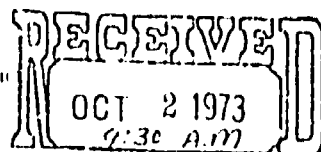


Wa Right Number 2020-3

1. Considered November 14, 19 73
2. Name of Applicant Louis Mokrejs
3. Post Office Address Geddes, S.D.
4. Amount of water claimed 5.32
5. Source of water supply Missouri River
6. Water to be used for irrigation
Acres to be irrigated 373.20
7. Water to be diverted and used in Charles Mix County
about 6.5 Miles 1W of GEDDES
8. Proof of Publication
Received 11-7-73
Not received _____
9. Application
Approved _____
Subject to _____
Not approved _____
Action deferred _____
10. Remarks:

Map No. 1087-3 Water Division No. 3 MISSOURI RIVER District
(Blanks to be filled by the Engineer for the W. R. C.)

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

STATE WATER RIGHTS COMM.
PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA

To Appropriate Water within the State of South Dakota

(NOTE: Draw a line through items not applicable)

1. Name of Applicant Louis Mokrejs
 Postoffice address Geddes, S.D. 57342 State South Dakota
 If a corporation show date and place of incorporation _____ combination _____
2. Method of accomplishing work (contract, employment of others, or by direct labor) _____
3. Name of diversion work Louis Mokrejs No. 1
 Amount of water claimed (cubic feet per second) 5.32
4. Source of water supply Missouri River
5. Location of point of diversion between points located N. 10° W. 1520 ft. and S. 9° E, 2770 ft.
both from the S½ Corner, Sec. 35, T97N, R67W
- County Charles Mix
6. Annual period or periods during which water is to be used April through October
7. Use to be made of water. (irrigation, industrial, municipal, commercial, recreation, etc.) irrigation
8. For irrigation use, Total number of acres to be irrigated 373.2

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.	Land Description	No. Acres Irr.
NE¼, Sec. 35, T97N, R67W	145.1	NW¼NE¼ Sec. 2, T96N, R67W	40.0
N½ SE¼, Sec. 35, T97N, R67W	77.0	NE¼ NW¼, Sec. 2, T96N, R67W	20.0
E½ NE¼ SW¼, Sec. 35, T97N, R67W	21.8	SE¼ SW¼, Sec. 35, T97N, R67W	29.3
SW¼SE¼, Sec. 35, T97N, R67W	40.0		

Attach sheet if more space is needed

10. Time required to complete construction of water supply system 5 years. Additional time required to complete application of water to the proposed beneficial use 4 years.
11. Choice of newspaper for Notice of Intent to Appropriate Water publication Lake Andes Wave, Lake Andes, S.D.
12. Principal Features of the Proposed Water Supply System.

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

Centrifugal pump
Industrial Engine

B. Works proposed to transport water to place of use

Over one mile of main line

C. Works proposed to apply water to beneficial use.

Gravity or sprinkler

Estimated Total Cost \$ _____

Attachments: Attach Form 2A if diversion from a well or dugout, or if storage of water is proposed. Attach map
(See instructions concerning preparation.)

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

County of Charles MixI, Louis Mokrejs, the applicant, certify that I have read the foregoing application and have examined the attached map and that the matters herein stated are true and that I intend and am able to complete the necessary construction.Signed Louis MokrejsSubscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of September 1973Raymond C. DeHara
(Notary Public for other qualified officers)

WATER RIGHT APPLICATION APPROVAL

The Water ^{Rights} ~~Commission~~ hereby approves Water Right Application No. 2020-3
LOUIS MOKRENS GEDDES
 (Applicant) (Post Office Address)
SOUTH DAKOTA With the following modifications
 (State)

Date of first receipt of application OCTOBER 2 19 73
 Date of return to applicant for correction, amendments or changes required --- 19 ---
 Date of receipt of corrected application --- 19 ---
 Approved NOVEMBER 14 19 73 Recorded in Book 12 Page 273

