

Kansas Department of Agriculture  
 Division of Water Resources  
**CHANGE: P/D WORKSHEET**

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1. File Number: <b>23,099</b>	2. Status Change Date: <i>10/25/2016</i>	3. Change Num: <b>C1</b>	4. Field Office: <b>04</b>	5. GMD: <b>03</b>
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6. Status: <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Denied by DWR/GMD <input type="checkbox"/> Dismiss by Request/Failure to Return	7. Filing Date of Change: <b>23-MAY-2016</b>
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8a. Applicant(s) <input type="checkbox"/> New to system <input type="checkbox"/> Person ID <b>52260</b> Add Seq# <u>1</u>  <b>ROBERT L WEHKAMP</b> <b>10505 A RD</b> <b>INGALLS KS 67853-9096</b>	8d. Landowner(s) <input type="checkbox"/> New to system <input type="checkbox"/> Person ID _____ Add Seq# _____
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8b. Landowner(s) <input type="checkbox"/> New to system <input type="checkbox"/> Person ID _____ Add Seq# <u>65271</u>  <b>BETTY JEAN VOLMERT</b> <b>9115 W MURRAY CT</b> <b>WICHITA KS 67212-4156</b>	8e. Landowner(s) <input type="checkbox"/> New to system <input type="checkbox"/> Person ID _____ Add Seq# _____
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8c. Landowner(s) <input type="checkbox"/> New to system <input type="checkbox"/> Person ID _____ Add Seq# _____	8f. WUC <input type="checkbox"/> New to system <input type="checkbox"/> Person ID <b>52260</b> Add Seq# <u>1</u>  <b>NO CHANGE</b> <b>ROBERT L WEHKAMP</b> <b>10505 A RD</b> <b>INGALLS KS 67853-9096</b>
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9. Documents and Enclosure(s): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DWR Meter(s) Date to Comply: <u>12/31/17</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N & P Date to Comply: <u>12/31/17</u>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Anti-Reverse Meter <input type="checkbox"/> Meter Seal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check Valve <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N & P Form <input type="checkbox"/> Water Tube <input type="checkbox"/> Driller Copy <input type="checkbox"/> H & E Letter	
<input type="checkbox"/> Conservation Plan                    Date Required: _____                    Date Approved: _____                    Date to Comply: _____	

10. Use Made of Water    From: _____    To: _____
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Date Prepared: <b>10/04/16</b> By: <b>RAK</b> Date Entered: <i>10/26/2016</i> By: <i>CCM</i>
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File No. **23,099**      11. County: **GY**      Basin: **BUCKNER CREEK**      Stream:      Formation Code: **211**      Special Use:

12. Points of Diversion											Rate and Quantity					
MOD	DEL	ENT	PDIV	Qualifier	S	T	R	ID	'N	'W	Comment	Rate gpm	Quantity af	Rate gpm	Quantity af	Overlap PD Files
MOD			22102	NC SE¼ SE¼	34	24S	28W	2	1300	650		265 g.p.m.	194 AF	265 g.p.m.	194 AF	NO
ENT			36252	SE¼ SW¼ SE¼	34	24S	28W	3	100	1870	ADDITIONAL WELL	25 g.p.m.	20 AF	25 g.p.m.	20 AF	23424

13. Storage: Rate \_\_\_\_\_ NF      Quantity \_\_\_\_\_ ac/ft      Additional Rate \_\_\_\_\_ NF      Additional Quantity \_\_\_\_\_ ac/ft

14 Limitation: \_\_\_\_\_ when combined with file number(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Limitation: \_\_\_\_\_ af/yr at \_\_\_\_\_ gpm ( \_\_\_\_\_ cfs) when combined with file number(s) \_\_\_\_\_

15. 5YR Allocation:    Allocation Type \_\_\_\_\_    Start Year \_\_\_\_\_    5 YR Amount \_\_\_\_\_    Amount Unit \_\_\_\_\_    Base Acres \_\_\_\_\_    Comment \_\_\_\_\_

16. Place of Use							NE¼				NW¼				SW¼				SE¼				Total	Owner	Chg?	Overlap Files	
MOD	DEL	ENT	PUSE	S	T	R	ID	NE ¼	NW ¼	SW ¼	SE ¼	NE ¼	NW ¼	SW ¼	SE ¼	NE ¼	NW ¼	SW ¼	SE ¼	NE ¼	NW ¼	SW ¼	SE ¼				
MOD			5262	34	24	28W	3									34.00	34.00	34.00	34.00					136.00	8b	YES	23424
<b>OWNERSHIP CHANGE ONLY</b>																											

Comments: **SPECIAL CONDITIONS Y ADDITIONAL WELL(REVIEW AFTER 5-10YRS)**

**KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**  
**Division of Water Resources**  
**M E M O R A N D U M**

**TO:** Files

**DATE:** October 24, 2016

**FROM:** Richelle A. Krueger

**RE:** Water Right  
File No. 23,099

Bob Wehkamp, and Betty Volmert, water right owner, have filed an application for approval to change the authorized point of diversion under the above referenced file number, authorized groundwater for irrigation use in the Buckner Creek Subbasin.

The above referenced water right does not appear to be abandoned as per K.S.A. 82a-718.

The referenced water right is authorized 228 acre-feet and 630 gallons per minute from one well located 1,300 feet North and 650 feet West of the Southeast corner of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 28 West, Gray County, for irrigation use on 136 acres in the Southeast Quarter of the same section. There is no overlap in the authorized point of diversion but the place of use overlaps Water Right, File No. 23,424. The water right owner proposes to add the well authorized by File No. 23,424 as an additional well pursuant to K.A.R. 5-5-16 *Additional wells*. The proposed additional well is located 100 feet North and 1,870 feet West of the Southeast corner of the aforementioned Section 34, so that a total of two wells will be authorized for irrigation use. The proposed additional well is located approximately 1,711 feet southwest of the presently authorized well.

