

# NOTICE

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**50401**

File Number \_\_\_\_\_  
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**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO  
APPROPRIATE WATER FOR BENEFICIAL USE**

Filing Fee Must Accompany the Application  
(Please refer to Fee Schedule attached to this application form.)

To the Chief Engineer of the Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture,  
1320 Research Park Drive, Manhattan, Kansas 66502:

1. Name of Applicant (Please Print): ARDNT & JONES FEEDYARD LLC  
Address: 1207 PRESBY DR

City: EMPORIA State KS Zip Code 66801

Telephone Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

2. The source of water is:  surface water in \_\_\_\_\_ (stream)  
OR  groundwater in WALNUT CREEK (drainage basin)

Certain streams in Kansas have minimum target flows established by law or may be subject to administration when water is released from storage for use by water assurance district members. If your application is subject to these regulations on the date we receive your application, you will be sent the appropriate form to complete and return to the Division of Water Resources. **\*Per reasonable quantity based on rate of diversion in a year, confirmed by applicant on 6/22 email AM/GCFO**

3. The maximum quantity of water desired is ~~45,000,000~~ 39,420,000 acre-feet OR \_\_\_\_\_ gallons per calendar year, to be diverted at a maximum rate of 75 gallons per minute OR \_\_\_\_\_ cubic feet per second.

Once your application has been assigned a priority, the requested maximum rate of diversion and maximum requested quantity of water under that priority number can **NOT** be increased. Please be certain your requested maximum rate of diversion and maximum quantity of water are appropriate and reasonable for your proposed project and are in agreement with the Division of Water Resources' requirements.

4. The water is intended to be appropriated for (Check use intended):  
(a)  Artificial Recharge (b)  Irrigation (c)  Recreational (d)  Water Power  
(e)  Industrial (f)  Municipal (g)  Stockwatering (h)  Sediment Control  
(i)  Domestic (j)  Dewatering (k)  Hydraulic Dredging (l)  Fire Protection  
(m)  Thermal Exchange (n)  Contamination Remediation

YOU **MUST** COMPLETE AND ATTACH ADDITIONAL DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES FORM(S) PROVIDING INFORMATION TO SUBSTANTIATE YOUR REQUEST FOR THE AMOUNT OF WATER FOR THE INTENDED USE REFERENCED ABOVE.

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F.O. Code	<u>4</u>	GMD	<u>RE2</u>	Meets K.A.R. 5-3-1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES / <input type="checkbox"/> NO	Use	<u>STK</u>	Source	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> G / <input type="checkbox"/> S	County	<u>SC</u>	By	<u>BMM</u>	Date	<u>6/15/20</u>
				Fee \$	<u>300.00</u>	TR #		Receipt Date	<u>6/12/2020</u>	Check #	<u>1064</u>				

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5. The location of the proposed wells, pump sites or other works for diversion of water is:

**Note:** For the application to be accepted, the point of diversion location must be described to at least a 10 acre tract, unless you specifically request a 60 day period of time in which to locate the site within a specifically described, minimal legal quarter section of land.

(A) One in the NW quarter of the NE quarter of the SE quarter of Section 30, more particularly described as being near a point 2594 feet North and 853 feet West of the Southeast corner of said section, in Township 18 South, Range 31 West, SCOTT County, Kansas.

(B) 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.

(C) 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.

(D) 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 the source of supply is groundwater, a separate application shall be filed for each proposed well or battery of wells, except that a single application may include up to four wells within a circle with a quarter (1/4) mile radius in the same local source of supply which do not exceed a maximum diversion rate of 20 gallons per minute per well.

A battery of wells is defined as two or more wells connected to a common pump by a manifold; or not more than four wells in the same local source of supply within a 300 foot radius circle which are being operated by pumps not to exceed a total maximum diversion rate of 800 gallons per minute and which supply water to a common distribution system.

6. The owner of the point of diversion, if other than the applicant is (please print):

ARDNT & JONES FEEDYARD LLC 1207 PRESBY DR EMPORIA KS 66801  
(name, address and telephone number)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(name, address and telephone number)

You must provide evidence of legal access to, or control of, the point of diversion from the landowner or the landowner's authorized representative. Provide a copy of a recorded deed, lease, easement or other document with this application. In lieu thereof, you may sign the following sworn statement:

I have legal access to, or control of, the point of diversion described in this application from the landowner or the landowner's authorized representative. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on 6-3, 2020.

Steven Smith  
Applicant's Signature

The applicant must provide the required information or signature irrespective of whether they are the landowner. Failure to complete this portion of the application will cause it to be unacceptable for filing and the application will be returned to the applicant.

7. The proposed project for diversion of water will consist of 1 (ONE) WELL  
(number of wells, pumps or dams, etc.)

and (was)(will be) completed (by) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Month/Day/Year - each was or will be completed)

8. The first actual application of water for the proposed beneficial use was or is estimated to be \_\_\_\_\_  
(Mo/Day/Year)

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- 9. Will pesticide, fertilizer, or other foreign substance be injected into the water pumped from the diversion works?  
 Yes    No   If "yes", a check valve shall be required.

