

4194.3

1. Considered 1-25-78
2. Name of Applicant VERLIN TOLLESON
3. Post Office Address HITCHCOCK
4. Amount of Water claimed 2.50
5. Source of Water supply 79' DEEP WELL
6. Water to be used for IRRIGATION
- Acres to be irrigated 199
7. Water to be diverted and used in BEADLE County
about 45.1W miles of HITCHCOCK
8. Proof of Publication Received 1-18-78
Not Received _____
9. Application Approved 1-31-79
Subject to Well Interp
Not Approved _____
Action Deferred _____

10. Remarks:

Map No. 3420-3 Water Division No. 3 JAMES RIVER District
 (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 Verlin Tollefson
 Postoffice address Hitchcock, State South Dakota 57348
 If a corporation show date and place of incorporation _____
 2. Method of accomplishing work (contract, employment of others, or by direct labor) contract & direct labor
 3. Name of diversion work TOLLEFSON #1
 4. Amount of water claimed (cubic feet per second) 2.5
 5. Source of water supply Ground water
 6. Location of point of diversion SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec 29, 113N-63W
 _____ County Beadle

7. Annual period or periods during which water is to be used April to November
 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 199

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.
NW 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec 29, 113-63	40	NW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec 29, 113-63	40
SW 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec 29, 113-63	40	SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec 29, 113-63	8
SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec 29, 113-63	16	NE 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec 29, 113-63	23
NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec 29, 113-63	12	NE 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec 29, 113-63	20

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 2 years.
 11. Choice of newspaper for Notice of Intent to Appropriate Water publication Huron Daily Plainsman
 12. Principal Features of the Proposed Water Supply System.

A. Works proposed to divert water from its natural source

Bowl pump

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

Main line

C. Works proposed to apply water to beneficial use.

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 Beadle)

I, Verlin Tollefson 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 Verlin TollefsonSubscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of December 1922

Notary Public (or other qualified officer)

WATER RIGHT APPLICATION APPROVAL

The Water Rights Commission hereby approves Water Right Application No. 4194-3

VERLIN TOLLEFSON
(Applicant)

HITCHCOCK
(Post Office Address)

SOUTH DAKOTA 57348 With the following modifications.
(State)

The irrigation well approved under this Permit will be located near domestic wells and other irrigation wells 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 in adequate domestic wells or in irrigation wells having prior water rights.

Date of first receipt of application DECEMBER 16 19 77

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

Date of receipt of corrected application _____ 19 _____

Approved JANUARY 31 19 79, Recorded in Book 20 Page 160

WATER RIGHT PERMIT NO. 4194-3

The Water Rights Commission hereby grants and issues this Water Right Permit No. 4194-3 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 DECEMBER 16 19 77
2. The equivalent of at least one-fifth of the work above specified is to be completed on or before JULY 31 19 81
3. The whole of said work is to be completed on or before JANUARY 31 19 84
4. The limit of time from proof of beneficial use of water appropriated in accordance herewith is JANUARY 31 19 86
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 2.50 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 JANUARY 31 19 86; said water to be used during the following described annual period: APRIL - NOVEMBER

Witness my hand this 20th day of FEBRUARY 19 79

WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION

By:

John Hatch
Chief Engineer, Executive Officer

Certificate of Construction Issued _____, 19 _____

Water License Issued _____, 19 _____

12. Principal Features of the Proposed Water Supply System (continued.)

D. Well Information or Estimates

- (1) Drill Hole, Diameter _____, Depth _____
- (2) Casing, Type _____, Diameter _____, Thickness _____
(wood, concrete, steel, etc.)
- (3) Perforated Screen.
Type _____, Diameter _____, Length _____
- (4) Gravel Pack, Thickness _____, Length of gravel pack _____

E. Dugout Information or Estimates.

- (1) Surface dimensions _____, Depth _____

F. Fill out for Either a Well or a Dugout.

- (1) Water Bearing Materials. (Please attach a copy to test well log if available.)

Character of Water bearing materials 0-3 top soil; 3-21' Brown clay; 21-40' Hard blue clay
(embedded); 40-43' Med. coarse gravel; 43-46' blue embedded clay;
46-71' blue sand; 71-79' coarse to med gravel; 79-88' Blue shale

Depth to top of water bearing material 40'

Depth to bottom of water bearing material 79'

Thickness of water bearing material 36'

Depth to water (ground surface to water level) About 28'

- (2) Distance to nearest existing household or livestock watering wells.

On same owner's property 30 rds. On property owned by others 240+ rds.

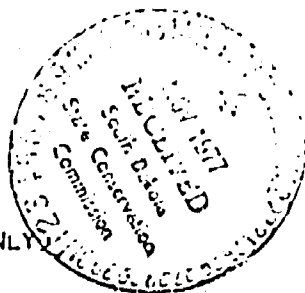
G. Water Storage Dams.

If the proposed water use system contains one or more water storage dams, please show in the space below, the height, maximum water depth, surface area and storage capacity of each storage dam. The location of each water storage dam should be shown on the water right map.

Walter Hall
Signature of Applicant

COMMISSION
FORM W1 #1

STATE CONSERVATION COMMISSION
SUPPORTING INFORMATION
FOR APPROPRIATION OF GROUND WATER IN ACCORDANCE
WITH SDCL 46-6-3 AS AMENDED
(THIS FORM REQUIRED FOR PROPOSED GROUND WATER IRRIGATION ONLY)



NAME Verlin Tollefson

ADDRESS Hitchcock, SD

COUNTY Beadle

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

1. WELL LOCATION NE 1/4 sec. 29-113-63

2. LOCATION OF AREA TO BE IRRIGATED E 1/4 sec. 29-113-63

TYPE OF IRRIGATION

3. GRAVITY _____ TOWLINE _____ CENTER PIVOT _____ GUN _____

4. CROPS TO BE IRRIGATED Alfalfa and corn

WATER QUALITY

5. SAMPLE NUMBER 77-1557

6. SALINITY (EC X 10⁶) 1870 (high)

7. SODIUM (SAR) 5.0 medium

8. RESIDUAL SODIUM CARBONATE (meq/l.) 0

I do hereby certify that a chemical analysis of the ground water representative of that used to irrigate shall be acquired from South Dakota State University and: the soils information has been acquired from Beadle Conservation District, County Extension office or Soil Conservation Service. and: that the legal description for the location of the well and land to be irrigated is true and correct.