To comply with the K.A.R. 5-5-16 (a)(2)(C)(i) calculation the overall quantity of File No. 23,099 will be reduced to 214 acre-feet and the overall diversion rate will be reduced to 290 gallons per minute based on the pump test. 20 acre-feet and 25 gallons per minute will be transferred to the additional well under File No. 23,099, and 194 acre-feet and 265 gallons per minute will remain authorized on the presently authorized well.

According to WRIS and the application map, there are no other wells within one-half mile of the proposed additional well.

The proposed additional well will remain in the same local source of supply, which appears to be Ogallala Formation (211) based on available information.

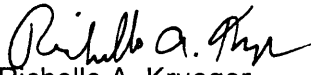
Approval of the application will be subject to the condition that for the sole purpose of administering wells concerning direct impairment, the additional well shall be considered to have the priority of the date the application was filed (May 23, 2016) to add the additional well.

In a letter dated October 17, 2016, Jason L. Norquest, Assistant Manager of Southwest Kansas Groundwater Management District No. 3 indicated that the Board of Directors recommended approval of the application at this time.

In an e-mail dated October 20, 2016, Mike Meyer, Water Commissioner of the Garden City Field Office, indicated that he recommends approval of the referenced change application.

Water flow meters are required. Check valves are required if any chemical or foreign substance is injected into the water through the diversion works.

Based on the above discussion, that the change is reasonable, that impairment to existing water rights is unlikely, that no change in the local source of supply will occur, it has been recommended that the referenced application be approved.

  
Richelle A. Krueger  
Environmental Scientist

1320 Research Park Drive  
Manhattan, Kansas 66502  
(785) 564-6700



900 SW Jackson, Room 456  
Topeka, Kansas 66612  
(785) 296-3556

Jackie McClaskey, Secretary

Governor Sam Brownback

October 26, 2016

BETTY VOLMERT  
9115 WEST MURRAY COURT  
WICHITA KS 67212-4156

RE: Water Right, File No. 23,099

**FILE COPY**

Dear Ms. Volmert:

Enclosed is the order executed by the Chief Engineer, Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture, approving the application for change under the above referenced file number.


Your attention is directed to the enclosures and to the terms, conditions, and limitations specified in this approval for change. A condition of this approval is that an acceptable water flow meter must be installed on the diversion works authorized under the referenced file number. Please return the required notification of completion of the diversion works and installation of the required meter as soon as these actions are completed.

Please note that the application for File No. 23,099 is approved subject to the condition that for the sole purpose of administering wells concerning direct impairment, the additional well shall be considered to have the priority of the date the application was filed (May 23, 2016) to add the additional well. In addition, the Chief Engineer specifically retains jurisdiction in this matter with authority to review the approval of the additional well at intervals of no fewer than five years, and no more than ten years to determine if the total annual quantity of water actually being withdrawn by all wells authorized by the approval of application for change is exceeding the total annual quantity of water that could have been physically withdrawn if the additional well had not been approved, and based on the review, the Chief Engineer retains authority to make a reasonable reduction in the authorized quantity of water as may be deemed to be in the public interest.

Since this order modifies the original document referred to it should be recorded with the Register of Deeds as other instruments affecting real estate.

If you have any questions, please contact this office. If you call, please reference the file number so we can help you more efficiently.

Sincerely,

  
Brent A. Turney P. G.  
Change Application Unit Supervisor

BAT:rak

pc: Garden City Field Office  
Groundwater Management District No. 3  
Robert Wehkamp



KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
Jackie McClaskey, Secretary of Agriculture

DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES  
David W. Barfield, Chief Engineer

**APPROVAL OF APPLICATION  
FOR  
CHANGE IN  
POINT OF DIVERSION  
AND ORDER REDUCING THE  
AUTHORIZED QUANTITY AND DIVERSION RATE  
WATER RIGHT  
FILE NO. 23,099**

The Chief Engineer, Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture, after due consideration of the written application of Robert Wehkamp, 10505 A Road, Ingalls, Kansas, 67853, and Betty Volmert, 9115 West Murray Court, Wichita, Kansas, 67212-4156, received in this office on May 23, 2016, for approval of a change in the location of the point of diversion under the certificate of appropriation issued pursuant to the application for permit to appropriate water for beneficial use, finds that the change is reasonable and will not impair existing rights, and that the application should be and is hereby approved.

This order effectively reduces the authorized quantity to 214 acre-feet of water per calendar year and the authorized diversion rate to 290 gallons per minute (0.64 c.f.s.) in accordance with the Application for Approval to Change the Point of Diversion received in this office on May 23, 2016.

The application, therefore, is approved subject to the condition that for the sole purpose of administering wells concerning direct impairment, the additional well shall be considered to have the priority of the date the application was filed (May 23, 2016) to add the additional well.

The effective date of the change shall be the date this order is executed by the Chief Engineer, after which the authorized locations of the points of diversion shall be:

one (1) well located near the center of the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section 34, more particularly described as being near a point 1,300 feet North and 650 feet West of the Southeast corner of said section, at a diversion rate not in excess of 265 gallons per minute (0.59 c.f.s.) and in a quantity not to exceed 194 acre-feet of water per calendar year, and

one (1) well located in the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section 34, more particularly described as being near a point 100 feet North and 1,870 feet West of the Southeast corner of said section, at a diversion rate not in excess of 25 gallons per minute (0.05 c.f.s.) and in a quantity not to exceed 20 acre-feet of water per calendar year,

both in Township 24 South, Range 28 West, Gray County, Kansas,

located substantially as shown on the map accompanying the application to change the point of diversion.

Installation of the works for diversion of water shall be completed on or before December 31, 2017, or within any authorized extension of time. The water right owner shall notify the Chief Engineer of the Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture, when construction of the works for diversion has been completed.

All diversion works into which any type of chemical or other foreign substance will be injected into the water pumped from the diversion works shall be equipped with an in-line, automatic, quick-closing check valve capable of preventing pollution of the source of the water supply. The type of valve installed shall meet specifications adopted by the Chief Engineer and shall be maintained in an operating condition satisfactory to the Chief Engineer.

