#### Kansas Department of Agriculture Division of Water Resources CLOSURE NEW APPLICATION WORKSHEET

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# MEMORANDUM TO FILE

Division of Water Resources, Water Appropriation Program

Date: April 19, 2024 From: Colin Barclay, Environmental Scientist Re: New Application File No. 50,920 – Justin Noland

#### Summary

Justin Noland filed the above referenced application to appropriate an additional 42 acre-feet of groundwater for a new combined authorized quantity of 195 acre-feet limited by file no. 34,887 at a rate of 900 gallons per minute. The overlapping point of diversion would be an existing well located near Conway Springs Kansas in the Chikaskia River basin in Sedgwick County, Kansas. The applicant signed the application form affirming legal access to the point of diversion. The proposed place of use is 150 acres of farm ground with a complete place of use overlap with file no. 34,887. The application exists within Designated Unit Area 31 otherwise known as Ark 31.

### Source of Supply and Safe Yield

Per the requirements in K.A.R. 5-3-11(4) South-Central Kansas Designated Unit Areas, evaluation of the area of consideration was determined to fall within Designated Unit Area 31 or Ark 31 which has been fully appropriated. Ark 31 is closed to further appropriations; therefore, **the above referenced application fails to meet safe yield**. However, there is area within the applicant's property that is outside of the Designated Unit Area. A safe yield calculation was made for this area of ground outside of the DUA. Per the requirements in K.A.R. 5-3-11, safe yield is determined by the extent of the unconfined aquifer within a two-mile circle radius of the point of diversion, which establishes the area of consideration. Evaluation of the area of consideration included the extent of the unconfined aquifer, which provided an area of consideration of 6,769 acres. With a potential annual recharge of 2.2 inches, and 50% of recharge available for appropriation, safe yield was determined to be 620.50 acre-feet. Existing water rights have appropriated 1,640.50 acre-feet, providing a difference of -1,020 acre-feet available for appropriation. **The application fails safe yield for an additional 42 acre-feet outside of the Designated Unit Area.** 

#### Recommendations

A letter was mailed to the applicant on March 21, 2024, informing them that they failed to meet safe yield. On April 2, 2024, the applicant reached out to Kris Neuhauser inquiring about the safe yield letter. After a brief discussion about the steps taken to evaluate safe yield and what a closed DUA is, the applicant was given John Munsons contact information in case they wanted to learn more about the process of DUA's and how they are determined to be closed. For the reason of failure to meet safe yield requirements as set forth in K.A.R. 5-3-11, I recommend that application 50920 be dismissed.

Colin Borchary

Colin Barclay Environmental Scientist Water Appropriation Program

From:	Barclay, Colin [KDA]
Sent:	Thu 5/2/2024 10:07 AM
То:	Kopp, Kenneth [KDA]
Subject:	Fw: File No 50920

From: Neuhauser, Kris [KDA] <Kris.Neuhauser@ks.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 9:46 AM
To: Baum, Kristen [KDA] <Kristen.Baum@ks.gov>; Barclay, Colin [KDA] <Colin.Barclay@ks.gov>
Subject: FW: File No 50920

Few more questions from Justin. Is it worth deep diving into these?

From: Justin Noland <jjnoland1@gmail.com> Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 9:22 AM To: Neuhauser, Kris [KDA] <Kris.Neuhauser@ks.gov> Subject: Re: File No 50920

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Well, that's not ideal. Couple questions:

Are there any wells in the area currently being perfected that might allow some additional water if not fully perfected to their maximum amount at the end of their perfection period?

Is there any way to be able to use "unclaimed" water from the area i.e. if actual reported use for wells within the area falls below the allocated maximum?

Is there anything else I'm missing that could affect the outcome of this application?

As you can tell this is of the utmost importance, so I am just attempting to make sure no stone is left unturned. I appreciate your patience as I am learning this process as we go.

Thanks, Justin

On Tue, Apr 30, 2024 at 8:32 AM Neuhauser, Kris [KDA] <<u>Kris.Neuhauser@ks.gov</u>> wrote:

Morning Justin,

Just wanted to follow up with you. Colin, who is working the app, worked with John Munson after your phone conversation with him. He tried to pinpoint a spot that would fall outside the DUA, and also pass our safe yield. No dice. There's just nowhere we can put a well that would pass safe yield.

So sorry to start the day with bad news. Just wanted to inform you before Colin pressed along with a denial.

*Kris Neuhauser* New Applications Lead Kansas Department of Agriculture, Division of Water Resources Phone: 785-564-6643

From: Justin Noland <jinoland1@gmail.com Sent: Tuesday, April 16, 2024 9:58 AM To: Neuhauser, Kris [KDA] <<u>Kris.Neuhauser@ks.gov</u>> Cc: Barclay, Colin [KDA] <<u>Colin.Barclay@ks.gov</u>> Subject: Re: File No 50920

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Ok I'll call him directly sometime today to visit a out it. Thx.

On Tue, Apr 16, 2024, 9:48 AM Neuhauser, Kris [KDA] <<u>Kris.Neuhauser@ks.gov</u>> wrote:

Hey Justin,

I talked with John directly, there is no possible way we can get 50920 approved since it's in a closed DUA now unfortunately. Sometimes there are circumstances where we can approve an application with a waiver of a rule/regulation. This is not one of those times.