Verlin Tollefson
APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

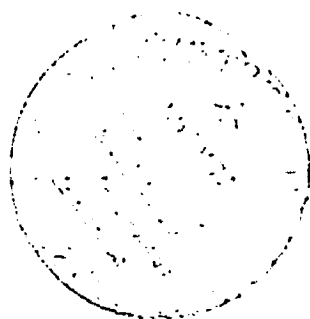
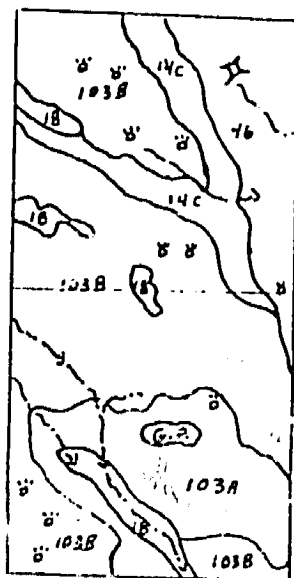
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN BEFORE ME THIS
25 DAY OF October 19 77.

Richard T. Tollefson - Beadle Conservation District
(TITLE OR SEAL)

Albert L. Hoff
APPROVED/REAPPROVED

(SOILS INFORMATION ON REVERSE SIDE)

SOILS MAP



E₂-29-113-63

SOIL LEGEND

- 14C Hand-Ethan loams, 6 to 9 percent slopes
This unit consists of deep well drained loamy soils with calcareous substratums. Permeability is moderately slow. The subsoils contain 30-35% clay. Most of the slopes in these areas are less than 8%.
- 18 Tetonka-Hoven silt loams
This unit consists of poorly drained soils in enclosed depressions. Permeability is very slow, and surface drainage is lacking. Dense compact subsoils and ponding generally limit these soils for irrigation. Drainage of these soils is desirable under irrigation.
- 46 #5 Kgis silty clay loam
This unit consists of deep, poorly drained soils in enclosed depressions. They have clay loam profiles. Salts occur at depths of less than 10 inches. Permeability is slow. These areas pond during wet periods.
- 103A #5 Hand-Bonilla loams, 0 to 3 percent slopes
The Hand are deep, well drained fine loamy soils formed in loamy glacial drift. They have loam surface layers and loam to light clay loam subsoils which grade to calcareous loamy glacial drift at about 22" depths. Permeability is moderate in the solum and moderate to moderately slow in the substrata. The Bonilla are deep, dark colored, moderately well drained fine loamy soils. They have loam surface layers about 12" thick and moderately permeable light clay loam or loam subsoils underlain by calcareous loamy glacial drift at about 36". Permeability in the subsoil is moderate to moderately slow.
- 103B Hand-Bonilla loams, 3 to 6 percent slopes
The Hand and Bonilla soils are described in the 103A mapping unit. The unit differs primarily in the degree of slope.

Verlin Tollefaen Unit

Soil Conservation Service
Headle County

(SOILS INFORMATION ON REVERSE SIDE)

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

Submitted by: Verlin Tollefson
 Address: Hitchcock, SD 57348

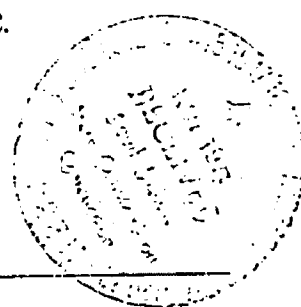
Date Rec'd November 7, 1977
 Sample No. 77-1557
 Identification Well-
NE 1/4, Sec. 29, T 113N, R 63W

WATER ANALYSIS

Calcium (Ca)	119	ppm*	5.95	me/l**
Magnesium (Mg)	32	ppm	2.62	me/l
Sodium (Na)	238	ppm	10.35	me/l
Potassium (K)	14	ppm	0.36	me/l
Sulfate (SO ₄)	474	ppm	9.86	me/l
Nitrate (as N)		ppm		me/l
Chloride (Cl)	63	ppm	1.76	me/l
Bicarbonate (HCO ₃)	434	ppm	7.12	me/l
Carbonate (CO ₃)	29	ppm	0.96	me/l
Iron (Fe)		ppm		me/l
Fluoride (F)		ppm		me/l
Hardness (EDTA as CaCO ₃)		ppm		g.p.g.***
Alkalinity (Methyl Orange)	356	ppm (as CaCO ₃)		
Alkalinity (Phenolphthalein)	48	ppm (as CaCO ₃)		
Electrical Conductivity	1810	micromhos per cm at 25° C.		
Sodium Adsorption Ratio	5.00			
Sodium	53.68	% of cations		
Residual sodium carbonate	0.00	me/l		
pH	8.33			

Others:
 *ppm=parts per million
 **me/l=millequivalents per liter

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



COMMENTS: Total cations 19.28 me/l
 Total anions 19.70 me/l

By: Shirley Lathan

Service Performed
Irrigation analysis

Amount Due
\$15.00

Make checks payable to: Water Quality Laboratory

Cut along dotted line and return the lower portion with payment

Sample No. 77-1557

Amount Enclosed \$

Signed

SOUTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
DIVISION OF CONSERVATION

(RECOMMENDED MANAGEMENT)

CONDITIONAL

NAME OF APPLICANT Verlin Tollefson, Hitchcock, South Dakota

RECOMMENDED MANAGEMENT:

1. Water should not be applied more than 1, 2, (3), 4, 5, times during the irrigation season.
2. Each uninterrupted application ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ should be of at least 1, 2, (3, 4) inches of water.
3. ☒ Yes ☐ No Surface drainage suggested - Tetonka depressions.
The Egas area in N.E. portion if possible.
4. ☐ Yes ☐ No Subsurface drainage suggested
5. ☒ Yes ☐ No Specific land areas that should be avoided

Egas clay soils. These SiC and SiCL soils are dense and fine textured. Air space in these soils is less than ordinary. Subsurface drainage is poor. 5 to 6 inches of water will completely fill the pore space in the top 5 feet of soil and any

irrigation thereafter will tend to water-log and kill any crop.

6. ☐ Deep tillage (For the purpose of aiding movement of water through dense subsoils)
7. ☒ Heavy fall application of irrigation water

Your soils will benefit with deep chisel-type tillage. This is not necessarily a yearly must. Experience will dictate to what extent you will want to chisel, both as to depth, spacing and frequency. After crops are removed is a good time, to open soil for either natural moisture or irrigation. When the soil profile is filled, additional natural moisture will tend to push soil moisture with its soluble constituents downward. With your water, 53% sodium as well as other salts, this will occasionally be necessary. Without planned proper leaching, you will have a gradual salt build-up in your clay loam soils.

