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Dale Seiwert, of lawful age, being first duly sworn, deposeth and saith: That he is Record Clerk of The Wichita Eagle, a daily newspaper published in the City of Wichita, County of Sedgwick, State of Kansas, and having a general paid circulation on a daily basis in said County, which said newspaper has been continuously and uninterruptedly published in said County for more than one year prior to the first publication of the notice hereinafter mentioned, and which said newspaper has been entered as second class mail matter at the United States Post Office in Wichita, Kansas, and which said newspaper is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication and that a notice of a true copy is hereto attached was published in the regular and entire Morning issue of said The Wichita Eagle from 9/2/2016 to 09/16/2016.

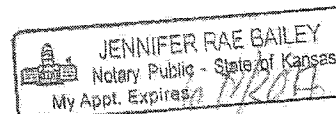
I certify (or declare) under the penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dale Seiwert

(Signature of Principal Clerk)

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KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES
PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

A public information session will be conducted at 1:30 p.m., with a public hearing to follow at 2:30 p.m. on Oct. 4, 2016, in the Hutchinson Kansas Department of Transportation conference room, 1520 W. 4th Ave. Hutchinson, Kan., by the Chief Engineer of the Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture. The hearing is to be held on the issue of whether to approve a petition filed by the Equus Beds Groundwater Management District No. 2 (GMD No. 2) that proposes to expand the boundaries of the district. Pursuant to K.S.A. 82a-1033, the Chief Engineer will determine following the hearing whether the petition should be approved. All interested parties will be given a reasonable opportunity to present their views orally on the proposed GMD No. 2 boundary expansion during the public hearing. In order to give all parties an opportunity to present their views, if may be necessary to request that each participant limit any oral presentation to five minutes. Any interested party may submit written comments prior to the public hearing to the Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture, 1320 Research Park Dr., Manhattan, KS 66502, or via email to David.Eichelbaum@ks.gov.

Land to cover to be annexed and included within the boundary of GMD No. 2 include:

Rees County:

- Township 22 south range 8 west sections 5 through 26;
- Township 23 south range 8 west sections 1 through 26;
- Township 24 south range 8 west sections 1 through 26;
- Township 25 south range 8 west sections 1 through 26;
- Township 26 south range 8 west sections 1 through 26.

Wichita County:

- Township 19 north range 3 west sections 21 through 26;
- Township 19 south range 2 west sections 19 through 26;
- Township 19 south range 1 west sections 19 through 26;
- Township 20 south range 2 west sections 1 through 26;
- Township 20 south range 1 west sections 1 through 26;
- Township 21 south range 2 west sections 1 through 11, 14, 15, and 16.

Sedgwick County:

- Township 25 south range 3 west sections 18, 20, 21, and 22;
- Township 26 south range 1 west sections 1 through 10, and 13 through 26;
- Township 26 south range 2 west sections 28 through 35;
- Township 25 south range 1 west sections 1, 2, 11 through 14, 23, and 24;
- Township 25 south range 1 east sections 5 through 8, 17 through 26, and 29 through 32;
- Township 26 south range 1 east sections.

Any individual with a disability may request accommodation in order to participate in the public hearing. Requests for accommodation should be made at least five working days in advance of the hearing by contacting David Eichelbaum through email at David.Eichelbaum@ks.gov or by phone at 785-561-3600.

A copy of the petition is available on the Kansas Department of Agriculture's website: www.ksagriculture.gov/GMDs under Equus Beds Groundwater Management District No. 2.

David W. Barfield, P.E.
Chief Engineer
Kansas Department of Agriculture
Division of Water Resources