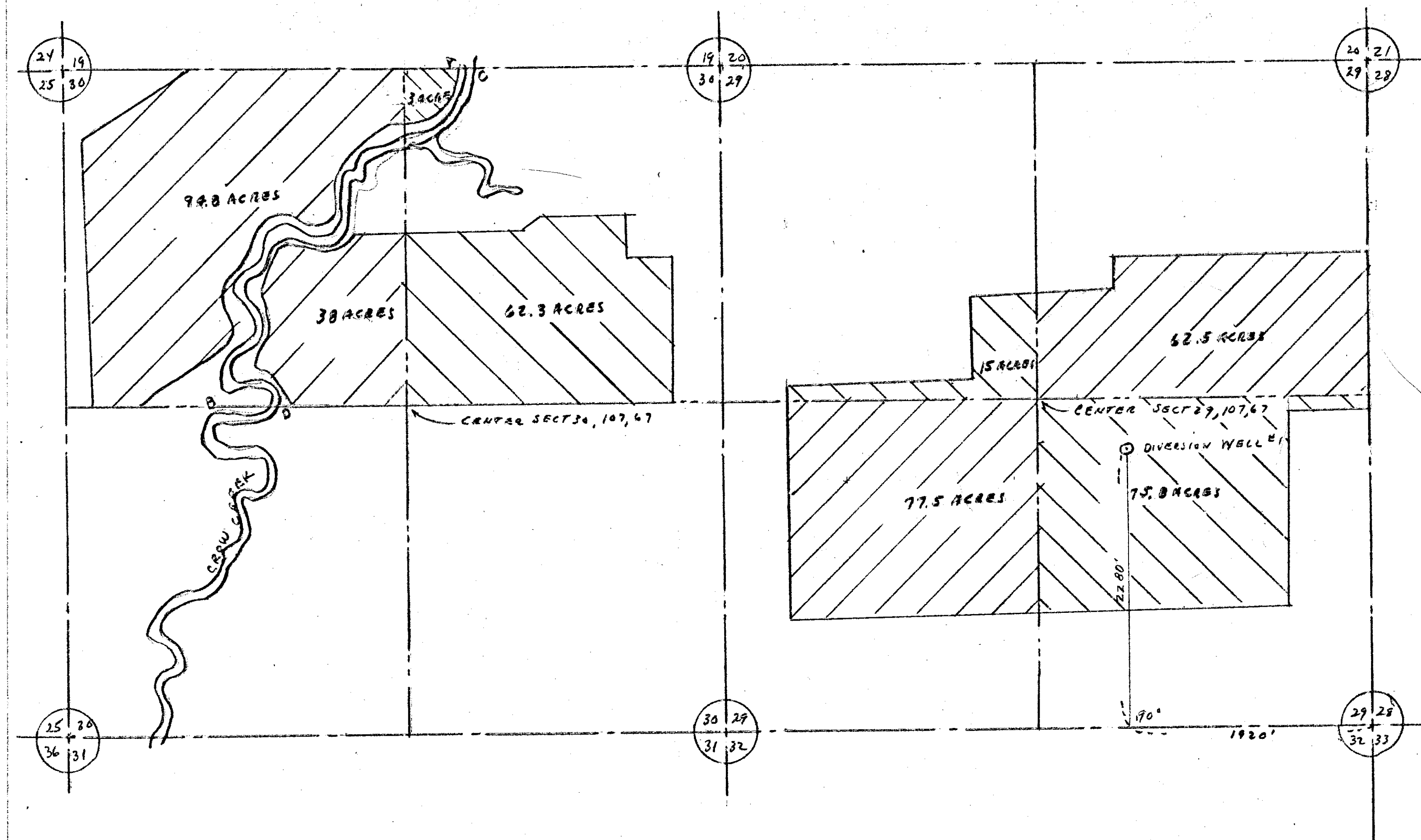
County of ButteI, John WURTZ

the applicant, certify that I have read the foregoing application and 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 John WurtzSubscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of March 1973Mary D. Nelson
Notary Public (or other qualified officer)My commission expires May 11, 1976.

