

**WATER PERMIT NO. 5997B-3**

Name of Applicant: Clay Rural Water System, Inc.

Address: 30376 SD Hwy 19, Wakonda SD 57073

Phone: 605 267-2088

Amount of Water Claimed: no add'l

Total Acres:

Source of Water Supply: groundwater (two wells)

Water to be used for: rural water system use

County: Union

Type of Waste Disposal System:

Location: west of McCook Lake

PRIORITY

Date Received: 9-28-05

Application/License Fee: \$100

Corrected Application Received:

Period of Annual Use: January 1 – December 31

Remarks: change of use from suburban housing development to rural water use

Diversion Point: NW ¼ SE ¼ Sec 7-T89N-R48W

Land to be Irrigated: NA

Depth of Well: 300 deep

Well Driller: : Wetmore Drilling

Remarks:

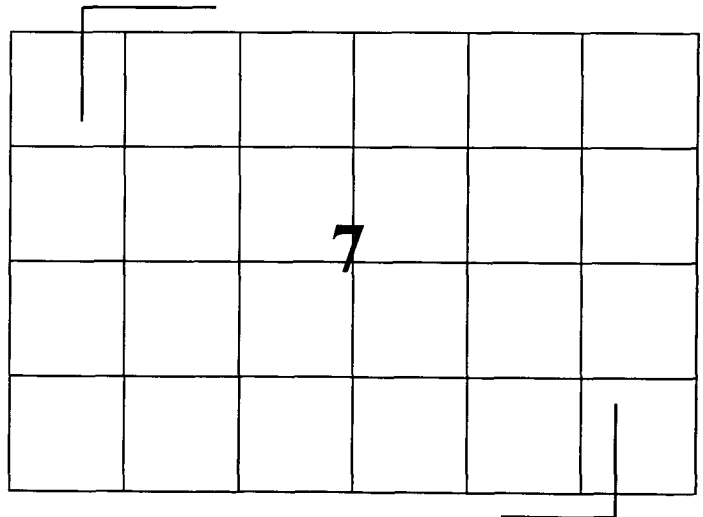
Type of Map: topo

Prepared by: Kim McLaury, PE

Reviewed and the Number Assigned on: 9-28-05

By: Karen Schlaak

Notice of Hearing - date to intervene: \_\_\_\_\_



FORM 2: Application for uses other than irrigation  
(type or print)

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|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Mail to:<br>Water Rights Program<br>Joe Foss Building<br>523 E. Capitol<br>Pierre, SD 57501-3181<br>(605) 773-3352 | No. <u>5997B-3</u> (office use only) Hydrologic Unit <u>10/70/01</u> |
|                                                                                                                    | Basin <u>Missouri River</u>                                          |
|                                                                                                                    | Newspaper <u>Elk Point Leader Courier,</u>                           |
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## Application For Permit To Appropriate Water Within The State Of South Dakota

### Check use(s) of water:

|                                                        |                                           |                                          |                                          |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Municipal                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Suburban Housing | <input type="checkbox"/> Recreational    | <input type="checkbox"/> Institutional   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rural Water System | <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial       | <input type="checkbox"/> Fish & Wildlife | <input type="checkbox"/> Geothermal Heat |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Domestic (over 18 gpm)        | <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial       | <input type="checkbox"/> Other           |                                          |

Type of Application: ☐ New ☐ Vested Right (Use predates Mar 2, 1955) ☐ Future Use Reservation  
(check one) ☐ Place to Beneficial Use Water Reserved by Future Use Permit No. \_\_\_\_\_

☒ Amendment/Correction to Permit No. 5997A-3

Description of amendment/correction: (i.e. change diversion point(s), add diversion point(s), change use, etc.) Change use.

From Suburban Housing Development to rural water use.