WATER RIGHT PERMIT NO. 2020-3

The Water ^{Rights} ~~Commission~~ hereby grants and issues this Water Right Permit No. 2020-3 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 OCTOBER 2 19 73
2. The equivalent of at least one-fifth of the work above specified is to be completed on or before MAY 14 19 78
3. The whole of said work is to be completed on or before NOVEMBER 14 19 78
4. The limit of time from proof of beneficial use of water appropriated in accordance herewith is NOVEMBER 14 19 82
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 5.32 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 NOVEMBER 14 19 82 said water to be used during the following described annual period: APRIL THRU OCTOBER 19 82

Witness my hand this 16TH day of NOVEMBER 19 73

WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION

By:

Donald Driscoll
 Chief Engineer, Executive Officer

Certificate of Construction Issued JANUARY 29 19 80

Water License Issued JANUARY 29 19 80

Permit No. 2020-3

Water Diversion No. 3 Missouri River Water District

CERTIFICATE OF CONSTRUCTION

This is to Certify, That Louis Mokrejs

the holder of

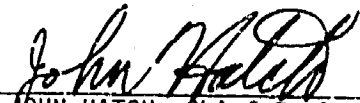
Permit No. 2020-3, issued upon Application No. 2020-3, bearing date of priority of October 2, 1973

authorizing the diversion of 5.32 cu. ft. per second of the waters of the Missouri River County of Charles Mix, State of South Dakota at a point 2020 ft. South and 240 ft. East of NW Corner, Section 1 - T96N - R67W

for irrigation

purposes, has 8 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 3.89 cu. ft. per second of water.

Date January 29, 1980


JOHN HATCH, Chief Engineer
Water Rights, WND

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

WATER LICENSE NO.

(1) WHEREAS, On the 2nd day of October A. D. 1973
Louis Mokrejs

made Water Right Application No. 2020-3 for a permit to use 5.32 cubic feet per second of the waters of the Missouri River

County of Charles Mix State of South Dakota, for irrigation purposes; and

(2) WHEREAS, On the 14th day of November A. D. 1973
 Permit No. 2020-3 with a date of priority of October 2, 1978

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 14th day of November A. D. 1978 and for the application to beneficial use of said water on or before the 14th day of November A. D. 1982

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 3.53 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,

to irrigate the following lands: ACRES

Section 35-T97N-	SW$\frac{1}{4}$ NE$\frac{1}{4}$	33
R67W	SE$\frac{1}{4}$ NE$\frac{1}{4}$	33
	NW$\frac{1}{4}$ NE$\frac{1}{4}$	33
	NE$\frac{1}{4}$ NE$\frac{1}{4}$	33
	SE$\frac{1}{4}$ SW$\frac{1}{4}$	24
	SW$\frac{1}{4}$ SE$\frac{1}{4}$	36
Section 2-T96N-	NE$\frac{1}{4}$ NW$\frac{1}{4}$	20
R67W	NW$\frac{1}{4}$ NE$\frac{1}{4}$	35
TOTAL ACRE		247

(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

Louis Mokrejs

confirm to _____

Geddes, SD

_____ of _____

2020-3

October 2, 1973

the holder _____ and owner _____ of said permit No. _____ a water right, dating from _____

3.53

_____ to use of _____ cubic feet per second of the waters

the Missouri River

of _____

Charles Mix

in the County of _____ and State of South Dakota, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the

a point 2020 ft. South and 210 ft. East of

purposes hereinbelow mentioned, to be directed at _____

NW Corner, Section 1 - T96N - R67W

_____ **ed** _____ portions of Section 35-T97N-R67W and Section 2-T98N-R67W,
and conduct to and upon _____ more fully described on the face of this License.

irrigation

for the purpose of _____

2020-3

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

WITNESS My hand and seal of our office at Pierre, South Dakota

29th

January

this _____ day of _____ A. D.