AREAS TO BE IRRIGATED - BY LEGAL SUBDIVISION

94.8 ACRES:	NW 1/4	SECT 29, T107 N., R67 W., 5 PM.
65.3 ACRES:	NE 1/4	SECT 29, T107 N., R67 W., 5 PM.
77.5 ACRES:	SW 1/4	SECT 30, T107 N., R67 W., 5 PM.
15.0 ACRES:	NW 1/4	SECT 30, T107 N., R67 W., 5 PM.
62.5 ACRES:	NE 1/4	SECT 30, T107 N., R67 W., 5 PM.
75.8 ACRES:	SE 1/4	SECT 30, T107 N., R67 W., 5 PM.
390.9 ACRES:	TOTAL	



SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATE

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA) SS
COUNTY OF MINNEHAHA)

I, HARLAN W. MEYER, A REGISTERED LAND SURVEYOR
IN AND FOR THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA, DO HEREBY
CERTIFY THAT AT THE REQUEST OF SPRING VALLEY COLONY RANCH
SOLE OWNER, I HAVE SHOWN THE LAND PROPOSED TO BE IRRIGATED
WITHIN HIS OWNERSHIP BOUNDARIES ON MAR 5, 1973 FOR WHICH
APPLICATION FOR APPROPRIATIVE WATER RIGHT IS MADE AND
THIS MAP IS A TRUE REPRESENTATION OF THE SAME.
WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL THIS 5TH DAY OF MAR 1973

Harlan W. Meyer
REG. L.S. NO. 495

NOTE: 2ND POINT OF DIVERSION
ANY WHERE ALONG CROW CREEK BETWEEN
POINTS A-B OR C-D WHERE IT ABUTS
OWNER'S PROPERTY

SCALE 2" = 1 MILE

SPRING VALLEY COLONY RANCH IRRIGATION PROJECT #1,
SHOWS AREA TO BE IRRIGATED & WELL LOCATION WHERE
WATER WILL BE DIVERTED. FOR PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE WATER.
(ALSO CREEK DIVERSION)

OWNER
SURVEYOR

SPRING VALLEY COLONY RANCH
HARLAN W. MEYER

WATER RIGHT APPLICATION APPROVAL

The Water Resources Commission hereby approves Water Right Application No. 1980-3
SPRING VALLEY COLONY ASSOCIATION WESSINGTON SPRINGS
 (Applicant) (Post Office Address)
SOUTH DAKOTA
 (State) With the following modifications:

The irrigation well approved under this Permit is located near domestic ^{WATER SUPPLIES} ~~WATER~~ which may obtain water from the same aquifer. The irrigation well owner, under this Permit, shall control his irrigation withdrawals so there is not a reduction of needed water supplies ^{FOR} ~~IN~~ existing domestic ^{USE} ~~WATER~~.

LOW FLOWS OF CROW CREEK AS NEEDED FOR DOWNSTREAM DOMESTIC USE, INCLUDING LIVESTOCK WATERING, MUST BE BY-PASSED.

Date of first receipt of application MARCH 27 19 73
 Date of return to applicant for correction, amendments or changes required MARCH 27 19 73
 Date of receipt of corrected application APRIL 16 19 73
 Approved MAY 23 19 73, Recorded in Book 12 Page 217

WATER RIGHT PERMIT NO. 1980-3

The Water Resources Commission hereby grants and issues this Water Right Permit No. 1980-3 authorizing the construction of the water use system and the putting of water to beneficial use as stated in the Application and as modified in the Water Right Application approval, subject, however, to the following limitations and conditions:

1. The date from which applicant may claim right is MARCH 27 19 73
2. The equivalent of at least one-fifth of the work above specified is to be completed on or before NOVEMBER 23 19 74
3. The whole of said work is to be completed on or before MAY 23 19 76
4. The limit of time from proof of beneficial use of water appropriated in accordance herewith is MAY 23 19 78
5. The water appropriated shall be used for the purpose of IRRIGATION
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 injuriously affected by this appropriation.
7. The amount of the appropriation herein granted shall not exceed 5.58 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, and if for the irrigation purposes said appropriation must be limited to not more than 3 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 MAY 23 19 78; said water to be used during the following described annual period: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Witness my hand this 30TH day of MAY 19 73

WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION

By:

[Signature]
 Chief Engineer, Executive Officer

Certificate of Construction Issued _____ 19 _____

Water License Issued _____ 19 _____

9. (Continued)

III. Well Specifications

(a) Hole and casing

Size of drill hole or excavation 30", Depth 8.3'
 Type of casing Fiberglass
 (wood, concrete, steel, etc.)
 Size of casing 16", Thickness of casing 1/4"
 Length of casing 53'. If collection gallery, length, size and depth of gallery _____

(b) Screens

Type of perforated screen slot
 Size of perforated screen 16" (diameter), 30' (length)
 Thickness of gravel pack 7", length of gravel pack 83'

(c) Water Bearing Materials

Distance to water 44'. Character of water bearing materials
0-2' top 1-1' 2-17' yellow sandy clay
17-22' gravel, 22-44' clay, 44-83' sand
gravel - 83-85' shale
 Thickness of water bearing material 39 ft

(d) Pump and Motor

Type of pump Turbine
 (centrifugal, propeller, mixed flow, etc.)
 Name of pump Western Land Water size 8' Column 12" bore
 Kind of motor Electric
 (gasoline, electric, diesel, etc.)
 Horsepower 7.5, Name of Motor US Hollow Shaft

(e) Complete well

Capacity 900 gpm at drawdown of 20'. Estimated cost 4000.00

(f) Owner of land upon which well is located Spine Valley Colony Association

Wessington Springs, SD
 Address

(g) Distance to nearest existing wells

On same owner's property 115 rods. On property owned by others 242 rods

Conservation
Commission
Form WI #1

STATE CONSERVATION COMMISSION
SUPPORTING INFORMATION
FOR APPROPRIATION OF GROUND WATER IN ACCORDANCE
WITH SNCL 46-6-3 AS AMENDED
(This Form Required for Proposed Well Irrigation Only)

FOR COMMISSION USE ONLY

Irrigation System: OK

Water Quality: Fair

Soils Capability: OK

Approved: 4/13/73

Disapproved: _____

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STATE WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION
PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA

NAME: Spring Valley Colony

ADDRESS: Wessington Springs, South Dakota 57382

COUNTY: Jersuld

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

1. WELL LOCATION: SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ 29 - 107-67

2. AREA TO BE IRRIGATED: S $\frac{1}{2}$ 29 - 107-67

TYPE OF IRRIGATION

3. GRAVITY SPRINKLER (Indicate Type): Sprinkler

4. CROPS TO BE IRRIGATED: Corn and Alfalfa

LAND CAPABILITY FOR IRRIGATION

5. PERCENTAGE OF SLOPE: 1%

6. PHYSICAL SOILS CLASSIFICATION FOR IRRIGATION: Class IIc2 - Bearden Silt Loam
Class I under Irrigation - intake rate .5"/Hr.

WATER QUALITY (TO BE COMPLETED BY COMMISSION)

7. SAMPLE NO.: 73-180

8. SALINITY: EC = 760 (Med-High)

9. SODIUM: SAR 1.51 (Low)

Sol. Sodium % = 30.4

73-181

EC = 1058 (High)

SAR = 2.88

Sol. Sodium % = 16.1

I do hereby certify that a chemical analysis of the ground water to be acquired for irrigation from South Dakota State University and:

the land capability for irrigation information has been acquired from

Soil Conservation Service, Wessington Springs, South Dakota

and:

that the legal description for the location of the well and land to be irrigated is true and correct.

Subscribed and sworn before me this

28th day of March 19 73.