You did not state what type system you intend to use with a tow-line, side-roll, or gun you can be more selective of the soils you irrigate. You should consider this a marginal operator. It would look better with a water of EC 1000 to 1200 and less sodium.

Copy to Applicant	- 1	Actual	EC -1810	SAR 5.0	NA-53.68%
Copies to Water Rights	- 2	Permitted	80% 1500-1700		
Copy to File	- 1		20% Not suitable for irrigation		

Publish first publication, on or before January 5, 1978

NOTICE OF HEARING ON
APPLICATION TO APPROPRIATE WATER

Pierre, South Dakota 57501

December 23, 1977

Notice is hereby given that Verlin Tollefson whose post office

address is Hitchcock, South Dakota, has made an application in accordance with the provisions of SDCL 46-1-1 thru 46-1-8; 46-2-9 thru 46-2-11, 46-2-13; 46-5-1 thru 46-5-8, 46-5-10 thru 46-5-22, 46-5-41, 46-6-3, 46-6-5, 46-6-6.1, 46-6-10, 46-6-14 and Commission Rules ARSD 52:01:01:01 thru 52:01:01:13, for a permit to appropriate for beneficial use 2.5 cubic feet of water per second of time from ground water (one well)

through the Tollefson #1, the point of diversion of which is to be located in the SE 1/4 NE 1/4

of Section 29, Twp. 113N Range 63W. Said water to be used for the purpose of providing irrigation on portions of the following described land:

1/4 Sec 29-113N-63W

This Application No. 4194-3 will be considered by the Water Rights Commission at Pierre, South Dakota upon the 25th day of January 1978, at 10 a.m. The Commission is authorized to make a determination on this application at the hearing. All interested persons may appear and be heard. Any person who may be affected by a Commission decision who desires to present evidence or cross-examine witnesses according to SDCL 1-26 may notify the Commission in writing prior to the hearing or orally at the hearing.

WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION

NOTE: Final Proof of Publication must be received by the hearing date for the Commission to take action.

Betty Westlund
Water Rights Specialist

cc: Verlin Tollefson, Hitchcock, SD 57348

Form 6 - Proof of Publication - Notice of
Intent to Appropriate Water

No. _____

PROOF OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
County _____) ss.

I, Brenda Haskett hereby
certify that the annexed printed copy of Notice of Intent to Appropriate
Water was taken from the DAILY PLAINSMAN
HURON, SO. DAK. 57350
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 Huron

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

1-3-78

1-10-78

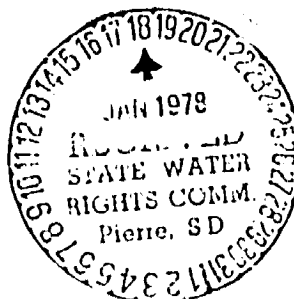
Brenda Haskett
(Signature)

Bookkeeper
(Title)

1-10-78

(Date Signed)

F.P. 1-3-78 L.P. 1-10-78
NOTICE OF HEARING
ON APPLICATION TO
APPROPRIATE
WATER
Pierre, South Dakota 57501
December 23, 1977
Notice is hereby given that
Verlin Tollefson whose post office
address is Hitchcock, South
Dakota has made an application in
accordance with the provisions of
SDCL 46-1-1 thru 46-1-8; 46-1 thru
46-2-11, 46-2-13; 46-5-1 thru 46-5-8,
46-5-10 thru 46-5-22; 46-5-41, 46-6-3,
46-6-5, 46-6-6.1, 46-6-10, 46-6-
14 and Commission 901 vs ARSD
52:01:01:01 thru 52:01:01:03, for a
permit to appropriate for
beneficial use 2.5 cubic feet of
water per second of time from
ground water (one well) through
the Tollefson No. 1, the point of
diversion of which is to be located
in the SE 1/4 NE 1/4 of Section 29,
Twp. 113N Range 63W. Said water
to be used for the purpose of
providing irrigation on portions of
the following described land: E 1/2
Sec 29-113N-63W.
This Application No. 41943 will
be considered by the Water Rights
Commission at Pierre, South
Dakota upon the 25th day of
January 1978, at 10 A.M. The
Commission is authorized to make
a determination on this application
at the hearing. All interested
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hearing.
WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION
BETTY WESTLUND
WATER RIGHTS SPECIALIST
No 2 (adv.)





Department of Natural Resource Development

WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION

Joe Foss Building, Pierre, South Dakota 57501
Phone 605/773-3151

January 16, 1979

TO: Holders of Deferred Applications in Certain Aquifers in Spink, Hand and Beadle Counties

FROM: John Hatch, Chief Engineer, Water Rights Commission

SUBJECT: Reconsideration of Deferred Applications

The Water Rights Commission will reconsider deferred water right applications proposing diversions from the Tulare, Hitchcock, and East James aquifers in Spink, Hand and Beadle counties at 4:00 p.m., January 31, 1979 at the South Dakota Education Association Building, 411 E. Capitol, Pierre, South Dakota.

This reconsideration hearing will be conducted in accordance with the provisions of SDCL 46-1-1 thru 46-1-8; 46-2-9 thru 46-2-11, 46-2-13; 46-5-1 thru 46-5-8, 46-5-10 thru 46-5-22, 46-5-41; 46-6-3, 46-6-5, 46-6-6.1, 46-6-10, 46-6-14 and Commission Rules ARSD 52:01:01:01 thru 52:01:01:13.

These applications were deferred by the Water Rights Commission during 1977 and 1978, pending Staff investigation.

After reconsideration of the deferred applications, the Commission can approve, defer, or deny all or part of these applications.

This hearing is an adversary proceeding. Any person 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 at the hearing. Decisions of the Commission may be appealed to the courts as provided by law.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "John Hatch".

JOHN HATCH, Chief Engineer
Water Rights Commission

JH/gy

Form 10.

No. 4194-3 Boe LRP

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



Post Office Hitchcock, S. Dak.

Date June 6, 1980

TO: Water Rights Commission
Joe Foss Building
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. 4194-3.

Water Right Permit No. 4194-3 states that the diversion system is to be constructed by January 31, 19 84 and that the water is to be put to beneficial use by January 31, 19 86.

The diversion system was completed on April 28, 19 80.
Applying the water to beneficial use was completed on May 10, 19 80.