Eighty

Nineteen Hundred and _____

Board of Water Management

By:

John Hatch

Chief Engineer

JOHN HATCH

2020-3

Publish first publication, on or before October 25, 1973.NOTICE
INTENT TO APPROPRIATE WATER

Pierre, South Dakota 57501

October 2, 1973Notice is hereby given that Louis Mokrejs

whose post office address is Geddes, 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 5.32 cubic feet of water per second of time from the Missouri River through the

Louis Mokrejs #1the point of diversion of which is to be located between~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~

between a point in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 32, T97N, R67W and a point in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$

of Section 2, Twp. 96N, Range 67E. Said water to be used for the purpose of providing irrigation on portions of the following described land:

NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 2, T96N, R67W; E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 35, T97N, R67W

This application No. 2020-3 will be considered by the Water ~~Resources~~ Rights Commission at their office at Pierre upon the 14th day of November, 1973, at 2:30 P. M. All interested persons may appear and be heard.

~~WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION~~
WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION

By:

MURTON F. JONES, Water Rights Specialist

BFI/bw

cc: Louis Mokrejs, Geddes, S.D. 57342

PROOF OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)

County Charles Mix) ss.

I, Ethel M. Palmer hereby
certify that the annexed printed copy of Notice of Intent to Appropriate
Water was taken from the Laurel River News

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 State of South Dakota

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

Oct 10, 1973

Oct 17, 1973

Ethel M. Palmer
(Signature)

Co-owner & Co-editor
(Title)

Oct 31, 1973
(Date Signed)

NOTICE OF INTENT
TO APPROPRIATE WATER

Pierre, South Dakota 57501
October 2, 1973

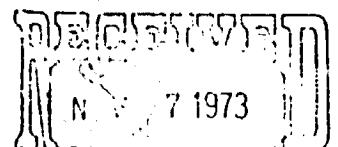
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address is Geddes, South Dakota,
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the water laws of South Dakota
for a permit to appropriate for
beneficial use 5:32 cubic feet of
water per second of time from
the Missouri River through the
Louis Mokrejs #1, the point of
diversion of which is to be located
between a point in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$,
Section 32, T97N, R67W and a
point in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section
2, Twp. 96N, Range 67W. Said wa-
ter to be used for the purpose of
providing irrigation on portions of
the following described land:

NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$,
Section 2, T96N, R67W; E $\frac{1}{4}$
SW $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$
and NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 35, T97N,
R67W.

This application No. 2020-3 will
be considered by the Water Rights
Commission at their office at
Pierre upon the 14th day of No-
vember, 1973, at 2:30 P.M. All
interested persons may appear
and be heard.

WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION

By:
BURTON F. JONES,
Water Rights Specialist
Oct. 10 & 17



STATE WATER RIGHTS
PIERRE, S.D.

2020-3 Lucas Workreps

4-17-19 Rec Pump; Marshall 12344

1775 RPM

Model 405 TTV 51632 AA

1750 Rec Pump Berkeley Sr. # 7696095

Model 6EAP 1/2 H. Sep 15

Nov CP Laminate

Model 310, Sr. # 4203

13246 Boost. Pump 50 HP Century

3540 RPM. # 6-32-57-21

Pump Berkeley Sr. # 7696098

Model 6EAP 1/2 H. ~~1939~~

South CP Valley 115 AC

Model 5071 Sr. # 1939 9

Marshall 50 HP 3540 RPM

1/2 # 6-32-57-21

Berkeley Sr. # 7696100 - 7 1/2 HP

Model BAE 16 1/2 - 3540 RPM

20203 Louis McKee. Williams
3-10-76 Camped at S. side of the mountain
at the same place.

McKee for an anti-pistol engine
pump etc. etc. etc. etc. etc. etc. etc.
for next trip year 1977. May be done by [unclear]