[Signature]

[Signature]

(Title)

Spring Valley Colony
Jacob J. Gattah

Conservation
Commission
Form WI #1

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SUPPORTING INFORMATION
FOR APPROPRIATION OF GROUND WATER IN ACCORDANCE
WITH SDCL 46-6-3 AS AMENDED
(This Form Required for Proposed Well Irrigation Only)

FOR COMMISSION USE ONLY

Irrigation System: _____

Water Quality: _____

Soils Capability: _____

Approved: _____

Disapproved: _____

NAME: Spring Valley Colony

ADDRESS: Wessington Springs, South Dakota 57382

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Class I under Irrigation - intake rate .5"/Hr.

WATER QUALITY (TO BE COMPLETED BY COMMISSION)

7. SAMPLE NO.: 73-1801

73-181

8. SALINITY: EC = 760 (mod. high)

EC = 1058 (high)

9. SODIUM: SAR = 1.51 (low)

SAR = 0.88 (low)

Sol. Sodium % = 30.4

Sol. Sodium % = 16.1

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Soil Conservation Service, Wessington Springs, South Dakota.

and:

that the legal description for the location of the well and land to be irrigated is true and correct.

Spring Valley Colony
James B. J. Martin

Subscribed and sworn before me this

28th day of March 1973.

James B. J. Martin

Mary P. Martin

(Title)

April 6, 1973

Mr. Jacob J. Stahl
Spring Valley Colony
Wessington Springs, S.D. 57382

Dear Mr. Stahl:

The two water samples submitted by you from wells in Sec. 29 and 30 have been analyzed and the results are on the attached report sheets. The results are also plotted on the back cover of enclosed Extension Circular 654, and indicated by the two red crosses.

Both waters are classified as high salinity low sodium, although the one in section 30 is barely above the "medium salinity" limit. It would be the preferred well if there is a choice. Either well should give satisfactory results with the kind of soil indicated on your form WI#1. The only questionable factor here will be internal drainage of the soil. Prolonged irrigation with these waters will gradually raise the salt content of the soil unless leaching and internal drainage removes some salt. Since the land to be irrigated is all within a half mile of the creek, we expect seepage of ground water will be adequate. However, if salt problems develop, leaching and drainage will be required. This may involve simply periodic late fall irrigation, or something more expensive, such as drain installation. Please read carefully circular 654, especially page 7.

If I can be of any assistance, please write.

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence O. Fine
Lawrence O. Fine, In charge
Water Quality Laboratory

LOF:pap
Encl.

cc: State Conservation Commission
Mr. Lawrence Carso, County Agent
Mr. Darrell Pahl

REPORT OF ANALYSIS
 Water Quality Laboratory
 Water Resources Research Institute
 South Dakota State University
 Brookings, South Dakota 57006

Submitted by: Spring Valley Colony

Date Rec'd April 4, 1973

Address Wessington Springs, S. Dak.

Sample No. 73-181

57382

Identification Well- (Test of place)

SE 1/4, Sec. 29, T. 107N, R. 67W

WATER ANALYSIS

Calcium (Ca)	156	ppm*	7.80	me/l**
Magnesium (Mg)	26	ppm	2.16	me/l
Sodium (Na)	45	ppm	1.96	me/l
Potassium (K)	8	ppm	0.21	me/l
Sulfate (SO ₄)	260	ppm	5.40	me/l
Nitrate (as N)		ppm		me/l
Chloride (Cl)	13	ppm	0.36	me/l
Bicarbonate (HCO ₃)	398	ppm	6.52	me/l
Carbonate (CO ₃)		ppm		me/l
Iron (Fe)		ppm		me/l
Fluoride (F)		ppm		me/l
Hardness (EDTA as CaCO ₃)	500	ppm	29	g.p.g.***
Alkalinity (Methyl Orange)	326	ppm (as CaCO ₃)		
Alkalinity (Penolphthalein)	0	ppm (as CaCO ₃)		
Electrical Conductivity	1058	micromhos per cm at 25° C.		
Sodium Adsorption Ratio	3.88			
Sodium	16.15	% of cations		
Residual sodium carbonate	0.00	me/l		
pH	7.65			
Others:				