1. Name of Applicant Clay Rural Water System, Inc. Phone 267-2088  
(check one) ☒ Owner ☐ Tenant/lessee  
Mailing Address 30376 SD HWY 19, Wakonda State SD 57073  
(Street, RR, or Box and City) (Zip Code)

2. Amount of water claimed No ADD'L \*CFS or \*\*GPM \*\*\*AF  
(\*Cubic Feet per Second) (\*\*Gallons per Minute) (\*\*\*)Acre Feet - storage capacity of dam/dugout or annual use if applicable

3. Source of water supply Dakota

4. Location of point of diversion (example - 3 wells in SW1/4 NE1/4 section 12-T104N-R53W) NW 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 7  
T89N, R48W  
County Union

5. County or counties where water will be used Union

6. Annual period during which water is to be used Jan. - Dec.

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

Wells supply Wynstone water treatment plant. Plant will be remodeled to serve 120 rural users, Riv-R-Land, Deer Run and Sandy Mead housing developments as well as additional users in Wynstone development.

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)

County of Clay SS

Attachments: Attach Form 2A if diversion is from a well or dugout, or if storage of water is proposed. Attach map and any other technical information. (see instructions)

I, Greg Merrigan, Manager, the applicant, certify that I have read this application, have examined the attached map and that the matters stated are true and that I intend, and am able to complete the necessary construction.

Applicant's signature [Signature]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of September 2005

[Signature]

Notary Public signature

11/25/09

**SOUTH DAKOTA  
WATER PERMIT NO. 5997B-3**

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Date of first receipt of application September 28, 2005.

The Chief Engineer, on behalf of the Water Management Board, issues Water Permit No. 5997B-3 to Clay Rural Water System, Inc., 30376 SD Hwy 19, Wakonda SD 57073 authorizing the construction of the water use system and the placing of water to beneficial use subject to the following limitations, conditions and qualifications:

1. Water Permit No. 5997B-3 changes the water use authorized by Water Permit No. 5997A-3. Water Permit No. 5997A-3 appropriates 1.11 cubic feet of water per second from two wells completed into the Dakota Formation (approximately 300 feet deep) located in the NW ¼ SE ¼ Section 7-T89N-R48W for suburban housing development. This permit authorizes changing the use from suburban housing development to rural water system use. No increase in the diversion rate is authorized by this permit. This system has served the Wynstone Development. Clay Rural Water System in addition to Wynstone will serve rural users, Riv-R-Land, Deer Run and Sandy Mead housing developments.
2. The water appropriated shall be used for the purpose of rural water system use and may not exceed the amount of water needed for beneficial use.
3. The water is to be used during the following described annual period: January 1 – December 31.
4. The date of approval of Permit No. 5997B-3 is December 19, 2005.
5. The date from which applicant may claim right is April 21, 1999.
6. One-fifth of the construction is to be completed on or before June 19, 2008.
7. All construction is to be completed on or before December 19, 2010.
8. Water is to be put to beneficial use on or before December 19, 2014.
9. Water rights obtained in compliance with the laws of the State of South Dakota may not be unlawfully impaired by this appropriation.

**QUALIFICATIONS**

1. The wells approved under this Permit will be located near domestic wells and other wells which may obtain water from the same aquifer. The well owner under this Permit shall control his withdrawals so there is not a reduction of needed water supplies in adequate domestic wells or in adequate wells having prior water rights.
2. Clay Rural Water System shall report to the Chief Engineer annually the amount of water withdrawn from the Dakota Formation.

**WATER MANAGEMENT BOARD**

By: Garland Erbele

Garland Erbele, Chief Engineer  
Water Rights Program  
Department of Environment and Natural Resources

**JAN 26 2006**

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South Dakota Department of Environment and Natural Resources

Date September 28, 2005

RECEIVED OF Clay Rural Water Systems Inc., 30376 SD Hwy 19, Wakonda SD 57073

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

|                                                                                                                         |       |          |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|----------|
| Fee for Application for Permit No. <u>5997B-3</u> 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. <u>5997B-3</u>            | 50    | 00       |
| Fee for Filing Transfer Form _____                                                                                      |       |          |
| 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 | \$100.00 |

No.