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.

Verlin Tallbott
(Signature)

No. 4194-3

 **Department of
Water & Natural Resources**
Joe Foss Building Water Rights Division
Pierre, South Dakota 57501 (605) 773-3352

June 16, 1982

Verlin Tollefson
RR
Hitchcock SD 57348

Dear Mr. Tollefson:

The inspection of your water use system and inspection of the extent of your application of water to beneficial use, as developed under your Water Right No. 4194-3 has been completed. Your final water right document, the Water License, can now be issued.

Statutes require that we charge a \$50.00 fee for the inspection and issuing of the Water License. Upon receipt of the \$50.00 fee from you, your Water License will be sent to you.

You will also receive the Certificate of Construction as required by statute.

Sincerely,

KAREN SCHLAACK
Administrative Secretary

NOTE: On form of payment, please include the number of the water permit.
This insures proper handling of the fee.

WNR-814-7/79
Notification of Water License Ready for Issuing (\$50.00)

4194-3

Permit No. 4194-3
 Water Division 3 JAMES RIVER Water District

REPORT 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 VERLIN
TOLLEFSON of HITCHCOCK holder
 of Permit No. 4194-3, bearing date of priority of DECEMBER 16, 1977
 authorizing the diversion of 2.5 cu. ft. per second of the waters of GROUNDWATER
 for IRRIGATION purposes, in BEADLE 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:

79' DEEP WELL WITH 16" PLASTIC CASING & 20' FIBREGLAS SCREEN
WESTERN LAND ROLLER 6" PUMP 7-10CH, POWERED BY
40HP U.S. ELECTRIC MOTOR @ 1770 RPM

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

850' OF 6" BURIED PVC TO S PIVOT PAD
1900' OF 6" BURIED PVC TO N PIVOT PAD

C. Works used to apply water to beneficial use.

MINNIGATOR 4 TOWER CENTER PIVOT WITH NELSON #100
END GUN

The system is in the following condition: GOOD

The point of diversion is located 2500' S & 900' W OF THE NE CORN. 3,
SECTION 29, T113N, R63W

The works are capable of diverting and conveying to the place of use 1.0 (450)
 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: ALL IN SECTION 29, T113N, R63W

<u>NW⁴ NE⁴ 32 ACRES</u>	<u>NW⁴ SE⁴ 12 ACRES</u>
<u>SW⁴ NE⁴ 31 "</u>	<u>NE⁴ SE⁴ 3 "</u>
<u>NE⁴ NE⁴ 6 "</u>	
<u>SE⁴ NE⁴ 6 "</u>	

comprising a total of 90 acres of land.

Date MAY 11, 1982
[Signature]
 (Signature)

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

WATER LICENSE NO. 4194-3

(1) WHEREAS, On the 16th day of December A. D. 19 77
Verlin Tollefson

made Water Right Application No. 4194-3 for a permit to use 2.5 cubic feet per second of the waters of groundwater (one well)

County of Beadle, State of South Dakota, for Irrigation purposes; and

(2) WHEREAS, On the 31st day of January A. D. 19 79
 Permit No. 4194-3, with a date of priority of December 16, 1977

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 31st day of January A. D. 19 84 and for the application to beneficial use of said water on or before the 31st day of January A. D. 19 86

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 1.0 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,

for Irrigation on the following land all in Section 29, T113N, R63W

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	32 acres	(AB)
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	31 acres	(AC)
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	6 acres	(AA)
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	6 acres	(AD)
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	12 acres	(DB)
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	3 acres	(DA)
TOTAL	90 acres	

(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 Verlin Tollefson

_____ of Hitchcock, South Dakota

the holder _____ and owner _____ of said permit No. 4194-3 a water right, dating from December 16, 1977

_____ to use of 1.0 cubic feet per second of the waters of groundwater (one well)

in the County of Beadle and State of South Dakota, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purposes hereinbelow mentioned, to be diverted at a point 2500'S and 900'W of the NE Corner, Section 29, T 113N, R 63W

and conducted to and upon portions of Section 29, T113N, R63W more fully described on the face of this License.

for the purpose of Irrigation

Subject to any limitations listed in Water Right Permit No. 4194-3 and subject to the laws of the State of South Dakota.

WITNESS, My hand and seal of our office at Pierre, South Dakota
this 29th day of June A. D.
Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Two

WATER MANAGEMENT BOARD

By:

John Hatch
Chief Engineer, Executive Officer
JOHN HATCH

Permit No. 4194-3

Water Diversion No. 3 James River Water District

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CERTIFICATE OF CONSTRUCTION

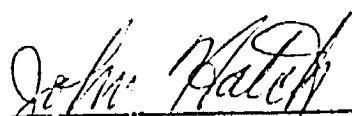
This is to Certify, That Verlin Tollefson

_____ the holder _____ of
Permit No. 4194-3, issued upon Application No. 4194-3 bearing date of priority of _____
December 16, 1977 authorizing the diversion of 2.5 cu. ft. per second of the waters of _____
groundwater (one well) County of Beadle, State of South Dakota at _____
a point 2500'S and 900'W of the NE Corner, Section 29, T113N, R63W

_____, for irrigation

_____ 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 1.0 cu. ft. per second of water.

Date _____



JOHN HATCH, Chief Engineer
Water Rights Division

RECEIPT

WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION

No 4 8868

State of South Dakota

PIERRE, June 23, 1902

RECEIVED OF Verlin Tollefson, Hitchcock, SD 57348
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. 4194-3	50	00
Fee for inspecting Beneficial Use, and issuing Water License No. 4104-3		
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	50	00

WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION

By *J. B. Hatch*
Chief Engineer, Executive Officer
JOHN HATCH



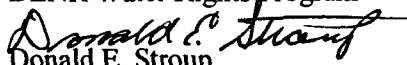
4194-3
**DEPARTMENT of ENVIRONMENT
and NATURAL RESOURCES**

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PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA 57501-3182

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November 13, 2003

TO: Garland Erbele, Chief Engineer
DENR Water Rights Program

FROM: 
Donald E. Stroup
Natural Resources Project Engineer
DENR Water Rights Program

SUBJECT: Tulare Aquifer Irrigators

From April 28 through May 1, 2003 I made an on-site examination of the irrigation systems of several Tulare Aquifer Water Right holders. The Water Right holders, my observations, and subsequent actions are noted below:

Water Right No. 1424-3, Rick Boomsma Operator, 19749 Ponderosa Lane, Hitchcock, SD (605)266-2822

Center pivot on-site that appears not used for some time. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation from 1992 to present. In mid October I spoke with Rick Boomsma about the non use of the Water Right. Rick Boomsma stated that he had irrigated this summer. Cancellation of this water right will not be scheduled this year, but this site should be re-examined in the summer of 2004.