RECEIPT

WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION

No 4 7239

State of South Dakota

PIERRE, January 22, 1980

RECEIVED OF Louis Hokrele, Geddes, SD 57342

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

Fee for Application for Permit to Appropriate Water No. (examination, processing, recording and filing)		
Fee for inspecting Construction, and Issuing Cert. of Construction No. 2020-3	12	00
Fee for inspecting Beneficial Use, and Issuing Water License No. 2020-3		
Fee for Issuing Location Certificate-Dry Draw, No.		
Fee for filing		
Fee for certified copy of		
Fee for Print copy of map		
Fee for Certifying		
Fee for		
(any other work as provided by law)		
TOTAL	12	00

WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION

By (Signature)
Chief Engineer, Executive Officer
JOHN HATCH (97)

Permit No. 2020-3Water Division 3 Missouri River Water DistrictREPORT OF EXAMINATION OF WORKS
AND/OR APPLICATION OF WATER TO BENEFICIAL USE

TO: WATER RIGHTS, WATER MANAGEMENT BOARD / FOSS BLDG., PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA 57501

I have this day made a thorough examination of the water use system constructed by Looris McKee, Jr.
 of Geddes, South Dakota 57342 holder
 of Permit No. 2020-3 bearing date of priority of October 2, 1973
 authorizing the diversion of 57.32 cu. ft. per second of the waters of Missouri River
 for Irrigation purposes, in Charles Mix 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:

Pump at River Mouth, Marathon, Model 605 TFO 57032AA.
 12 1/2 HP, 1775 RPM
 Pump - Berkeley, Serial 7090095, Model 60" x 80" H. Pump 15 1/2"
 pumping 1750 GPM

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

2100' 10" Aluminum Pipe
 4200' 5" PVC Pipe

C. Works used to apply water to beneficial use.

North CP. Laminator, Model 310, Ser. # 4003
 Acroter Pump - 50 HP Century Model, 3540 RPM # C 323057-01
 Pump Berkeley, Serial 7090095, Model 60" x 80" H.
 South CP. Valley Work Corner System, Model 5071, Ser. # 19337
 Booster Pump Motor - 50 HP Marathon, 3540 RPM, # C-323057-01
 Pump Berkeley, Serial 7090095, 60" x 80" H. Model 60" x 80" H.

The system is in the following condition: Good

The point of diversion is located 2020 ft South and 240 ft East of NW 1/4
Sec. 1, T96N R67W.

The works are capable of diverting and conveying to the place of use 3.39
 cu. ft. per second of water which is to be used for Irrigation.

Water has been put to beneficial use to the maximum extent as follows: The following in Sec. 35
T91N R67W. SW 1/4 NE 1/4 - 33 Ac. SE 1/4 NE 1/4 - 33 Ac. NW 1/4 SE 1/4 - 33 Ac.
NE 1/4 SE 1/4 - 33 Ac. SE 1/4 SW 1/4 - 24 Ac. SW 1/4 SE 1/4 - 36 Ac.
The following in Sec. 2, T96N R67W. NE 1/4 NE 1/4 - 20 Ac.
NW 1/4 NE 1/4 - 35 Ac.

comprising a total of 247 acres of land.

Date September 17, 1979
Leroy J. Wingenbach
 (Signature)



DEPARTMENT of ENVIRONMENT
and NATURAL RESOURCES

JOE FOSS BUILDING
523 EAST CAPITOL
PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA 57501-3181
www.state.sd.us/denr

MAR 10 1999

Louis Mokrejs
RR 1 Box 89
Geddes SD 57342

Dear Mr. Mokrejs:

A review of our files indicates that Water License No. 2020-3 issued on January 29, 1980 contained an error in the legal description of the lands irrigated. The original license indicated that portions of the irrigated acres were located in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 35-T97N-R67W. The correct location of these acres is the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 35-T97N-R67W.

Enclosed is the Reissued Water License No. 2020-3. The license is being reissued to reflect the correct legal description of the lands irrigated.

If you have any questions, please contact this office.