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By

Darland Eide  
Chief Engineer *gm*



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November 21, 2005

Rick Wegher  
Wynstone Development  
PO Box 770  
North Sioux City SD 57049

Kent Maeschen  
Deer Run Homeowners Assn  
24 Deer Run Road  
McCook Lake SD 57049

Carol Labrune, Manager  
Riv-R-Land Estates  
9 Edgewater  
Dakota Dunes SD 57049

Sandy Mead Homeowners  
463 Prairie Pass  
Dakota Dunes SD 57049

Ladies and Gentleman:

Enclosed is a copy of the report, recommendation and public notice for Water Permit Application No. 5997B-3 filed by Clay Rural Water System. The application proposes to amend a water right once held by Wynstone Development for a suburban housing development to rural water system use. The public notice is scheduled to be published December 1 and 8, 2005 in the Elk Point Leader Courier.

This information is being sent to because the application states these wells will be used to serve Wynstone, Deer Run, Riv-R-Land and Sandy Mead housing developments. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Eric Gronlund  
Water Rights Program, DENR  
(605) 773-3352

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REPORT ON WATER PERMIT APPLICATION NO. 5997B-3  
For Clay Rural Water System, Inc.  
November 15, 2005

Application No. 5997B-3 proposes to change the water use authorized by Water Permit No. 5997A-3. Water Permit No. 5997A-3 appropriates 1.11 cfs from two wells completed to a depth of approximately 300 feet located in the NW ¼ SE ¼ of section 7, T89N R48W in Union County. The water was for a suburban housing development. This application proposes to change the water use from suburban housing development to rural water system use. No increase in the diversion rate is authorized by this application. This system has served the Wynstone Development. Clay Rural Water System in addition to Wynstone will serve additional rural users, River-R-Land, Deer Run and Sandy Mead housing developments.

#### AQUIFER – DAKOTA FORMATION (DKOT)

The Dakota Formation is a buried sand, sandstone and shale under artesian conditions at this site. The aquifer underlies 935 square miles of Union and Lincoln Counties and contains an estimated 19.4 million acre-feet of water in storage (Niehus, 1994). The aquifer extends into Iowa to the east, Nebraska to the south, and Turner and Clay Counties to the west. The Dakota aquifer is hydraulically connected to the overlying Missouri Elk Point aquifer which is also hydraulically connected to both the Big Sioux and Missouri Rivers.

The driller's logs for this permit indicate sandstone from about 158 feet below land surface to a total depth of 300 feet. This well had a static water level of 20 feet below land surface and was capable of producing 350 gpm with nine feet of drawdown. This equates to a specific capacity of about 39 gpm/ft of drawdown which is very good for a Dakota Formation well.

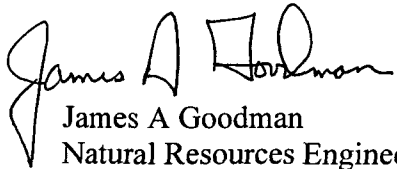
The Water Rights Program monitors an observation well UN-98A completed into the Dakota Formation and located about one mile northeast of this application. Water levels for this well indicate very little fluctuation since the well was completed. A hydrograph for this observation well is included with this report. In general, the water level record indicates that the aquifer is capable of sustaining additional withdrawals (Water Rights, 2005).

#### REVIEW OF EXISTING WATER PERMITS/RIGHTS

There are no other nearby water permits/rights drawing water from the Dakota Formation. There are many permits/rights in the area that obtain water from the overlying Missouri Elk Point aquifer. Interference is not a concern. The nearest permitted Dakota Formation well is Water Right No. 5981-3 located about one mile northeast of this application. This water right is for Deer Run housing development which will be served water from this permit.

## CONCLUSIONS

1. Water is available from the Dakota Formation.
2. The aquifer is under artesian conditions at this site. However, the water levels behave more like water table conditions. Interference is not a concern. Pumping does not appear to create significant drawdown. This is shown by the observation well hydrograph.
3. The wells for this application appear to have been constructed in accordance with SD Well Construction Standards.
4. Water Rights for Sandy Meade, Riv-R-Land and Deer Run can eventually be cancelled for abandonment (Nos. 5584-3, 5754-3, 5981-3, respectively). These wells if abandoned would have to be plugged pursuant to SD Well Construction Standards.