Water Right No. 3243-3, Rick Boomsma Operator, 19749 Ponderosa Lane, Hitchcock, SD (605)266-2822

No sign of irrigation equipment on-site. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation from 1991 to present. In mid October I spoke with Rick Boomsma about the non use of the Water Right. Rick Boomsma stated that he had irrigated this summer. Cancellation of this water right will not be scheduled this year, but this site should be re-examined in the summer of 2004.

Water Right No. 2853-3, Larry Gordon, 38899 SD Hwy 28, Hitchcock, SD (605)266-2718

Trees growing under center pivot, one right in front of wheels. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation in 1986, 1991, 1992, 1993 (flooded), 1994 to present (excess moisture 99, too wet 01, & system needs work 02). Spoke with Mr. Gordon and he stated he hadn't needed to irrigate as there was adequate moisture the previous years, but he planned to have the unit ready to use this summer. I re-visited the site in August 2003 and there was a corn crop in the field that had not been irrigated. The pivot was still in the same position and the trees were still standing. Cancellation of this water right will not be scheduled this year, but this site should be re-examined in the summer of 2004.

Water Right No. 2568-3, Leland Kleinsasser, 20166 401st Ave, Huron, SD (605)352-8125

No irrigation equipment on-site or sign of well head. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation from 1994 to present. Re-visited site in August 2003 and still no sign of equipment or irrigation. I spoke with Mr. Kleinsasser in mid October about the non use of the Water Right. Mr. Kleinsasser

stated that he no longer used the Water Right and had moved the equipment to another location. He agreed to the cancellation of the Water Right.

Water Right No. 4545-3, Victor Kleinsasser, 40008 198th St., Huron, SD (605)352-8103

Center pivot on-site that appears not used for some time. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation from 1992 to present. Spoke with Mr. Kleinsasser about this water right and other appropriations from the James River. Mr. Kleinsasser stated that all the irrigation equipment is from the 70s and needs rebuilt or repaired which he plans on doing this winter. Mr. Kleinsasser also has a James River Water Right No. 2387-3 showing use from 1999 to the present and three other ones showing non use from 1986 to the present. On 10/28/03 I spoke with Mr. Kleinsasser explaining the non use statute and that we would schedule the rights showing non use for cancellation. I further explained that he could appear before the Water Management Board to appeal the cancellations or write a letter explaining his position on the issue. Mr. Kleinsasser agreed.

Water Right No. 4550-3, Raymond Oil Co., PO Box 142, Huron, SD

Center Pivot on-site that appears well maintained and ready to be used. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation 1993, 95, 97 to present. This Water Right will not be scheduled for cancellation.

Water Right No. 4194-3, Verlin Tollefson, 19578 388th Ave., Hitchcock, SD (605)266-2834

Center pivot on-site, appears ready for use. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation 1995 to present. This Water Right will not be scheduled for cancellation.

Water Right No. 4146-3, Adele Walters, 440 Jersey Ave. NE#5, Huron, SD (605)352-7505 (Ray Hofer Operator)

No irrigation equipment on-site, pump station & well head present. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation 1994 to present. Nos. 4146-3 and 4546-3 use same well. I contacted Mr. Ray Hofer, the renter of the property, and he confirmed that irrigation had not taken place for several years and that the equipment was old and needed to be repaired. He further stated that he did not intend to repair the equipment as he only had a three year lease. I contacted Mrs. Walters, but she is in her 90s and doesn't hear well or understand cancellation of the Water Right. I then contacted Mrs. Walters' lawyer, Reed Hutchinson, and explained the situation of non use of the Water Right and the difficulty of explaining this to Mrs. Walters. Reed Hutchinson stated that if Water Rights sends the cancellation information to him, he will ensure that it gets to Mrs. Walters and he will explain the situation to her.

Water Right No. 4147-3, Adele Walters, 440 Jersey Ave. NE#5, Huron, SD (605)352-7505 (Ray Hofer Operator)

Center pivot on-site, appears not used for some time. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation 1996 to present. I contacted Mr. Ray Hofer, the renter of the property, and he confirmed that irrigation had not taken place for several years and that the equipment was old and needed to be repaired. He further stated that he did not intend to repair the equipment as he only had a three year lease. I contacted Mrs. Walters, but she is in her 90s and doesn't hear well or understand cancellation of the Water Right. I then contacted Mrs. Walters' lawyer, Reed Hutchinson, and explained the situation of non use of the Water Right and the difficulty of explaining this to Mrs. Walters. Reed Hutchinson stated that if Water Rights sends the cancellation information to him, he will ensure that it gets to Mrs. Walters and he will explain the situation to her.

Water Right No. 4546, Adele Walters, 440 Jersey Ave. NE#5, Huron, SD (605)352-7505 (Ray Hofer Operator)

No irrigation equipment on-site, pump station & well head present. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation 1997 to present. Nos. 4146-3 and 4546-3 use same well. I contacted Mr. Ray Hofer, the

renter of the property, and he confirmed that irrigation had not taken place for several years and that the equipment was old and needed to be repaired. He further stated that he did not intend to repair the equipment as he only had a three year lease. I contacted Mrs. Walters, but she is in her 90s and doesn't hear well or understand cancellation of the Water Right. I then contacted Mrs. Walters' lawyer, Reed Hutchinson, and explained the situation of non use of the Water Right and the difficulty of explaining this to Mrs. Walters. Reed Hutchinson stated that if Water Rights sends the cancellation information to him, he will ensure that it gets to Mrs. Walters and he will explain the situation to her.

Water Right No. 3321-3, Peggy Brooker, 18512 387th Ave., Tulare, SD (605)596-4391

Center pivot on site, appears ready to be used. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation 1986, 1993, 1995, and 1996 to present. This Water Right will not be scheduled for cancellation.