*ppm=parts per million

**me/l=milliequivalents per liter

***g.p.g.=grains per gallon

COMMENTS: Total cations 12.13 me/l
Total anions 12.29 me/l

By: Shirley Mitten

Service Performed

Amount Due

Irrigation analysis

\$6.00

Make checks payable to: Water Quality Laboratory

Cut along dotted line and return the lower portion with payment

Sample No. 73-181

Amount Enclosed \$

Signed

REPORT OF ANALYSIS
 Water Quality Laboratory
 Water Resources Research Institute
 South Dakota State University
 Brookings, South Dakota 57006

Submitted by: Spring Valley Colony
 Address: Neussington Springs, S. Dak.
57382

Date Rec'd April 4, 1973
 Sample No. 73-100
 Identification Well (Tollon)
334, Sec. 30, T. 102N, R. 67E

WATER ANALYSIS

Calcium (Ca)	64	ppm*	3.20	me/l**
Magnesium (Mg)	26	ppm	2.16	me/l
Sodium (Na)	57	ppm	2.48	me/l
Potassium (K)	12	ppm	0.31	me/l
Sulfate (SO ₄)	144	ppm	3.01	me/l
Nitrate (as N)		ppm		me/l
Chloride (Cl)	9.5	ppm	0.27	me/l
Bicarbonate (HCO ₃)	356	ppm	5.84	me/l
Carbonate (CO ₃)		ppm		me/l
Iron (Fe)		ppm		me/l
Fluoride (F)		ppm		me/l
Hardness (EDTA as CaCO ₃)	270	ppm		me/l
Alkalinity (Methyl Orange)	292	ppm (as CaCO ₃)	16	g.p.g.***
Alkalinity (Penolphthalein)	0	ppm (as CaCO ₃)		
Electrical Conductivity	760	micromhos per cm at 25° C.		
Sodium Adsorption Ratio	1.51			
Sodium	30.42	% of cations		
Residual sodium carbonate	0.44	me/l		
pH	7.55			
Others:				

*ppm=parts per million

**me/l=milliequivalents per liter

***g.p.g.=grains per gallon

COMMENTS: **Total cations** 8.15 me/l
Total anions 9.12 me/l

By: Shirley Eittan

Service Performed

Amount Due

Irrigation analysis

\$6.00

Make checks payable to: Water Quality Laboratory

Cut along dotted line and return the lower portion with payment

Sample No. 73-100

Amount Enclosed \$

Signed

No. 1980-3

PROOF OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
County Jerauld) ss.

I, A. L. Webb hereby

certify that the annexed printed copy of Notice of Intent to Appropriate
Water was taken from the W. S. Independent

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 Wessington Springs

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

May 2, 1973

May 9, 1973

(Signature)

(Title)

(Date Signed)

NOTICE
INTENT TO APPROPRIATE
WATER

Pierre, S. Dak. 57301.
April 13, 1973
Notice is hereby given, that
Spring Valley Colony, whose post
office address is, Wessington
Springs, South Dakota, has made
an application in accordance with
the provisions of the water laws
of South Dakota for a permit to
appropriate for beneficial use 5.92
cubic feet of water per second of
time from ground water and
Crow Creek through the Spring
Valley Colony Irrigation Project,
the point of diversion of which
is to be located from ground water
in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 29,
T107N, R67W, and from Crow
Creek, between points in the
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 30, Twp. 107N,
Range 67W. Said water to be
used for the purpose of providing
irrigation on portions of the fol-
lowing described land: S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$,
NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 30; S $\frac{1}{2}$,
SE $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, and S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$,
Section 29, T107N, R67W.
This application No. 1980-3 will
be considered by the Water Re-
sources Commission at their of-
fice at Pierre upon the 23rd
day of May, 1973, at 2:00 p.m.
All interested persons may appear
and be heard.
By: Water Resources Commis-
sion—BURTON F. JOHNS, Water
Rights Specialist. c-31-32