Very truly yours,

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

ks

enclosures

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

REISSUED WATER LICENSE NO. 2020-3

(1) Louis Mokrejs, RR 1 Box 89, Geddes SD 57342 was issued Water License No. 2020-3, January 29, 1980 for a water right to appropriate 3.53 cubic feet of water per second from the Missouri River, Charles Mix County, South Dakota for irrigation purposes. Water License No. 2020-3, with a priority date of October 2, 1973 issued to the Louis Mokrejs with construction of the described water supply system completed and the application to beneficial use of said water completed.

The original water license, issued January 29, 1980 contained an error in the legal description of the lands irrigated. The license is being reissued to correct the error.

(2) It is certified that the water right holder 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 3.53 cubic feet of water per second for beneficial use. The location of the diversion point is a point 2,020 feet south and 240 feet east of the northwest corner of Section 1-T96N-R67W (SW ¼ NW ¼).

(3) The water right holder has complied with the provisions of South Dakota State Law relating to the application of water to beneficial use to irrigate the following land:

Section 35-T97N-R67W	SW ¼ NE ¼	33 acres
	SE ¼ NE ¼	33 acres
	NW ¼ SE ¼	33 acres
	NE ¼ SE ¼	33 acres
	SE ¼ SW ¼	24 acres
	SW ¼ SE ¼	36 acres
Section 2-T96N-R67W	NE ¼ NW ¼	20 acres
	NW ¼ NE ¼	35 acres
Total 247 acres		

(4) Pursuant to South Dakota Water Law 46-5-30.1 Louis Mokrejs, RR 1 Box 89, Geddes SD 57342 the holder and/or owner of Water Right No. 2020-3 is reissued a license to appropriate water, the right to use 3.53 cubic feet of water per second from the Missouri River with a priority date of October 2, 1973 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. This license is subject to any limitations or qualifications listed in Water Right No. 2020-3 and subject to South Dakota State Law.


JOHN HATCH, Chief Engineer
Water Rights Program
Department of Environment and Natural Resources

MAR 10 1999

date





2020-3
DEPARTMENT of ENVIRONMENT
and NATURAL RESOURCES

JOE FOSS BUILDING
523 EAST CAPITOL
PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA 57501-3182
www.state.sd.us/denr

January 16, 2002

NOTICE

TO: LOUIS MOKREJS, RR 1 BOX 89, GEDDES, SD 57342

FROM: Ron Duvall, Natural Resources Engineer
for Garland Erbele, Chief Engineer
Water Rights Program

SUBJECT: Reporting Requirement for 2001 Irrigation Questionnaire(s)

Our records indicate that the 2001 Irrigation Questionnaire has not been submitted for Permit No(s) 2020-3. The request for the Questionnaire was dated October 12, 2001. The Water Management Board has directed that owners of water permits who have not submitted the 2001 Irrigation Questionnaire be given notice of hearing to determine if any Board action is to be taken concerning this issue.

The hearing will be held at 10:00 am, March 13, 2002, in the Visitor Center (west bank of Capitol Lake), 650 E Capitol Avenue, Pierre, SD and will be conducted pursuant to SDCL 46-1-12, 46-1-14, 46-2-9, 46-2-11 and 46-2-17. These are contested case hearings pursuant to Chapter 1-26. Following the hearing, the Water Management Board can:

1. Amend Permit No(s) 2020-3 to require the Irrigation Water Use Questionnaire to be submitted each year;
2. Postpone any action; or
3. Take no action.

The hearing is an adversary proceeding. The permit owner has the right to be present or to be represented by a lawyer. These and other due process rights will be forfeited if they are not exercised. Decisions of the Board may be appealed to the Circuit Court and the State Supreme Court as provided by law.

If the questionnaire(s) is(are) received in this office on/or before March 8, 2002, your name will be deleted from the Board agenda. If you have any questions or need assistance with completion of the irrigation questionnaire(s), please contact Genny McMath at (605) 773-3352.