Water Right No. 4260-3, Roger Chaplin, 1820 Fulton, Sturgis, SD (605)720-2125 Farm (605)266-2108

No irrigation equipment on-site, no sign of well head or pumping equipment, & no sign of irrigation. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation 1987 to present. I spoke with Mr. Chaplin about this Water Right and his other appropriations from the James River. Mr. Chaplin stated that he had pumped some from the river this summer (I re-visited site in August and saw no sign of irrigation). His son is now living on the farm. Mr. Chaplin is having test holes drilled on land better suited for irrigation and was wondering about transferring diversion point, etc. I explained the problem with the fully appropriated aquifer. In mid October I spoke with Mr. Chaplin and told him that the Chief Engineer recommended scheduling this Water Right for cancellation and that the ground water personnel list this well as abandoned. Mr. Chaplin again stated he desired to retain the Water Rights on the James River but did not object to the cancellation of this Water Right. I explained that he could appear before the Water Management Board and state his position on retaining the Water Rights from the James River and that he would get a notification of time and place for the Board meeting. If he didn't want to appear before the Board he could send a letter.

Water Right No. 3164-3, Darrel Jensen, Box 350, Redfield, SD (605)472-2782

Center pivot on-site, appears ready to be used. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation 1993 and 1995 to present. This Water Right will not be scheduled for cancellation.

Water Right No. 3054A-3, Charles Gilbert, 38957 186th St., Hitchcock, SD (605)266-2886

Center pivot on-site with chokecherry bushes and one evergreen tree grown around center as high as the pivot. Mr. Gilbert stated system had not been used for awhile as moisture has been adequate and he plans on refurbishing the system this year. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation 1993 to present. Re-visited site in August 2003 and pivot was running and irrigating crop. This Water Right will not be scheduled for cancellation.

Water Right No. 2729-3, Leroy Gross, 39848 185th St., Hitchcock, SD (605)266-2548

No sign of irrigation equipment or irrigation. This Water Right was transferred to Harvey Wollman at the May 2003 Water Management Board meeting.

Water Right No. 5568-3, Richard Jessen, 18250 377th Ave., Tulare, SD (605)472-2408 (Brett Binger Operator)

Center pivot on-site, appears ready for use. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation 1992 to present. This Water Right will not be scheduled for cancellation.

Water Right No. 4375-3, Dave Swanson, 39840 168th St., Frankfort, SD (605)472-2573

No irrigation equipment on-site or evidence of irrigation in June 2003. Swanson purchased land about 4 months ago (January 2003) and is in the process of setting up a system on the land. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation 1990 to present. I re-visited the site in August and saw no sign of irrigation equipment, but a bean crop appears to have been irrigated as it is a lot greener than the same crops in adjacent fields. Cancellation of this water right will not be scheduled this year, but this site should be re-examined in the summer of 2004.

Water Right No 1504-3, Donald Mendel, 17909 406th Ave., Doland, SD (605)635-6587

No sign of irrigation equipment on-site or evidence of irrigation. Mr. Mendel stated moisture has been adequate and he hasn't needed to irrigate for years. Mr. Mendel also stated that the well is only about 50-feet deep and is not a good producer under drought conditions. He has a stock dam adjacent to the well and if the dam dries up, so does the well. Mr. Mendel is transferring the land to his sons and plans on retiring. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation 1987 and 1991 to present. This is the Water Right that Harvey Wollman wants to acquire a portion of. This Water Right should be scheduled for cancellation.

Water Right No. 5234-3, Larry Nielson, 18476 385th Ave., Tulare, SD (605)596-4339

Center pivot on-site, appears ready for use. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation 1992, 93, 94, 97, 98, 99, 01, & 02. This Water Right will not be scheduled for cancellation.

Water Right No. 3045-3, Cal Nowell, 1265 3rd Street SW, Huron, SD (Ken Nowell Operator, (605)596-4271)

No irrigation equipment on-site or sign of irrigation. Irrigation questionnaires show irrigation. Appears Mr. Nowell has the locations for Nos. 3045-3 and 3046-3 switched. Re-visited the sites in August 2003, and both are being irrigated. In mid October I spoke with Ken Nowell and he affirmed that he is the operator for this Water Right and that he had irrigated this summer. Ken Nowell also advised that his son, Joshua is the operator for # 3046-3. This Water Right will not be scheduled for cancellation.

Water Right No. 3046-3, Cal Nowell, 1265 3rd Street SW, Huron, SD (Joshua Nowell Operator, (605)596-4271)

Center pivot on-site, appears not used for some time. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation 1986 to present. Appears Mr. Nowell has the locations for Nos. 3045-3 and 3046-3 switched. Re-visited sites in August 2003 and both are being irrigated. In mid October I spoke with Ken Nowell and he advised that his son, Joshua is the operator for # 3046-3. This Water Right will not be scheduled for cancellation. It still appears that Ken Nowell has the locations for these two Water Rights switched as he stated that his son had just put a new system on this location when in April I had noted that this site had irrigation equipment on it and the # 3045-3 site did not..

Water Right No. 5231-3, Ken Nowell, 38671 187th St., Hitchcock, SD (605)596-4271

Center pivot on-site, appears not used for some time. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation 1993 to present. In mid October I spoke with Ken Nowell and he affirmed that he is the operator for this Water Right and that he had irrigated this summer. This Water Right will not be scheduled for cancellation.

Water Right No. 5301-3, Barbara Jo Rogers, 419 S. 10th St., Aberdeen, SD (605)226-0344

Center Pivot on-site being and being used in an alfalfa field. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation 1993, 97, 99 to present. This Water Right will not be scheduled for cancellation.

Water Right No. 2514, Willard Wipf, 18371 403rd Ave., Frankfort, SD (605)266-2595

Center pivot on-site. Mr. Wipf stated the system had not been used for several years due to adequate moisture. Wetter years in the 90s had brought up salt from the soil and he had to idle the area. The land should be suitable for irrigation this year if needed. Irrigation questionnaires show no irrigation 1993, 95 to present. This Water Right will not be scheduled for cancellation.

Water Right No. 3467-3, Spink Colony (Paul Wipf), 18206 Spink Lane, Frankfort, SD (605)472-1269

Mr. Wipf was under the impression that this right had been cancelled. The soil and water were incompatible and they had quit irrigating. The soil in the area has been reconditioned and they could possibly irrigate it again at a reduced rate. Also Mr. Wipf brought up transferring the irrigation right to a different quarter if the right is still good. This Water Right was cancelled by the Water Management Board at the October 2003 meeting.