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STATE WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION
PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA

1980-3

Publish first publication, on or before May 10, 1973

**NOTICE
INTENT TO APPROPRIATE WATER**

Pierre, South Dakota 57501

April 16, 1973

Spring Valley Colony

Notice is hereby given that

Wessington Springs

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 appropriate for beneficial use **5.92**

cubic feet of water per second of time from ~~the~~ **ground water and Crow Creek**

Spring Valley Colony Irrigation Project

the point of diversion of which is to be located ~~on the~~ **from ground water in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 29, T107N, R67W, and from**

Crow Creek, between points in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$

of Section 30, Twp. 107N, Range 67W. Said water to be used for the purpose of providing irrigation on ~~the~~ **portions of** the following described land:

S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 30; SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 29, T107N, R67W

This application No. 1980-3 will be considered by the Water Resources Commission at their office at Pierre upon the 23rd day of May, 1973, at 2:00 P. M. All interested persons may appear and be heard.

WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION

By:

BURTON F. JONES
Water Rights Specialist

DFJ/bw

cc: John Wurtz, Spring Valley Colony, Wessington Springs, S.D. 57382



~~_____~~

5-22-73

Property Adjoints
Colony.

Willard Willman
Westington Springs

Called to request what would
happen if they got low on water.

Explained the low-flow clause.

Says they have several ^{wells and/or} springs

within 1/2 mile or so of the

proposed well - was concerned

about the effect on springs.

(Domestic well clause?)

NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF WORKS AND/OR APPLICATION OF WATER TO BENEFICIAL USE

Post Office Wessington SpringsDate June 1 - 1976

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

Dear Sirs:

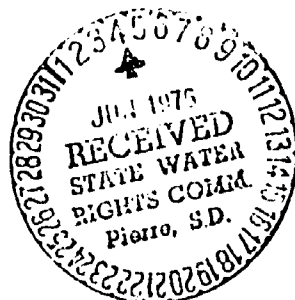
This is to inform you that I have completed the construction of the water diversion system and/or that I have put the water to beneficial use to the maximum extent it is going to be used, not exceeding the amounts as specified in Water Right Permit No. 1980-3.

Water Right Permit No. 1980-3 states that the diversion system is to be constructed by Riverside Drilling, 1975 and that the water is to be put to beneficial use by May 20, 1976.

The diversion system was completed on May 20, 1976. Applying the water to beneficial use was completed on May 22, 1976.

You may schedule an inspection so that the Certificate of Construction and/or the Water License may be issued, thus completing my acquisition of a water right.

John W. Wertz
(Signature)





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**DEPARTMENT of ENVIRONMENT
and NATURAL RESOURCES**

JOE FOSS BUILDING
523 EAST CAPITOL
PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA 57501-3181

JUL 2 1996

4986-3

Samuel J. Waldner
Spring Valley Hutterian Brethren, Inc.
23064 365th Avenue
Wessington Springs, SD 57382-5506

Dear Mr. Waldner:

Enclosed is Water License No. 4986-3. This is the final water right document completing your process of obtaining a Water Right. Enclosed is Receipt No. 414529 in the amount of \$50.00 which you paid for the investigation and issuance of the Water License.

For your information SDCL 46-6-27 requires that if the owner of an existing well, such as the well authorized by Water Right No. 4986-3, constructs a replacement well and does not plan to use the old well, the old well is considered abandoned and must be plugged. Also, any well that is being used or is not considered abandoned must be valved and controlled, if flowing, or sealed and capped so that no leaking occurs either underground or at the surface.

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. If you have any questions, please contact our office.

Very truly yours,

JOHN HATCH, Chief Engineer
Water Rights Program
(605) 773-3352

ks
enclosures

NOTE: The applicable portions of Water Permit No. 1980-3 have been incorporated into this Water License No. 4986-3.

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1980-3



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Kevin C. Johnson
Natural Resources Eng.
Div. of Water Rights
10-14-83

Appl # Map # 4986-3

NOT TO SCALE