Note: Please contact the Water Rights Program, Joe Foss Building, 523 E Capitol, Pierre, SD (605-773-3352) to assure access to the meeting room for the handicapped or to obtain an interpreter for the hearing impaired.

2020-5

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LOUIS MONTEZ
RR 1 BOX 89
GEDDES SD 57342

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B. Date of Delivery 1-17-12

C. Signature

X Louis Montez

☐ Agent

☐ Addressee

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February 12, 2002

2020-3

Louis Mokrejs
RR 1 Box 89
Geddes, SD 57342

Dear Mr. Mokrejs:

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your 2001 irrigation questionnaire. You may disregard the January 16, 2002, "Notice" concerning reporting requirements for Water Right No. 2020-3.

The information was received in our office prior to the Water Management Board meeting and your name has been deleted from the agenda.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Genny McMath
Environmental Scientist
Water Rights Program
(605) 773-3352



2020-3

DEPARTMENT of ENVIRONMENT
and NATURAL RESOURCES

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www.state.sd.us/denr

January 24, 2006

NOTICE

TO: LOUIS MOKREJS, 37249 290TH ST, GEDDES, SD 57342

FROM: Ron Duvall, Natural Resources Engineer
for Garland Erbele, Chief Engineer
Water Rights Program

SUBJECT: Reporting Requirement for 2005 Irrigation Questionnaires

Our records indicate that the 2005 Irrigation Questionnaires have not been submitted. The request for the Questionnaires was dated October 28, 2005. The Water Management Board has directed that owners of water permits who have not submitted the 2005 Irrigation Questionnaires be given notice of permit violation and a hearing to be held by the Board. The hearing is to determine if Permit No(s) 2020-3 should be amended to require the Questionnaire to be submitted each year and to determine action to be taken for violation of Water Permit No(s) 6473-3 qualification:

"This permit is approved subject to the Irrigation Water Use Questionnaire being submitted each year."

The hearing will be held at 10:30 am, March 2, 2006 in the Floyd Matthew Training Center, Joe Foss Building, 523 E Capitol Avenue, Pierre, SD, and will be conducted pursuant to SDCL 46-1-12, 46-1-14, 46-2-9, 46-2-11 and 46-2-17. These are contested case hearings pursuant to Chapter 1-26. According to SDCL 46-1-12, the Board may suspend a permit for a period of up to one year for the first violation of a permit qualification or up to three years for a second violation, or cancel a permit for a third violation. Following the hearing, the Water Management Board can:

1. Suspend or cancel Permit No(s) 6473-3 in accordance with applicable provisions of SDCL 46-1-12;
2. Amend Permit No(s) 2020-3 to require the Irrigation Water Use Questionnaire to be submitted each year;
3. Postpone any action or take no action.

The hearing is an adversary proceeding. The permit owner has the right to be present or to be represented by a lawyer. These and other due process rights will be forfeited if they are not exercised. Decisions of the Board may be appealed to the Circuit Court and the State Supreme Court as provided by law.

If the questionnaires are received in this office on/or before **February 24, 2006**, you will no longer be in violation of your permit and your name will be deleted from the Board agenda. If you have questions or need assistance in completion of the irrigation questionnaire(s), please contact Genny McMath (605) 773-3352.

Note: Please contact the Water Rights Program, Joe Foss Building, 523 E Capitol, Pierre, SD (605-773-3352) to assure access to the meeting room for the handicapped or to obtain an interpreter for the hearing impaired.



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LOUIS MOKREJS
37249 290TH ST
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PMB 2020
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PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA 57501-3182
www.state.sd.us/denr

January 27, 2006

2020-3
6473-3

Louis Mokrejs
37249 290th St
Geddes SD 57342

Dear Mr. Mokrejs:

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your 2005 irrigation questionnaires. You may disregard the January 24, 2006, "Notice" concerning reporting requirements for Water Right No. 2020-3 and Water Permit No. 6473-3.