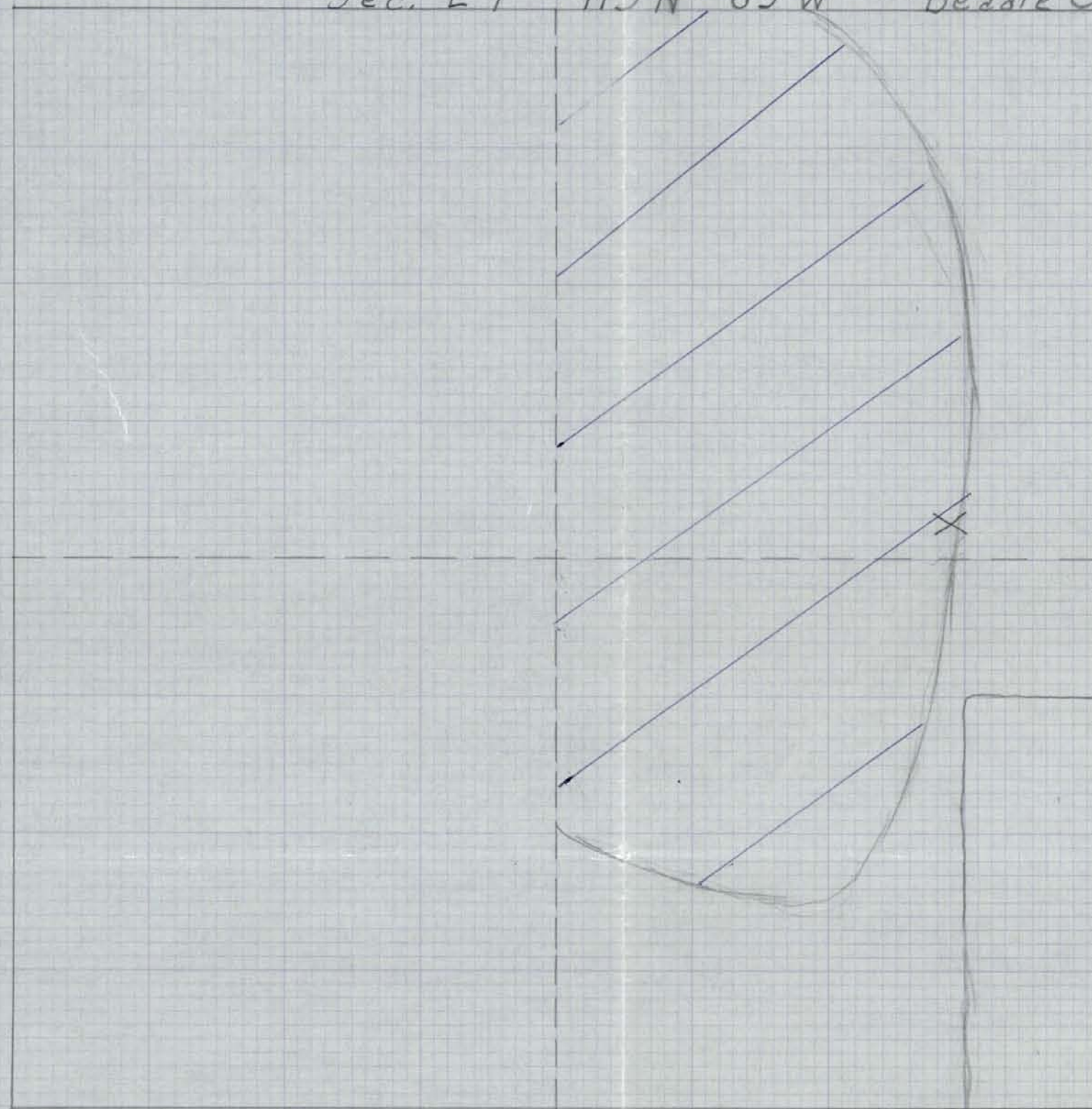
In summary, one (1) Water Right has already been cancelled and seven (7) are being scheduled for cancellation before the Water Management Board. Three (3) sites should be re-visited the summer of 2004.

cc: individual files

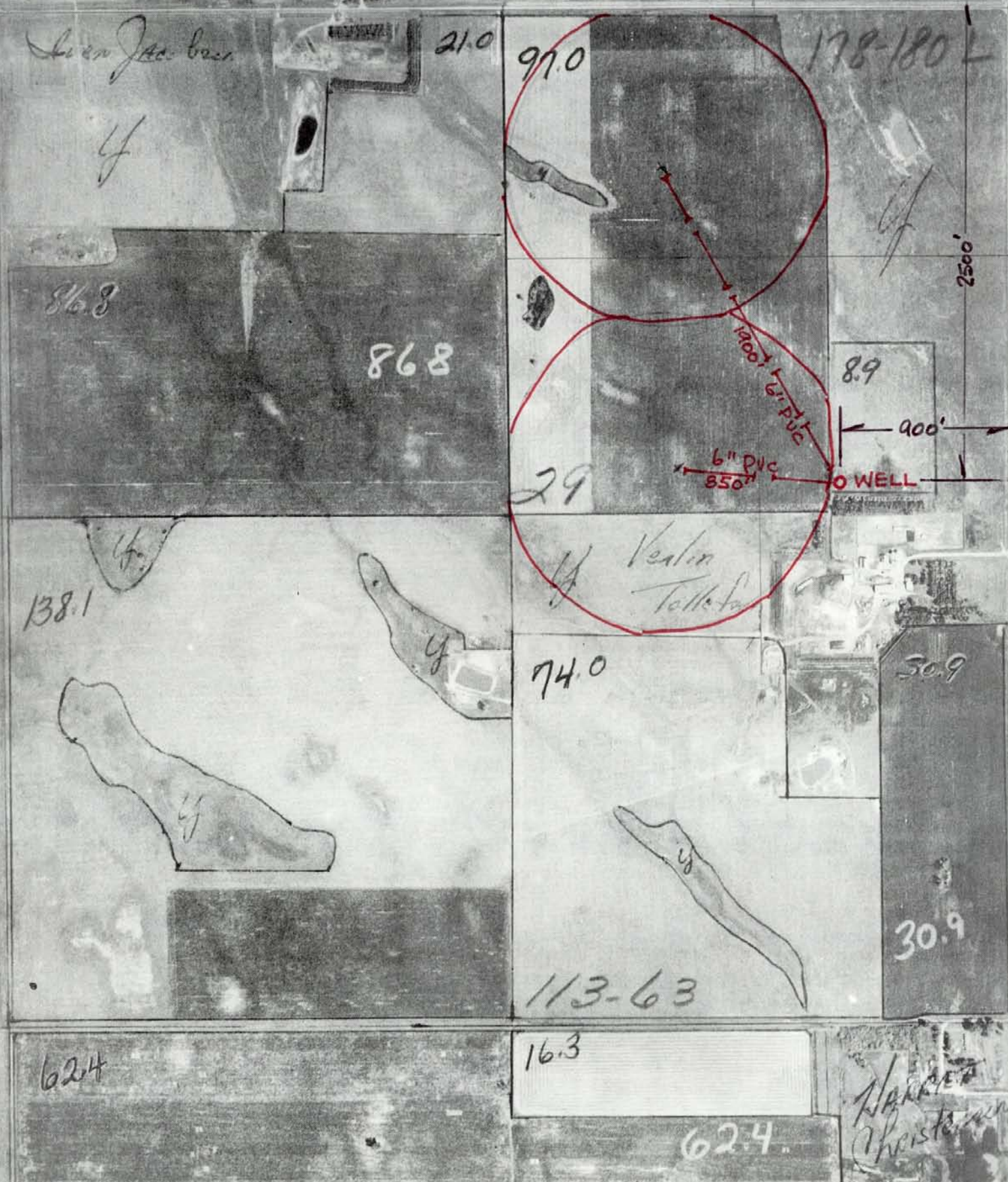
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October 27, 2022