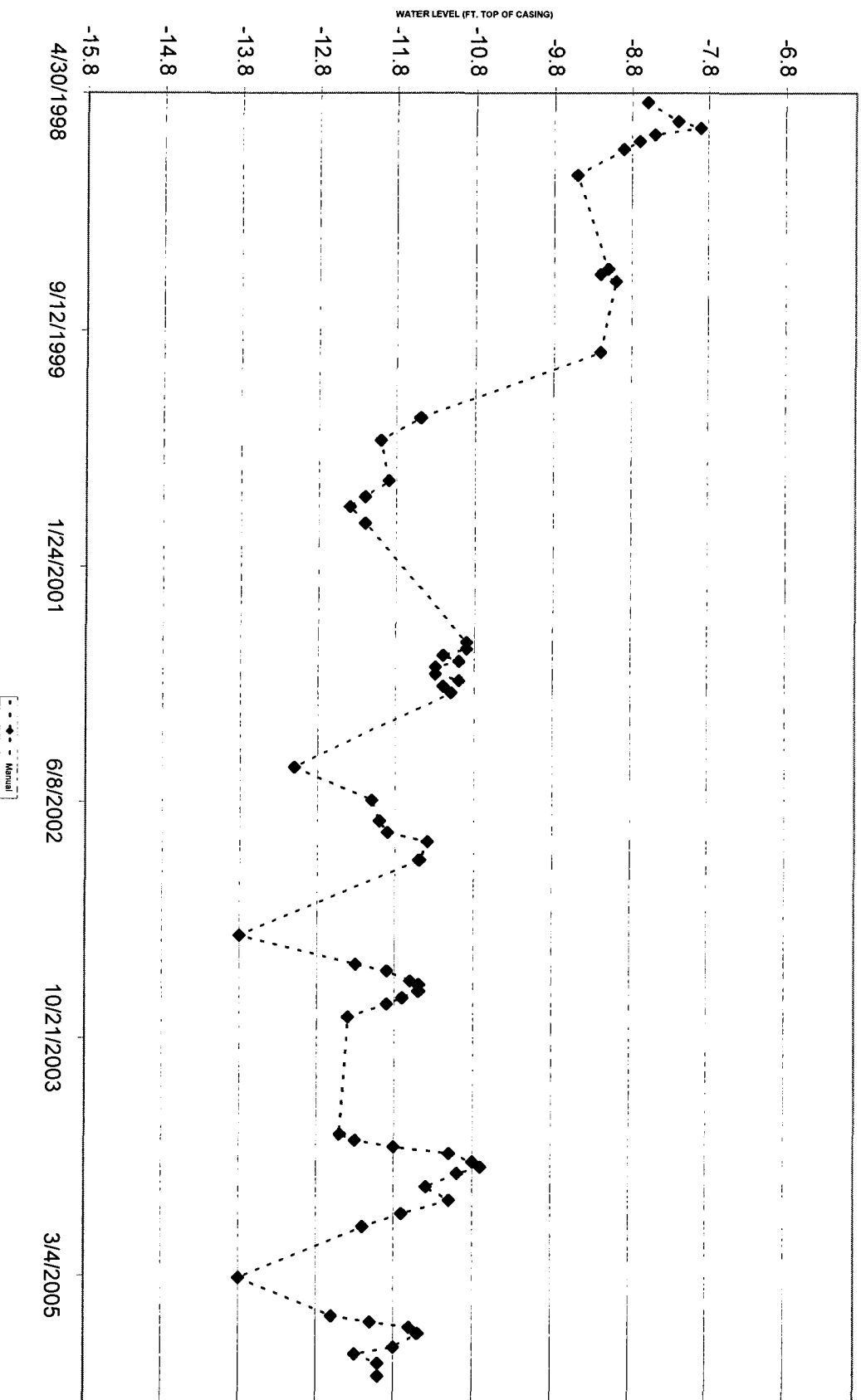


James A Goodman  
Natural Resources Engineer

Niehus, C.A., 1994, Water Resources of Lincoln and Union Counties, South Dakota,  
Water Resources Investigations Report 93-4195, USGS, Rapid City, SD, 57702.

Water Rights, 2005, Unpublished Observation Well Data for Union County, SD DENR,  
DES, Water Rights Program, Pierre, SD, 57501.