The information was received in our office prior to the Water Management Board meeting and your name has been deleted from the agenda.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Genny McMath
Environmental Scientist
Water Rights Program
(605) 773-3352

2020-3



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December 7, 2012

2020-3
6473-3

Harvey Robinson
37368 290th St
Geddes SD 57342 6645

Dear Mr. Robinson:

I am writing in follow-up to our December 6th phone conversation.

Enclosed are partially completed Notice of Transfer of Ownership forms for filing ownership changes with Water Right No. 2020-3 and 6473-3. Upon completion, please sign and return the forms to our office with a required filing fee of \$50.00 each (total of \$100). The check or money order for the fee can be made payable to the Water Rights Program.

You had also inquired about getting authorization to irrigate some additional acreage. I have enclosed water permit application forms to be used for that purpose. I included a copy of your Water Right No. 1885-3 to give you an idea of what is already covered.

During our discussion you mentioned approximately 10 acres of the land you would like to put a pivot on would receive water during the pivot rotation but are not actually irrigable acres. Although a crop would not be harvested from those acres, they would need to be included on the application. The fee structure for new applications is such that acres from 121-180 would be the same cost.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Genny McMath". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Genny McMath
Water Rights Program
(605) 773-3352
email: genny.mcmath@state.sd.us

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WATER RIGHTS
PROGRAM

NOTICE OF TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP

To: Chief Engineer
Water Rights Program, DENR
523 E. Capitol
Pierre, SD 57501-3181

No. 2020-3

Date: 12-18-2012

I/We request that Water Right No. 2020-3

formerly owned by: Louis Mokrejs

be transferred to: (name & address)

Harvey Robinson & Lee Robinson, 37368 290th Street, Geddes, S.D. 57342
Telephone No. 605-337-3769

Title to the following described land(s)/property has been transferred as described above:

247 acres S 1/2 NE 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4, SW 1/4 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 35, T97N, R67W and

NE 1/4 NW 1/4, NW 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 2, T96N, R67W

I/We understand that the validity of Water Right No. 2020-3 has not been determined by this transfer action. If I/We have any questions on validity, I/We understand that only the Water Management Board has the authority to determine if a water permit/right is valid (see note).

You are requested to file this "Notice of Transfer" in the appropriate file with the Water Rights Program, as evidence of the change of ownership.

A fee of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) is required to cover the filing fees as required under SDCL 46-2-13. This form must be signed by the new owner.

Lee Robinson

I/We Harvey Robinson, the new owner, certify that the above information is true and correct.

Lee Robinson
Harvey Robinson
(Signed by new owner)

NOTE: Water permits may be cancelled for nonconstruction after the five year construction period has expired. Once a water permit is developed and the water used, the permit becomes a right. A water right may be lost for three reasons:

1. Abandonment - no intent to use water and use is abandoned.
2. Forfeiture - no use of water for three year period without legal excuse.
3. For a third violation of a condition of a water permit/right.

RECEIPT

WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM

South Dakota Department of Environment and Natural Resources

Date 12/19, 20 12

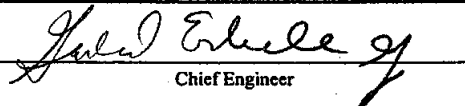
RECEIVED OF Harvey Robinson 37368 290th St Geddes SD 57342

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

Fee for Application for Permit No. _____ to Appropriate Water, to construct and to put water to beneficial use	50	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. _____		
Fee for Filing Transfer Form <u>2020-3</u>		
Fee for _____		
Fee for Issuing New Well Driller's License No. _____ for C.Y. _____		
Fee for Renewal of Well Driller's License No. _____ for C.Y. _____		
Fee for Issuing Well Pump Installer's License No. _____ for C.Y. _____		
Fee for Renewal of Well Pump Installer's License No. _____ for C.Y. _____		
(Any Other Work Provided by Law)	TOTAL	50 00

No. **05784**

By


Chief Engineer



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December 20, 2012

2020-3
6473-3

Harvey Robinson
37368 290th St
Geddes SD 57342 6645

Dear Mr. Robinson:

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of the ownership changes filed for Water Right No. 2020-3 and Water Permit No. 6473-3.