All chemigation safety requirements must be met including a chemigation permit and reporting requirements.

- 10. If you are planning to impound water, please contact the Division of Water Resources for assistance, prior to submitting the application. Please attach a reservoir area capacity table and inform us of the total acres of surface drainage area above the reservoir.

Have you also made an application for a permit for construction of this dam and reservoir with the Division of Water Resources?    Yes    No

- If yes, show the Water Structures permit number here \_\_\_\_\_
- If no, explain here why a Water Structures permit is not required N/A

- 11. The application must be supplemented by a U.S.G.S. topographic map, aerial photograph or a detailed plat showing the following information. On the topographic map, aerial photograph, or plat, identify the center of the section, the section lines or the section corners and show the appropriate section, township and range numbers. Also, please show the following information:

- (a) The location of the proposed point(s) of diversion (wells, stream-bank installations, dams, or other diversion works) should be plotted as described in Paragraph No. 5 of the application, showing the North-South distance and the East-West distance from a section line or southeast corner of section.
- (b) If the application is for groundwater, please show the location of any existing water wells of any kind within 1/2 mile of the proposed well or wells. Identify each existing well as to its use and furnish the name and mailing address of the property owner or owners. If there are no wells within 1/2 mile, please advise us.
- (c) If the application is for surface water, the names and addresses of the landowner(s) 1/2 mile downstream and 1/2 mile upstream from your property lines must be shown.
- (d) The location of the proposed place of use should be shown by crosshatching on the topographic map, aerial photograph or plat.
- (e) Show the location of the pipelines, canals, reservoirs or other facilities for conveying water from the point of diversion to the place of use.

A 7.5 minute U.S.G.S. topographic map may be obtained by providing the section, township and range numbers to: Kansas Geological Survey, 1930 Constant, Campus West, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas 66047.

- 12. List any application, appropriation of water, water right, or vested right file number that covers the same diversion points or any of the same place of use described in this application. Also list any other recent modifications made to existing permits or water rights in conjunction with the filing of this application.

WATER RIGHT FILE NO. 42595

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13. Furnish the following well information if the proposed appropriation is for the use of groundwater. If the well has not been completed, give information obtained from test holes, if available.

Information below is from:  Test holes  Well as completed  Drillers log attached

Well location as shown in paragraph No.	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
Date Drilled	_____	_____	_____	_____
Total depth of well	_____	_____	_____	_____
Depth to water bearing formation	_____	_____	_____	_____
Depth to static water level	_____	_____	_____	_____
Depth to bottom of pump intake pipe	_____	_____	_____	_____

14. The relationship of the applicant to the proposed place where the water will be used is that of OWNER  
(owner, tenant, agent or otherwise)

15. The owner(s) of the property where the water is used, if other than the applicant, is (please print):  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(name, address and telephone number)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(name, address and telephone number)

16. The undersigned states that the information set forth above is true to the best of his/her knowledge and that this application is submitted in good faith.

Dated at Emporia, KS, Kansas, this 3rd day of June, 2020.  
(month) (year)

Steven Amelt  
(Applicant Signature)

By \_\_\_\_\_  
(Agent or Officer Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Agent or Officer - Please Print)

Assisted by AM \_\_\_\_\_ GCFO \_\_\_\_\_ Date: 5/21/2020  
(office/title)

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## FEE SCHEDULE

1. The fee for an application for a permit to appropriate water for beneficial use, except for domestic use, shall be (see paragraph No. 2 below if requesting storage):

ACRE-FEET	FEE
0-100	\$200.00
101-320	\$300.00
More than 320	\$300.00 plus \$20.00 for each additional 100 acre-feet or any part thereof.

2. The fee for an application in which storage is requested, except for domestic use, shall be:

ACRE-FEET	FEE
0-250	\$200.00
More than 250	\$200.00 plus \$20.00 for each additional 250 acre-feet of storage or any part thereof.

Note: If an application requests both direct use *and* storage, the fee charged shall be as determined under No. 1 or No. 2 above, whichever is greater, but not both fees.

3. The fee for an application for a permit to appropriate water for water power or dewatering purposes shall be \$100.00 plus \$200.00 for each 100 cubic feet per second, or part thereof, of the diversion rate requested.

Note: The applicant shall notify the Chief Engineer and pay the statutorily required field inspection fee of \$400.00 when construction of the works for diversion has been completed, except that for applications filed on or after July 1, 2009, for works constructed for sediment control use and for evaporation from a groundwater pit for industrial use shall be accompanied by a field inspection fee of \$200.00.

### MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO THE KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

#### ATTENTION

A Water Conservation Plan may be required per K.S.A. 82a-733. A statement that your application for permit to appropriate water may be subject to the minimum desirable streamflow requirements per K.S.A. 82a-703a, b, and c may also be required from you. After the Division of Water Resources has had the opportunity to review your application, you will be notified whether or not you will need to submit a Water Conservation Plan. You also may be required to install a water flow meter or water stage measuring device on your diversion works prior to diverting water. There may be other special conditions or Groundwater Management District regulations that you will need to comply with if this application is approved.