WATER RIGHTS' OBSERVATION WELL  
UN-98A





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**RECOMMENDATION OF CHIEF ENGINEER FOR WATER PERMIT  
APPLICATION NO. 5997B-3, Clay Rural Water System, Inc.**

Pursuant to SDCL 46-2A-2, the following is the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, Water Rights Program, Department of Environment and Natural Resources concerning Water Permit Application No. 5997B-3, Clay Rural Water System, Inc., c/o Greg Merrigan, 30376 SD Hwy 19, Wakonda SD 57073.

The Chief Engineer is recommending APPROVAL of Application No. 5997B-3 because 1) the proposed diversion has been developed without unlawful impairment of existing rights, 2) the proposed use is a beneficial use and 3) it is in the public interest with the following qualifications:

1. The wells approved under this Permit will be located near domestic wells and other wells which may obtain water from the same aquifer. The well owner under this Permit shall control his withdrawals so there is not a reduction of needed water supplies in adequate domestic wells or in adequate wells having prior water rights.
2. Clay Rural Water System shall report to the Chief Engineer annually the amount of water withdrawn from the Dakota Formation.

See report on application for additional information.

  
for  Garland Erbele, Chief Engineer  
November 21, 2005

Form 8

## PROOF OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA )  
County of Union ) SS

I, Susan Odson

certify that the attached printed Notice was  
taken

from the Leader-Courier

printed and published in Elk Point

County of Union and

state of South Dakota. The notice was published

in the newspaper on the following two dates:

Dec. 1, 2005

Dec. 8, 2005

Cost of Printing \$ 44.93

Susan Odson  
(Signature)

Affidavits Coordinator  
(Title)

Dec. 8, 2005  
(Date Signed)

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION NO. 5997B-3 TO APPROPRIATE WATER

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Pursuant to SDCL 46-2A-2, the Chief Engineer recommends APPROVAL of Application No. 5997B-3 because 1) existing rights will not be unlawfully impaired, 2) it is a beneficial use of water, and 3) it is in the public interest. In accordance with SDCL 46-2A-23, the Chief Engineer will act on the application, as recommended, unless a petition is filed opposing the application or the applicant files a petition contesting the Chief Engineer's recommendation. If a petition opposing the application or contesting the recommendation is filed, then a hearing will be scheduled and the Water Management Board will consider the application. Notice of the hearing will be given to the applicant and any person filing a petition.

Any person interested in opposing or supporting this application or recommendation must file a written petition with BOTH the applicant and Chief Engineer. The applicant must file a petition if contesting the Chief Engineer's recommendation. The Chief Engineer's address is

ing, 523 E. Capitol, Pierre, SD 57501 (605 773-3352) and the applicant's mailing address is given above. A petition filed by either an interested person or the applicant must be filed by December 19, 2005.

The petition may be informal, but must include a statement describing the petitioner's interest in the application, the petitioner's reasons for opposing or supporting the application, and the signature and mailing address of the petitioner or the petitioner's legal counsel, if legal counsel is obtained. Contact Eric Gronlund at the above Water Rights Program address to request copies of information pertaining to this application.

Steven M. Pirner, Secretary,  
Department of Environment and  
Natural Resources.

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November 21, 2005

Elk Point Leader-Courier  
PO Box 310  
Elk Point SD 57025-0310

ATTENTION: Legal Public Notice

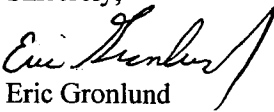
Enclosed is a Notice on Application No. 5997B-3 to Appropriate Water to be published twice. Please publish the first notice on December 1, 2005 with the second publication 7 days later. The text of the notice can be e-mailed to your paper by contacting Karen Schlaak at (605) 773-3352.

The applicant must verify to you that the notice is to be published, before you make the first publication. **Please BILL the APPLICANT for the cost of publication.** The APPLICANT is Clay Rural Water System, Inc., % Greg Merrigan, 30376 SD Hwy 19, Wakonda SD (Ph # 605-267-2088).

**Please send the Water Rights Program the first publication immediately.** The publication is checked for accuracy so any corrections can be made in the second publication. You may use the form below or fax a copy of the first publication. Any fax should be sent to the attention of Karen Schlaak at (605) 773-4068. Publication errors can invalidate the public notice.