The water right owner shall properly install an acceptable water meter on the diversion works authorized under this water right, prior to the use of water, in strict accordance with the Kansas Administrative Regulations 5-1-4 through 5-1-12 adopted by the Chief Engineer. The water right owner shall notify the Chief Engineer when installation of the water meter has been completed. The water right owner shall maintain the water meter in an operating condition satisfactory to the Chief Engineer, at all times during diversion of water and shall maintain records from which the total quantity of water diverted may be determined. The water right owner shall also report the reading of said water meter and the total quantity of water diverted annually to the Chief Engineer. Such records shall be furnished to the Chief Engineer by March 1 following the end of each calendar year.

The Chief Engineer specifically retains jurisdiction in this matter with authority to review the approval of the additional well at intervals of no fewer than five years, and no more than ten years to determine if the total annual quantity of water actually being withdrawn by all wells authorized by the approval of application for change is exceeding the total annual quantity of water that could have been physically withdrawn if the additional well had not been approved, and based on the review, the Chief Engineer retains authority to make a reasonable reduction in the authorized quantity of water as may be deemed to be in the public interest.

In all other respects, the Certificate of Appropriation issued pursuant to Approval of Application, File No. 23,099, for permit to appropriate water for beneficial use, is as stated and set forth in the Certificate of Appropriation dated April 13, 1984.

This Order shall become a final agency action, as defined by K.S.A. 77-607(b), without further notice to the parties, if a request for hearing or a petition for administrative review is not filed as set forth below.

**Request for Hearing.** According to K.A.R. 5-14-3(c), any party who desires a hearing must submit a request within 15 days after the date shown on the Certificate of Service attached to this Order. Filing a request for a hearing will give you the opportunity to submit additional facts for consideration, contest any findings made by the Chief Engineer or present any other information you believe should be considered in this matter. A timely-filed request for hearing will stay the deadline for requesting administrative review of this Order pending the outcome of the hearing.

**Petition for Review.** Any person aggrieved by this Order may petition for administrative review, pursuant to K.S.A. 82a-708b(a) and K.S.A. 82a-1901(a). The petition must be filed within 30 days after the date shown on the Certificate of Service attached to this Order and must set forth the basis for the review, unless stayed by the timely filing of a request for hearing.

Any request for hearing or petition for administrative review shall be in writing and shall be submitted to the attention of: Chief Legal Counsel, Kansas Department of Agriculture, 1320 Research Park Drive, Manhattan, Kansas 66502, Fax: (785) 564 - 6777.

Ordered this 25 day of October, 2016, in Topeka, Shawnee County, Kansas.

Lane P. Letourneau

Lane P. Letourneau, P.G.  
Program Manager  
Water Appropriation Program  
Division of Water Resources  
Kansas Department of Agriculture

State of Kansas     )  
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County of Riley     )

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 25 day of October, 2016, by Lane P. Letourneau, P.G., Program Manager, Water Appropriation Program, Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture.

Danielle Wilson

Notary Public



**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

On this 26 day of October, I hereby certify that the foregoing Approval of Application for Change in Point of Diversion, File No. 23,099, dated October 25, 2016 was mailed postage prepaid, first class, US mail to the following:

BETTY VOLMERT  
9115 W MURRAY CT  
WICHITA KS 67212-4156

With photocopies to:

ROBERT WEHKAMP  
10505 A RD  
INGALLS KS 67853

Garden City Field Office  
Groundwater Management District No. 3

Danielle Wilson

Division of Water Resources

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Submit To: CHIEF ENGINEER  
Division of Water Resources  
Kansas Department of Agriculture  
109 SW 9th Street, 2nd Floor  
Topeka, KS 66612-1283  
[www.ksda.gov/dwr](http://www.ksda.gov/dwr)

**APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL TO  
CHANGE THE PLACE OF USE, THE  
POINT OF DIVERSION OR THE USE  
MADE OF THE WATER UNDER AN  
EXISTING WATER RIGHT**

**Filing Fee Must Accompany the Application**  
(Please refer to Fee Schedule on signature page of application form.)

Paragraph Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 & 8 must be completed. Complete all other applicable portions. A topographic map or detailed plat showing the authorized and proposed points(s) of diversion and /or place of use must accompany this application.

1. Application is hereby made for approval of the Chief Engineer to change the

- Place of Use
- (Check one or more)  Point of Diversion
- Use Made of Water

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File No. 23099

2. Name of applicant: Robert Wehkamp

Address: 10505 A Rd

City, State and Zip: Ingalls, KS 67853

Phone Number: (620)335-5644 E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

What is your relationship to the water right;  owner  tenant  agent  other? If other, please explain. \_\_\_\_\_

Name of water use correspondent: SAME

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State and Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

3. The change(s) proposed herein are desired for the following reasons (please be specific): Applicant is proposing to move a small quantity to the well under WR 23424. Both wells operate together on the same pivot and will allow the operation of the system to be more efficient late in the season.

The change(s) (was) (will be) completed by As soon as approved (Date)

For Office Use Only:					
F.O. <u>4</u>	GMD <u>3</u>	Meets K.A.R. 5-5-1 (YES/NO) Use <u>lrr</u>	Source <u>GDS</u>	County <u>GY</u>	By <u>AM</u> Date <u>5/23/16</u>
Code <u>CGT</u>	Fee \$ <u>200</u>	TR # _____	Receipt Date _____	Check # <u>1213</u>	

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Assisted by: [Signature]

5/26/2016 WM  
GMD3



4. The presently authorized place of use is:

Owner of Land — NAME: ~~G M Wehkamp~~

\* Betty Jean Volmert

ADDRESS: ~~598 Planter RD SE, Leroy, KS 66857~~ 9115 W Murray Ct Wichita KS 67212-

Sec.	Twp.	Range	NE¼				NW¼				SW¼				SE¼				TOTAL ACRES				
			NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼					
34	24	28w																	34.0	34.0	34.0	34.0	136.0

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List any other water rights that cover this place of use. 23424

Owner of Land — NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

Sec.	Twp.	Range	NE¼				NW¼				SW¼				SE¼				TOTAL ACRES				
			NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼					

List any other water rights that cover this place of use. \_\_\_\_\_

(If there are more than two landowners, attach additional sheets as necessary.)