#### CONVERSION FACTORS

1 acre-foot equals 325,851 gallons

1 million gallons equal 3.07 acre-feet

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**From:** Scott Murrison  
**Sent:** Thu 5/21/2020 9:31 PM  
**To:** Meyer, Mike [KDA]  
**Cc:** McColloch, Austin [KDA]  
**Subject:** RE: arndt

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Mike

The current permitted capacity is 7,837 (4837 head over 700 lbs and 3000 head under 700 lbs). This comes out to 42,907,575 gallons per year total at 15 gal/hd/day. I am out of town until Sunday. I will fill out the supplemental form when I get back, but I don't know their current or historical water use. I just started working with this yard a few months ago. I might have some water use through last month, but that is all I will have.

**Scott A. Murrison**  
**Murrison Environmental, Inc.**  
**Cell Phone 620 260 6682**

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**From:** Meyer, Mike [KDA] [mailto:Mike.Meyer@ks.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 21, 2020 5:10 PM  
**To:** Scott Murrison <scott@murrisonenvironmental.com>  
**Cc:** McColloch, Austin [KDA] <Austin.McColloch@ks.gov>  
**Subject:** arndt

scott

sorry did not get you called back today on arndt feedlot.

Austin has an application ready to send to you for a new water right on that north well. we will need a proposed max flow number and a max quantity needed for the applicaton for file.

attached is a supplement sheet also to help project needs for this new wells and facility as a whole.

what the max water needs based on the KDHE permit at 15 gallons per head per day?

we will get you this application Friday or for sure Tuesday when Austin and I are available

thanks

also, they will need to dismiss the current application, or we can just amend the application to go from 2 wells to one well. fyi

Mike

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**STOCKWATER USE  
SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET**

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File No. \_\_\_\_\_

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Name of Applicant (Please Print): Arndt and Jones Feedyard, LLC

1. Please indicate type of livestock (cattle, hogs, etc.): beef cattle

2. Please complete the following table showing past and present water requirements:

**PAST NUMBER OF HEAD AND WATER DIVERTED, IF APPLICABLE**

LAST 5 YEARS	NUMBER OF HEAD	WATER DIVERTED (GALLONS)	GALLONS PER HEAD PER DAY
5 years ago	unknown		
Last year	4194	15	22,962,150
Present Year	4038	15	7,328,970

3. Please complete the following table showing estimated future water requirements:

**ESTIMATED FUTURE NUMBER OF HEAD AND WATER DIVERTED**

NEXT 5 YEARS	NUMBER OF HEAD	WATER TO BE DIVERTED (GALLONS)	GALLONS PER HEAD PER DAY
Year 1	8000	43,800,000	15
Year 2	8000	43,800,000	15
Year 3	8000	43,800,000	15
Year 4	8000	43,800,000	15
Year 5	8000	43,800,000	15

Please attach any additional information, tables, or curves showing past, present and estimated future water requirements to substantiate the amount of water requested.

4. Please designate the legal description of the location where the water is to be used. Show in the space provided below the Section (S), Township (T), and Range (R), and the number of acres in each forty acre tract or fractional portion thereof.

S	T	R	NE¼				NW¼				SW¼				SE¼				TOTAL					
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE						
30	18S	31W	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	10	10	10	50

5. Show quantities of water used and all associated water uses at the feedlot such as water used in feed mills, cooling of animals, washing, flushing of wastes, etc.:

**DRINKING**

8000 head of beef cattle x 15 gallons/head (avg.) x 365 days = 43,800,000 gallons

\_\_\_\_\_ head of \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ gallons/head (avg.) x \_\_\_\_\_ days = \_\_\_\_\_ gallons

\_\_\_\_\_ head of \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ gallons/head (avg.) x \_\_\_\_\_ days = \_\_\_\_\_ gallons

**COOLING**

\_\_\_\_\_ gallons/hour x \_\_\_\_\_ hour/day x \_\_\_\_\_ days = \_\_\_\_\_ gallons

**SANITATION**

50 g.p.m. x 60 min/hr x 7 hr/wk x 52 wks/yr = 1,092,000 gallons

**OTHER USE** (Explain) \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_ gallons

**TOTAL** ----- 44,892,000 gallons

6. Show location of present and future location of confinement pens on your attached maps or photographs.

7. Total feed bunk space for cattle or livestock is 4090 linear feet.

8. Total size of stock pens for confinement area of cattle, hogs, etc. is 976,950 square feet.

You may attach any additional information you believe will assist in informing the Division of Water Resources of the need for your request.

**DATA ENTRY SYSTEM ID NUMBER SHEET**

FILE NUMBER 50401

APPLICANT PERSON ID & SEQ #	88243	PDIV ID	BATTERY ID
<u>66124</u>			

LANDOWNER PERSON ID & SEQ #	50129	PUSE ID
<u>66124</u>		

WATER USE CORRESPONDENT PERSON ID & SEQ #
<u>66124</u>