After the second publication, **please send us an affidavit or use the enclosed Proof of Publication form.** The applicant pays the cost of publication, but the Water Rights Program records require an affidavit or Proof of Publication. Delays in receiving the affidavit can be costly to the applicant.

Sincerely,

  
Eric Gronlund  
Natural Resources Engineer  
605 773-3352

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No. 5997B-3

TO: Eric Gronlund  
Water Rights Program  
Joe Foss Building  
Pierre SD 57501-3181

Date \_\_\_\_\_

We are in receipt of your letter of November 21, 2005 enclosing Notice to Appropriate Water by Application No. 5997B-3 which was first published in our issue of \_\_\_\_\_. **ENCLOSED IS A COPY OF THIS FIRST PUBLICATION.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name

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THE CORRECT DATES, CONTACT  
THE NEWSPAPER RIGHT AWAY.

November 21, 2005

Clay Rural Water System Inc  
% Greg Merrigan  
30376 SD Hwy 19  
Wakonda SD 57073

Dear Mr. Merrigan:

Water Permit Application No. 5597B-3 for rural water system use has been examined and found to comply with the South Dakota Water Laws and applicable rules. A notice has been sent to the Publisher of the Elk Point Leader Courier printed at Elk Point, SD (Ph # 605-356-2632). You will need to contact the newspaper and authorize publication of this notice. For your information, a copy of the notice, the recommendation of the Chief Engineer and a report on the application are enclosed. Please review the notice prior to publication and notify this office, if you have any corrections or questions.

Be sure to contact the above newspaper to authorize publication of your Notice and to arrange for payment. Early contact with the paper can eliminate delays. Upon receiving authorization, the publisher has been instructed to publish your notice once each week for two consecutive weeks. The newspaper has also been instructed to send us the Proof of Publication. We must receive Proof of Publication before action can be taken on the application.

Sincerely,

  
Eric Gronlund  
Natural Resources Engineer  
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NOTE: If you plan to contest any part of the Chief Engineer's recommendation, you must file a petition pursuant to the procedures outlined in the attached notice of hearing. The Water Management Board will then consider your concerns during a hearing on the application.

Instruction to Newspaper - Publish first Notice on December 1, 2005 with the second publication 7 days later. The applicant is responsible for payment.

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% Greg Merrigan Manager  
30376 SD Hwy 19  
Wakonda SD 57073

Dear Mr. Merrigan:

Enclosed is Water Permit No. 5997B-3 authorizing construction of your water diversion system and beneficial use of the water, not exceeding the limits as specified in the Water Permit.

Form 10, *Notice of Completion of Works and Application of Water to Beneficial Use*, is enclosed. Please return this completed form after you have finished the system and have put the water to beneficial use. An investigation can then be scheduled so the water license may be issued, thus completing the acquisition of a water right.

An informational sheet *Common Water Right Questions?* is also enclosed. This sheet is intended to answer some of the questions associated with obtaining and keeping a water right.

Sincerely,

Garland Erbele, Chief Engineer  
Water Rights Program  
(605) 773-3352

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**NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF WORKS AND  
APPLICATION OF WATER TO BENEFICIAL USE**

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Date January 5, 2006

TO: Water Rights Program, DENR  
523 E. Capitol  
Pierre, SD 57501-3181

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FROM: Clay Rural Water System Inc

(name)

30376 SD HWY 19

(address)

Wakonda SD 57073

(city, state, zip)

605-267-2088

(phone)

I have completed the construction of the water use system and I have put the water to beneficial use to the maximum extent it is going to be used.

Water Permit No. 5997B-3 states that the water use system is to be constructed by

December 19, 2010 , and water is to be put to beneficial use by December 19, 2014 .

(date)

(date)

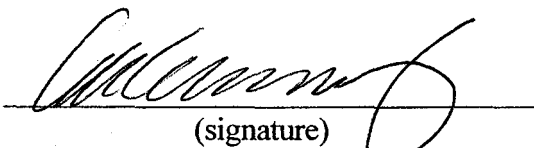
The water use system was completed on December 1, 2006 .

(date)

Applying the water to beneficial use was completed on December 1, 2006 .

(date)

You may schedule an investigation so that the water license may be issued.

  
(signature)

Greg Merrigan, Manager