5. It is proposed that the place of use be changed to:

Owner of Land — NAME: NO CHANGE

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

Sec.	Twp.	Range	NE¼				NW¼				SW¼				SE¼				TOTAL ACRES				
			NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼					

List any other water rights that cover this place of use. \_\_\_\_\_

Owner of Land — NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

Sec.	Twp.	Range	NE¼				NW¼				SW¼				SE¼				TOTAL ACRES				
			NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼					

List any other water rights that cover this place of use. \_\_\_\_\_

**IF MORE SPACE IS NEEDED, ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS AS NECESSARY**

\* per 2011 Plat on existing database  
 + Geary County Plat Search \* PSL/DWA  
 10/4/16

6. The presently authorized point(s) of diversion is One well, pump and discharge  
(Provide description and number of points)

7. The proposed point(s) of diversion are Two well, pump and discharge  
(Provide description and number of points)

List all presently authorized point(s) of diversion:

8. **Presently authorized point of diversion:**  
 One in the NC Quarter of the SE Quarter of the SE Quarter of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 28 W, in GRAY County, Kansas, 1300 feet North 650 feet West of Southeast corner of section.  
 Authorized Rate 630GPM Authorized Quantity 228AF  
 (DWR use only: Computer ID No. \_\_\_\_\_ GPS \_\_\_\_\_ feet North \_\_\_\_\_ feet West)  
 This point will not be changed  This point will be changed as follows:  
**Proposed point of diversion: (Complete only if change is requested)**  
 One in the NC Quarter of the SE Quarter of the SE Quarter of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 28 W, in GRAY County, Kansas, 1300 feet North 650 feet West of Southeast corner of section.  
 Proposed Rate \* 265 313/40 gpm Proposed Quantity 194AF \* BW 9-16-16  
 This point is:  Additional Well  Geo Center List other water rights that will use this point initial & date

9. **Presently authorized point of diversion:**  
 One in the \_\_\_\_\_ Quarter of the \_\_\_\_\_ Quarter of the \_\_\_\_\_ Quarter of Section \_\_\_\_\_, Township \_\_\_\_\_ South, Range \_\_\_\_\_ (EW), in \_\_\_\_\_ County, Kansas, \_\_\_\_\_ feet North \_\_\_\_\_ feet West of Southeast corner of section.  
 Authorized Rate \_\_\_\_\_ Authorized Quantity \_\_\_\_\_  
 (DWR use only: Computer ID No. \_\_\_\_\_ GPS \_\_\_\_\_ feet North \_\_\_\_\_ feet West)  
 This point will not be changed  This point will be changed as follows:  
**Proposed point of diversion: (Complete only if change is requested)**  
 One in the SE Quarter of the SW Quarter of the SE Quarter of Section 34, Township 24 South, Range 28 Q, in GRAY County, Kansas, 100 feet North 1870 feet West of Southeast corner of section.  
 Proposed Rate \* 25 31/6 gpm Proposed Quantity 20AF \* BW 9-16-16  
 This point is:  Additional Well  Geo Center List other water rights that will use this point 23424

10. **Presently authorized point of diversion:**  
 One in the \_\_\_\_\_ Quarter of the \_\_\_\_\_ Quarter of the \_\_\_\_\_ Quarter of Section \_\_\_\_\_, Township \_\_\_\_\_ South, Range \_\_\_\_\_ (EW), in \_\_\_\_\_ County, Kansas, \_\_\_\_\_ feet North \_\_\_\_\_ feet West of Southeast corner of section.  
 Authorized Rate \_\_\_\_\_ Authorized Quantity \_\_\_\_\_  
 (DWR use only: Computer ID No. \_\_\_\_\_ GPS \_\_\_\_\_ feet North \_\_\_\_\_ feet West)  
 This point will not be changed  This point will be changed as follows:  
**Proposed point of diversion: (Complete only if change is requested)**  
 One in the \_\_\_\_\_ Quarter of the \_\_\_\_\_ Quarter of the \_\_\_\_\_ Quarter of Section \_\_\_\_\_, Township \_\_\_\_\_ South, Range \_\_\_\_\_ (EW), in \_\_\_\_\_ County, Kansas, \_\_\_\_\_ feet North \_\_\_\_\_ feet West of Southeast corner of section.  
 Proposed Rate \_\_\_\_\_ Proposed Quantity \_\_\_\_\_  
 This point is:  Additional Well  Geo Center List other water rights that will use this point \_\_\_\_\_

11. Describe the current condition of and future plans for any point(s) of diversion which will no longer be used. NA

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12. The presently authorized use of water is for IRR purposes.  
It is proposed that the use be changed to IRR purposes.

13. If changing the place of use and/or use made of water, describe how the consumptive use will not be increased.  
Application is consistent with KAR 5-5-16 and the additional well rule.

(Please show any calculations here.)

14. It is requested that the maximum annual quantity of water be reduced to 214AF Total (acre-feet or million gallons).

15. It is requested that the maximum rate of diversion of water be reduced to 300/320 \* 290 gpm gallons per minute (1.0/1.1 c.f.s.). *initial date*

16. The application must include either a topographic map or detailed plat. A U.S. Geological Survey Topographic Map, scale 1:24,000, is available through the Kansas Geological Survey, 1930 Constant Avenue, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas 66047-3726 ([www.usgs.gov](http://www.usgs.gov)). The map should show the location of the presently authorized point(s) of diversion. Distances North and West of the Southeast corner of the section must be shown. The presently authorized place of use should also be shown. Identify the center of the section, the section lines and the section corners and show the appropriate section, township, and range numbers on the map. In addition the following information must also be shown on the map.