The ownership changes have been completed. Nos. 2020-3 and 6473-3 formerly held by Louis Mokrejs are now listed in the names of "Harvey Robinson and Lee Robinson".

Enclosed for your records are your Receipt Nos. 05784 and 05785 in the amount of \$50.00 each. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Genny McMath". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Genny McMath
Water Rights Program
(605) 773-3352
email: genny.mcmath@state.sd.us

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2020-3
6473-3
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**DEPARTMENT of AGRICULTURE
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January 20, 2026

NOTICE

TO: HARVEY & LEE ROBINSON, 37368 290TH ST, GEDDES, SD 57342 6645

FROM: Ron Duvall, Engineer III
for Adam Mathiowetz, PE, Acting Chief Engineer
Water Rights Program

SUBJECT: Reporting Requirement for 2025 Irrigation Questionnaires

Our records indicate your 2025 Irrigation Questionnaires have not been submitted. The request for the Questionnaires was dated October 8, 2025. The Water Management Board has directed owners of water permits who have not submitted the 2025 Irrigation Questionnaires be given notice of permit violation and a hearing to be held by the Board. The hearing is to determine if Permit No(s) 1885-3 & 2020-3 should be amended to require the Questionnaire to be submitted each year and to determine action to be taken for violation of Water Permit No(s) 6473-3 & 7974-3 qualification:

"This permit is approved subject to the Irrigation Water Use Questionnaire being submitted each year."

The hearing will be held on **Wednesday, March 4, 2026 at 9:30 am (Central Time)** in the Floyd Matthew Training Center, Joe Foss Building, 523 E Capitol Avenue, Pierre, SD, and will be conducted pursuant to SDCL 46-1-12, 46-1-14, 46-2-9, 46-2-11 and 46-2-17. These are contested case hearings pursuant to Chapter 1-26. According to SDCL 46-1-12, the Board may suspend a permit for a period of up to one year for the first violation of a permit qualification or up to three years for a second violation or cancel a permit for a third violation. Following the hearing, the Water Management Board can:

1. Suspend or cancel Permit No(s) 6473-3 & 7974-3 in accordance with applicable provisions of SDCL 46-1-12;
2. Amend Permit No(s) 1885-3 & 2020-3 to require the Irrigation Water Use Questionnaire to be submitted each year;
3. Postpone any action or take no action.

The hearing is an adversary proceeding. The permit owner has the right to be present or to be represented by a lawyer. These and other due process rights will be forfeited if they are not exercised. Decisions of the Board may be appealed to the Circuit Court and the State Supreme Court as provided by law.

If the questionnaires are received in this office before the **March 4, 2026** hearing you will no longer be in violation of your permit and your name will be removed from the Board agenda. Enclosed are additional questionnaires for your use. If you have questions or need assistance, please contact Shannon Konst at (605) 773-3352 or email at shannon.konst@state.sd.us. **If you prefer, you can complete the questionnaire online at the following link: <https://danr.sd.gov/iq> using this password: SWTBHW**

Note: Please contact the Water Rights Program, Joe Foss Building, 523 E Capitol, Pierre, SD (605-773-3352) to assure access to the meeting room for the handicapped or to obtain an interpreter for the hearing impaired.



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February 9, 2026

Harvey & Lee Robinson
37368 290th St
Geddes, SD 57342

7974-3
6473-3
2020-3
1885-3

To whom it may concern,

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your 2025 irrigation questionnaire(s).

You may disregard the January 20, 2026, "Notice" concerning irrigation reporting requirements for your water permit/right(s). The information was received in our office prior to the Water Management Board meeting, and your name has been deleted from the agenda.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Shannon Konst
Water Rights Program
605 773-8204
Shannon.konst@state.sd.us