4194-3

Verlin Tollefson
470 21st St SW Apt 301
Huron SD 57350-4344

Dear Mr. Tollefson:

Enclosed is a "Notice" dated October 21, 2022 concerning the 2022 irrigation questionnaire.

The notice was originally mailed to 19578 388th Ave., Hitchcock SD. The post office notified us that your address has changed, and I will update our records accordingly.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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

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October 14, 2025

4194-3

Verlin Tollefson
1714 Ohio Ave NW
Huron SD 57350

Dear Mr. Tollefson:

Enclosed is a "Notice" dated October 8, 2025, concerning the 2025 Irrigation Questionnaire.

The notice was originally mailed to you at 470 21st St SW, Apt #301, Huron SD 57350. The post office notified our office that your address has changed, and your records have been updated accordingly.

This is a time sensitive matter. Please complete and return the enclosed questionnaire or submit your report online at <https://danr.sd.gov/iq/> using this password **FBACPG**.

If this change of address is in-correct, please contact our office immediately to update your contact information.

Sincerely,

Amanda Dewell
Permitting Administrator
Water Rights Program
605 773-3352
Amanda.Dewell@state.sd.us

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January 7th, 2026

4194-3

Todd Tollefson
19455 390th Ave
Hitchcock, SD 57438

Dear Mr. Tollefson:

Each year, the State of South Dakota sends out Water Management Irrigation Questionnaires to collect information based on annual water use from our state's waters.

This year we spoke with you on the phone, and you stated that you now own this property. For your convenience I have enclosed a partially completed "Transfer of Ownership" form for you to complete and return in the pre-paid envelope.

Please return the form with a check for \$50.00 made payable to "SD Water Rights Program" to cover the transfer fee. If you would prefer to pay by card you may call our Fiscal Office at 605.773.5559. This form will still need to be returned even if you are submitting payment over the phone.

Should you decide you wish to discontinue the irrigation on this piece of land, we would ask that you let us know.

If you have any questions or concerns, please give me a call. My direct number is 605.773.8204

Sincerely,

Shannon Konst
Water Rights Program
605 773-3352
Shannon.konst@state.sd.us

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NOTICE OF TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP

For assistance call (605) 773-3352

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Mail to: SD DANR, Water Rights Program
523 E Capitol Ave
Pierre, SD 57501-3182

Water Right/Permit No. 4194-3

Date: 1/12/2026

I/We request that Water Right/Permit No. 4194-3 formerly owned by:
Verlin Tollefson be transferred to:

New Owner Name:

Todd Tollefson

Address:

19455 390th Ave

mobile: (605) 350-1549

City, State, Zip

Hitchcock, SD 57348

email: ttollefson@venturecomm.net

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

Section 29, T113N, R63W

NW1/4 NE1/4 - 32 acres

SW1/4 NE1/4 - 31 acres

NE1/4 NE1/4 - 6 acres

SE1/4 NE1/4 - 6 acres

NW1/4 SE1/4 - 12 acres

NE1/4 SE1/4 - 3 acres

Total of 90 acres

- ☒ I understand that the validity of Water Right/Permit No. 4194-3 has not been determined by this transfer action. If I have any questions on validity, I understand that only the Water Management Board has the authority to determine if a water right/permit is valid (see note below).

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 included to cover the filing fee as required by SDCL 46-2-13.

I, Todd Tollefson, the new owner, certify that the above information is true and correct.

Todd Tollefson

(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, an inspection is conducted to issue a water right license for the project as developed. A water permit/right may be cancelled for one or more of the following 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.

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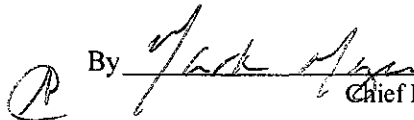
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM South Dakota Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources

Date January 14, 2026

RECEIVED OF Todd Tollefson 19455 390th Ave Hitchcock SD 57348

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	\$ _____
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 #4194-3	\$50.00
Fee for _____	\$ _____
Fee for Issuing New Well Driller's License No. _____	\$ _____
Fee for Renewal of Well Driller's License No. _____	\$ _____
Fee for Issuing Well Pump Installer's License No. _____	\$ _____
Fee for Renewal of Well Pump Installer's License No. _____	\$ _____
(Any Other Work Provided by Law)	
TOTAL	\$50.00

By 
Chief Engineer



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January 14th, 2026

4194-3

Todd Tollefson
19455 390th Ave
Hitchcock, SD 57348

Dear Mr. Tollefson,

The South Dakota Water Rights Program is in receipt of the "Notice of Transfer of Ownership" form and the required fee you submitted for Water Right No. 4194-3. Enclosed is a receipt of payment for your records.

Water Right No. 4194-3, previously held by Verlin Tollefson, is now listed under you. I have also updated your contact information in our system.

As a reminder, so long as you use the water beneficially, as stated in the License (copy enclosed), State Water Laws provide that you have a continuing right to use the water. Should the water not be put to beneficial use for a period longer than 3 consecutive years, without legal excuse, the License will be subject to cancellation.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Shannon Konst
Water Rights Program
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