- a. If a change in the location of the point(s) of diversion is proposed, show:
  - 1) The location of the proposed point(s) of diversion. Distances North and West of the Southeast corner of the section must be shown. Please be certain that the information shown on the map agrees with the information shown in Paragraph Nos. 9, 10 and 11 of the application.
  - 2) If the source of supply is groundwater, please show the location of existing water wells of any kind, including domestic wells, within 1/2 mile of the proposed well or wells. Identify each well as to its use and furnish name and mailing address of the property owner or owners. If there are no wells within 1/2 mile, please indicate so on the map.
  - 3) If the source of supply is surface water, the names and mailing addresses of all landowner(s) 1/2 mile downstream and 1/2 mile upstream from your property lines must be shown.
- b. If a change in the place of use is desired, show the proposed place of use by crosshatching on the map. Please be certain that the information shown on the map agrees with the information shown in Paragraph No. 5 of the application.

17. Attach documentation to show the change(s) proposed herein will not impair existing water rights and relates to the same local source of supply as to which the water right relates. This information may include statements, plats, geology reports, well logs, test hole logs, and other information as necessary information to show the above. Additional comments may be made below.

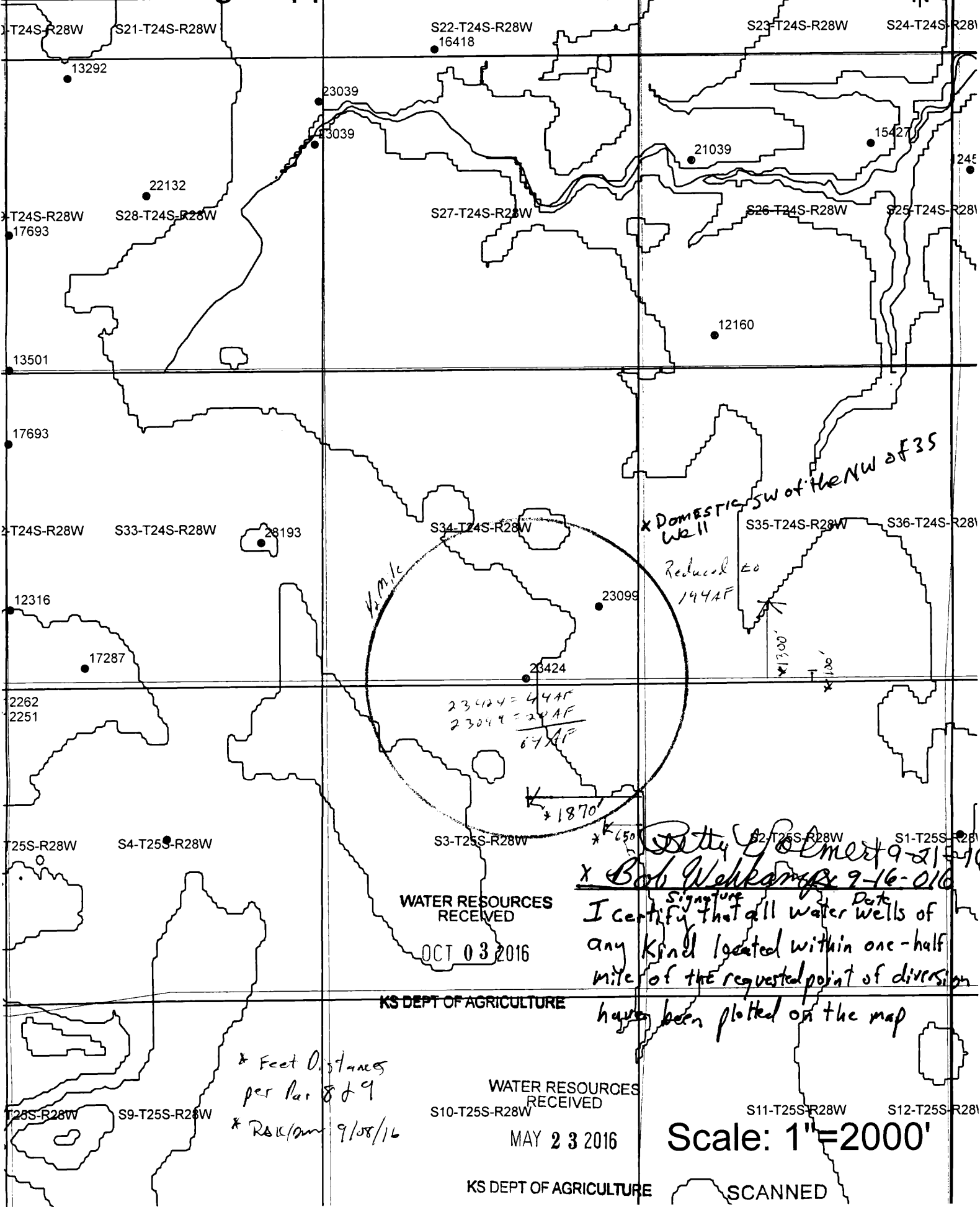
see attached plat

18. If the proposed change(s) does not meet all applicable rules and regulations of the Kansas Water Appropriation Act, please identify the rules and regulations for which you request a waiver. State the reason why a waiver is needed and why the request should be granted. Attach documentation showing that granting the request will not impair existing water rights and will not prejudicially and unreasonably affect the public interest.

Spacing regs and the additional well rule are met.

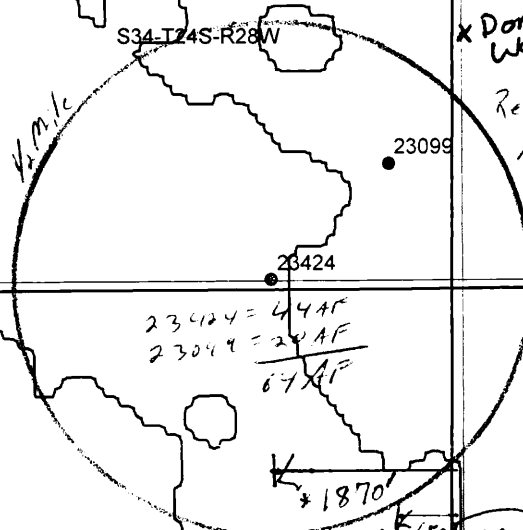
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# Change App. Additional Well, File No. 23099



*x Domestic SW of the NW of S5*

*Reduced to 144AF*



*23424 = 64AF  
23099 = 24AF  
64AF*

*\* 1870'*

*Patty Bolmer 9-21-16*  
*x Bob Weikamp 9-16-16*

*I certify that all water wells of any kind located within one-half mile of the requested point of diversion have been plotted on the map*

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**SOUTHWEST KANSAS GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT #3  
FLOWMETER TEST REPORT**

FILE(S): 23099

COUNTY: Groves

DATE: 1-28 ~~2015~~ 2016

TIME: 2:00

PERSON(S) PRESENT: Bob W.

TEST CONDUCTED BY: CL

GPS: Well N 37.91267 Meter \_\_\_\_\_

Nearby \_\_\_\_\_ Other W 100.37518

WELL LOCATION: SECTION 34 T 24 S 28 W  
ID 2 QUARTER \_\_\_\_\_ or

1300 'N 650 'W of the SE corner

METER LOCATION: Well  Pivot \_\_\_\_\_  
Enter from East Walk in \_\_\_\_\_

Vrt or Hrz \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

METER INFORMATION: Serial Number 91-8-1791N  
Manufacturer McCrometer   
Meter Type Propeller   
Pipe Size 2.0 OD \_\_\_\_\_ ID \_\_\_\_\_  
Totalizer units Acre Feet \_\_\_\_\_ Acre Inches \_\_\_\_\_ Gallons   
Multiplier 0.001 \_\_\_\_\_ 100  1000 \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Model MD308-400  
Water Specialties \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

METER INSTALLATION: Full pipe flow? Yes  
Straightening vanes Yes  No \_\_\_\_\_  
Straight Run (inches) 30 Upstream \_\_\_\_\_ Downstream 12  
Mfg. Seal Yes B No \_\_\_\_\_ ID \_\_\_\_\_  
GMD3 seal Yes  No \_\_\_\_\_ ID 3192  
DWR Chain Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  ID \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks 8" black tube 0506 3 1/8 pipe  
Blue Tube? Yes  
Measurement to meter stem. Must be adjusted for accuracy location.

PUMP INFORMATION: Power E  
Manufacturer \_\_\_\_\_ Model \_\_\_\_\_ SN \_\_\_\_\_  
Horse power \_\_\_\_\_ at 1760 RPM Gear ratio \_\_\_\_\_  
Engine rpm \_\_\_\_\_ Pump rpm \_\_\_\_\_  
Pressure 15 Measured at top of pot

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SPRINKLER INFO: 1/4 m

INSTALLED METER TIME TEST:

Visual Rate 300 gpm

Remarks \_\_\_\_\_

Calculated rate

End Read 240337  
Begin Read 240282  
Difference 55  
Diff. Gal. 5500

End Time 17:08  
Begin Time 0  
Time (min.) \_\_\_\_\_  
Time (.00) 17.13

Installed Meter gpm 321.1

NON-INTRUSIVE FLOWMETER TEST:

Manufacturer FUJI

Model PORTAFLOW

Serial number Q6J4361T

Pipe OD 8.66

Pipe thickness .270

Pipe material Steel

Test location Well

Transducer spacing 6.658

Signal Strength 3

N

Sound Speed 466 ft/s

Velocity 1.7-1.8

Time 15421552 2,866 gallons in 10 minutes

Observed Flow Range 281 - 294

RESULT:

Standard meter rate 286.6 gpm

Installed meter rate 321.1 gpm

Remarks \_\_\_\_\_

Installed gpm - Standard gpm = 34.5 gpm (+ or -) difference

GPM Difference ÷ Standard gpm = calculated % difference

Calculated % difference 12% / 0

GMD3 Seal #: existing

Installed flowmeter gpm - standard flowmeter gpm = difference in gpm (+ or -)  
Difference in gpm divided by standard flowmeter gpm = percentage difference (+ or -)  
If the calculated % difference is a positive number then the meter is registering more than what is actually being pumped.  
If the calculated % difference is a negative number (-) then the meter is registering less than what is actually being pumped.

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Dated at Garden City, Kansas, this 18th day of May, 2016.

Bob Wehkamp P.O.A. (Owner)

(Please Print)

(Owner)

(Please Print)

(Owner)

(Please Print)

(Spouse)

(Please Print)

(Spouse)

(Please Print)

(Spouse)

(Please Print)

State of Kansas } County of Finney } SS

I hereby certify that the foregoing application was signed in my presence and sworn to before me this 18th day of May, 2016.



My Commission Expires

Julie Jones Notary Public

FEE SCHEDULE

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Dated at Sechota, Kansas, this 21<sup>st</sup> day of September, 2016.

Betty Palmer  
(Owner)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Spouse)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Please Print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Please Print)

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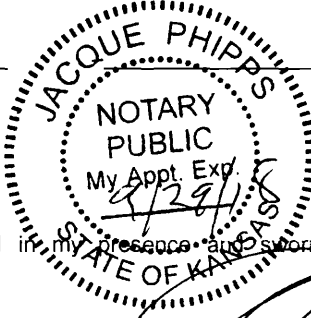
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[Signature]  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires 9/29/18

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Owner Information	Property Address	Property Description	Apr Amount	Prop Class
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<u>035-028-34-0-00-00-001.00-C</u> <b>Quick Ref ID = 295</b> <b>Tax Year = 2016</b> WEHKAMP, KENNETH L & IVY L  Owner Mailing Address: 15907 G RD CIMARRON, KS 67835-9020	00000 CO RD, Ingalls, KS 67853 ACRES=153.1 Neighborhood=009.4	S34, T24, R28W, ACRES 153.1, SW1/4, LESS RD R/W ON W & S SIDES	\$27,460	Agricultural Use
<u>035-028-34-0-00-00-002.00-0</u> <b>Quick Ref ID = 296</b> <b>Tax Year = 2016</b> VOLMERT, BETTY JEAN  Owner Mailing Address: 9115 W MURRAY CT WICHITA, KS 67212- 4156	00000 CO RD, Ingalls, KS 67853 ACRES=157.1 Neighborhood=009.4	S34, T24, R28W, ACRES 157.1, SE1/4, LESS RD R/W ON S & E SIDES	\$76,210	Agricultural Use

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## Krueger, Richelle

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**From:** Meyer, Mike  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 20, 2016 4:44 PM  
**To:** Krueger, Richelle  
**Subject:** RE: Request for Recommendation Change in PD File No. 23099 Robert Wehkamp

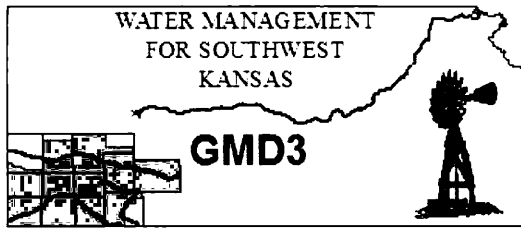
approve

*Mike*

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**From:** Krueger, Richelle  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 20, 2016 4:25 PM  
**To:** Meyer, Mike <Mike.Meyer@ks.gov>  
**Cc:** Makens, Thom <Thom.Makens@ks.gov>  
**Subject:** Request for Recommendation Change in PD File No. 23099 Robert Wehkamp

Hi Mike,  
Attached is a draft memo for the referenced change in pd for an additional well do you recommend approval?  
Thanks,  
Richelle



**Southwest Kansas**  
**Groundwater Management District No. 3**  
2009 E. Spruce Street  
Garden City, Kansas 67846  
(620) 275-7147 phone (620) 275-1431 fax  
www.gmd3.org

October 17, 2016

Richelle A. Krueger  
Kansas Department of Agriculture  
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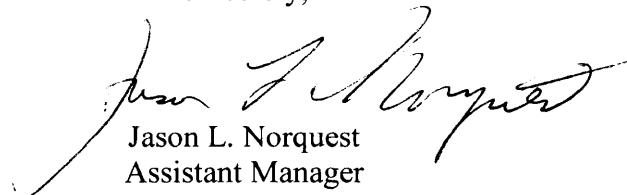
RE: Change Application,  
Water Right, File No. 23,099

Dear Richelle:

We have completed a review of the application for the above referenced water right, which our staff assisted with. The proposal, to move a portion of the authority to another existing well in order to more efficiently manage and maintain the pivot system, is not in conflict with the Management Program of the Southwest Kansas Groundwater Management District No. 3 (GMD3). Spacing between the two wells and to neighboring wells is in accordance with K.A.R. 5-23-3. Criteria for an additional well set forth in K.A.R. 5-5-16 appears to be met as well. It is therefore recommended that the application be approved at this time.

Thank you for the opportunity to review the applications and to provide a recommendation. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,



Jason L. Norquest  
Assistant Manager

1320 Research Park Drive  
Manhattan, Kansas 66502  
(785) 564-6700



900 SW Jackson, Room 456  
Topeka, Kansas 66612  
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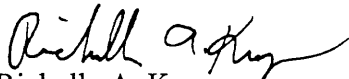
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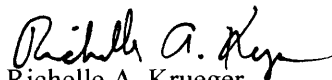
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## Krueger, Richelle

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**From:** Meyer, Mike  
**Sent:** Friday, September 02, 2016 8:01 AM  
**To:** Krueger, Richelle  
**Subject:** RE: Change in PD additional well File No. 23099 Wehkamp

Yes proceed

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**From:** Krueger, Richelle  
**Sent:** Thursday, September 1, 2016 4:20 PM  
**To:** Meyer, Mike <Mike.Meyer@ks.gov>  
**Subject:** FW: Change in PD additional well File No. 23099 Wehkamp

Hiya Mike,  
Just a friendly reminder on this one..☺

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**From:** Krueger, Richelle  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 28, 2016 3:01 PM  
**To:** Meyer, Mike  
**Cc:** Makens, Thom; Turney, Brent  
**Subject:** Change in PD additional well File No. 23099 Wehkamp

Hi Mike,  
Hope all is well in GCFO today! I have begun reviewing the referenced file which is proposing to add a well, specifically the well authorized by File No. 23424. Attached is a copy of the rate test submitted with the application. Are you okay with the test and which rate number should be used?

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Thanks,  
Richelle

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**From:** Meyer, Mike  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 28, 2016 4:02 PM  
**To:** Krueger, Richelle  
**Subject:** RE: Change in PD additional well File No. 23099 Wehkamp

I need to ask GMD3 a few questions on this first....

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**From:** Krueger, Richelle  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 28, 2016 3:01 PM  
**To:** Meyer, Mike <Mike.Meyer@ks.gov>  
**Cc:** Makens, Thom <Thom.Makens@ks.gov>; Turney, Brent <Brent.Turney@ks.gov>  
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KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
Jackie McClaskey, Secretary of Agriculture

DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES  
David W. Barfield, Chief Engineer

**REQUEST TO REDUCE A PORTION OF AN EXISTING WATER RIGHT**  
(NO FEE REQUIRED)

Identify the file which is the subject of this request:

- (CHECK ONE)  Vested Right, File No. \_\_\_\_\_
- Water Right, File No. 23099
- Appropriation of Water, File No. \_\_\_\_\_

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To: CHIEF ENGINEER  
Division of Water Resources  
Kansas Department of Agriculture  
1320 Research Park Drive  
Manhattan, Kansas 66502

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From: (Names and addresses of owners of authorized place of use. Please see instructions on back.)

G M Wehkamp  
598 Planter RD SE  
Leroy, KS 66857  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

REQUEST

The above listed owners request a:

[Complete only the sections that apply. Check only the boxes that apply. Fill in only the blanks that apply.]

A.  REDUCTION IN AUTHORIZED MAXIMUM ANNUAL QUANTITY OF WATER.

It is requested that the maximum annual quantity of water be reduced to <sup>214</sup>~~194~~ between 2 wells \_\_\_\_\_  
(acre-feet or million gallons; circle one) per calendar year.

B.  REDUCTION IN AUTHORIZED MAXIMUM RATE OF DIVERSION OF WATER.

It is requested that the maximum rate of diversion of water be reduced to \_\_\_\_\_ gallons per minute  
(\_\_\_\_\_ c.f.s.).

Assisted by: GMD3/JLN

C.  REDUCTION IN THE SIZE OF THE AUTHORIZED **PLACE OF USE** OF WATER.  
*(A reduction in place of use may result in a reduction of the authorized rate and quantity to reflect reasonable needs.)*

It is requested that the authorized place of use be reduced to:

Owner of Land - NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

IRRIGATION USE

Sec.	Twp.	Range	NE¼				NW¼				SW¼				SE¼				TOTAL ACRES		
			NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼			

OR  
NON IRRIGATION USE

Describe:

(If more space is needed, attach additional sheets as necessary.)

A copy of a topographic map is attached showing the place of use after the requested reduction.

D.  REDUCTION IN THE NUMBER OF **POINTS OF DIVERSION** AUTHORIZED.  
*(A reduction in the point(s) of diversion may result in the reduction of the rate and quantity authorized by the amounts associated with those points of diversion.)*

It is requested that the number of authorized points of diversion be reduced to: \_\_\_\_\_ located as follows:  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (No. of points of diversion) \_\_\_\_\_ (wells, pumps, or other works for diversion of water)

One in the \_\_\_\_\_ quarter of the \_\_\_\_\_ quarter of the \_\_\_\_\_ quarter of Section \_\_\_\_\_, more particularly described as being near a point \_\_\_\_\_ feet North and \_\_\_\_\_ feet West of the Southeast corner of said section, in Township \_\_\_\_\_ South, Range \_\_\_\_\_ East/West (circle one), \_\_\_\_\_ County, Kansas, and

One in the \_\_\_\_\_ quarter of the \_\_\_\_\_ quarter of the \_\_\_\_\_ quarter of Section \_\_\_\_\_, more particularly described as being near a point \_\_\_\_\_ feet North and \_\_\_\_\_ feet West of the Southeast corner of said section, in Township \_\_\_\_\_ South, Range \_\_\_\_\_ East/West (circle one), \_\_\_\_\_ County, Kansas.

(If more space is needed, attach additional sheets as necessary.)

A copy of a topographic map is attached, showing the location of the remaining point(s) of diversion after the requested reduction.

E.  REDUCTION IN THE **TYPES OF BENEFICIAL USE** AUTHORIZED.

It is requested that the types of beneficial use of water be reduced to: \_\_\_\_\_.

I, the undersigned owner of this water right or permit declare that: (1) I am freely and voluntarily choosing to reduce the water right listed; and (2) I am waiving any rights to a hearing or an appeal that I may have had regarding the reduction of the water right listed.

I declare that I am an owner, as identified herein, or that I represent an owner, as identified herein, and am authorized to make this request on his or her behalf.

Dated at Warden City, Kansas, this 18<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2016.  
(City) (Month) (Year)

X Bob Weckamp P.O.A.  
(Owner)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Spouse)

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(Please Print)

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(Owner)

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(Spouse)

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(Please Print)

State of Kansas )  
County of Stinson ) ss

I hereby certify that the foregoing application was signed in my presence and sworn to before me this

18<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2016.  
(Month) (Year)

Julie Jones  
Notary Public

My Commission expires \_\_\_\_\_



WATER RESOURCES  
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## INSTRUCTIONS:

The request must be signed by each owner of the place of use authorized by the water right or permit and his or her spouse, if married. All water right or permit owners, including spouses, must sign this request for it to be valid. Unless the water right or permit has been legally severed from the authorized place of use, the owners of the water right or permit are the owners of the authorized place of use. Please indicate if there is no spouse. If land is being purchased under contract, the seller must sign as owner until such time as the contract is completed.

In the event that all owners cannot sign together in front of one notary public, they may, as necessary, sign appropriate copies of the request in front of any notary public conveniently available to them. All copies signed in this manner shall be accepted as valid parts of the request.

If the request is signed on behalf of any owner by someone with legal authority to do so (for example, an agent, one who has power of attorney, or an executor, executrix, conservator), it will be necessary to attach proper documents showing such authority.



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May 26, 2016

RE: File No. 23099

Dear Sir or Madam:

An application for approval of the Chief Engineer to change the following condition or conditions of the file number referred to above has been received:

- place of use PD
- point of diversion
- use made of water

As a matter of record, the Division of Water Resources has on hand a large number of applications awaiting processing. Therefore to be fair to all concerned, and so that we can process those applications on hand in the order they were received, we intend to concentrate on the backlog of applications until the issue is resolved. You will be contacted regarding this application as soon as it has been examined.

In accordance with the provisions of the Kansas Water Appropriation Act, a portion of which is included below, the use of water prior to approval of the application is unlawful. You should not proceed and divert water as indicated by your plans in your application for a change for this file until you receive approval for this change from the Chief Engineer. Once approved, compliance with the terms, conditions and limitations of the permit is necessary. Conservation of the water resources of Kansas is required.

**Section 82a-728 of the Kansas Water Appropriation Act, provides (a) except for the appropriation of water for the purpose of domestic use, . . . it shall be unlawful for any person to appropriate or threaten to appropriate water from any source without first applying for and obtaining a permit to appropriate water in accordance with the provisions of the Water Appropriation Act or for any person to violate any condition of a vested right, appropriation right or an approved application for a permit to appropriate water for beneficial use.**

**(b) (1) The violation of any provision of this section by any person is a class C misdemeanor...**

**A class C misdemeanor is punishable by a fine not to exceed \$500 and/or a term of confinement not to exceed one month in the county jail. Each day that the violation occurs constitutes a separate offense.**

If you have any questions, please contact me at (785) 564-6645. If you wish to discuss a specific file, please have the file number ready so that we may help you more efficiently.

Sincerely,

Brent A Turney, L.G.  
Change Applications Unit Supervisor  
Water Appropriation Program

BAT: ALH  
pc: GARDEN CITY Field Office GMD 3

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