#### Kris Neuhauser

New Applications Lead Kansas Department of Agriculture, Division of Water Resources Phone: 785-564-6643

From: Neuhauser, Kris [KDA] Sent: Wednesday, April 10, 2024 10:37 AM To: Justin Noland <<u>jjnoland1@gmail.com</u>> Subject: RE: File No 50920

Justin,

I passed our email string along to John and my supervisor. Since it is a closed DUA, I'm not sure how much we can do to get an approval recommendation. However, here is John's contact information if you'd like to speak with him further:

<u>John.Munson@ks.gov</u> 785-564-6675

*Kris Neuhauser* New Applications Lead Kansas Department of Agriculture, Division of Water Resources Phone: 785-564-6643

From: Justin Noland <jjnoland1@gmail.com Sent: Friday, April 5, 2024 10:11 AM To: Neuhauser, Kris [KDA] <<u>Kris.Neuhauser@ks.gov</u>> Subject: Re: File No 50920

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Yes, I definitely want to explore all options. That is one of my better wells, even through the last 2 years, it hasn't dropped at all and that amount of allocation is not economically viable. I am open to any all options. I will hire someone to produce a hydrologic report or whatever we can do there. Over the last 2 years that extra 40 acre feet has been very significant. I am on the 5-year flex plan. And I think could demonstrate that using a more typical allocation didn't affect anything.

On Fri, Apr 5, 2024, 9:08 AM Neuhauser, Kris [KDA] <<u>Kris.Neuhauser@ks.gov</u>> wrote:

Hi Justin,

I was out of the office part of last week; apologize for getting back late. We have a couple new hires here we've been training. They've hit the ground running, working new applications. However, any letter they send has my signature block on it. So I've been talking with a ton of people lately. Colin Barclay is working 50920, so I went ahead and checked with him to see why you received the denial letter. It looks like your application is located in a designated use area that is now fully appropriated. No water is available, so the area is now closed.

If you'd like some more detail on how designated use areas work, John Munson is a coworker of mine that handles them. I can provide his contact info if you'd like, just let me know. Thank you!

*Kris Neuhauser* New Applications Lead Kansas Department of Agriculture, Division of Water Resources Phone: 785-564-6643

From: Justin Noland <<u>jinoland1@gmail.com</u>> Sent: Tuesday, April 2, 2024 9:42 AM To: Neuhauser, Kris [KDA] <<u>Kris.Neuhauser@ks.gov</u>> Subject: File No 50920

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Kris,

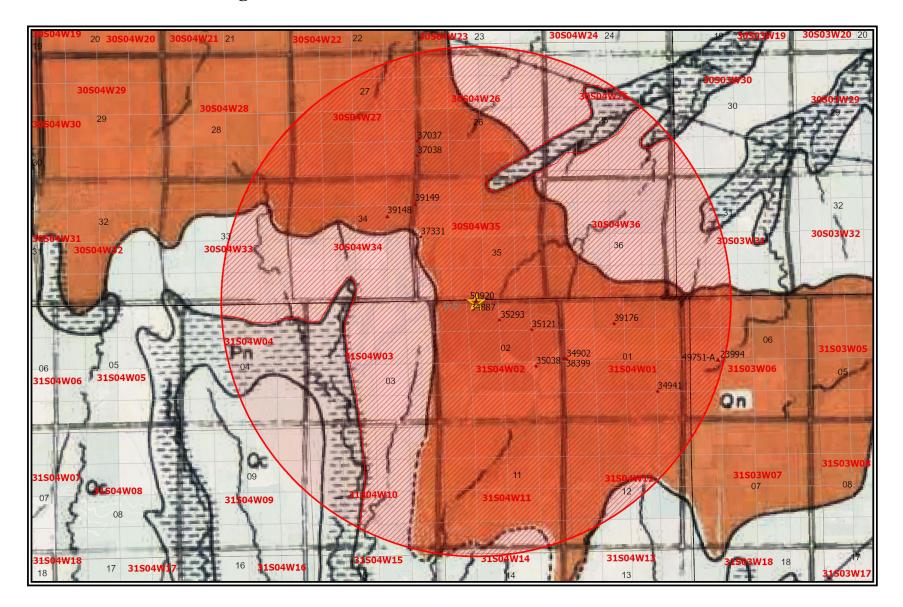
I would like to discuss this file with you before you close it to see what options there are. I left you a message last week upon receiving the letter but haven't heard from you. Please give me a call or respond to this email so I know you've received it and won't close the file until we can discuss it.

Thanks,

Justin Noland 316-617-2405

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			161	7/26/2021	50,619	Open
			117	8/26/2021	50,620	Open
			81	7/26/2021	50,621	Open
			224	10/24/2022	50,896	Open
			169	4/24/2023	51,020	Open
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			210	11/18/2022	50,913	
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NIN 30	3/1/2024	2538	224	4/11/22	50,760	Open
			224	9/1/22	50,852	Open
ARK 31	3/1/2024	-345	195	12/1/2022	50,920	Closed
CIM 75	3/1/2024	3515	256	8/1/2022	50,837	Open
			63	6/5/2023	51,050	Open

# Safe Yield Report Sheet Water Right- A5092000 Point of Diversion in 02-31S-04W Footages from SE corner- 5,120 feet North 3,820 feet West



# **Analysis Results**

The selected PD is in an area OPEN to new appropriations. The safe yield based on the variables listed below is 1,351.24 AF. Total prior appropriations in the circle is 1,389.50 AF. Total quantity of water available for appropriation is 0.00 AF.

# Safe Yield Variables

The area used for the analysis is set at 7,050 acres. The potential annual recharge at the circle center is estimated to be 2.3 inches. The percent of recharge available for appropriation is 100%.

Authorized Quantity values are as of 01-MAY-2024 and are based on Appropriated and Vested ground water right and possible stream nodes for GMD #2. Domestic, Term and Temporary water rights have been excluded.

There are 16 water rights and 14 points of diversion within the circle.

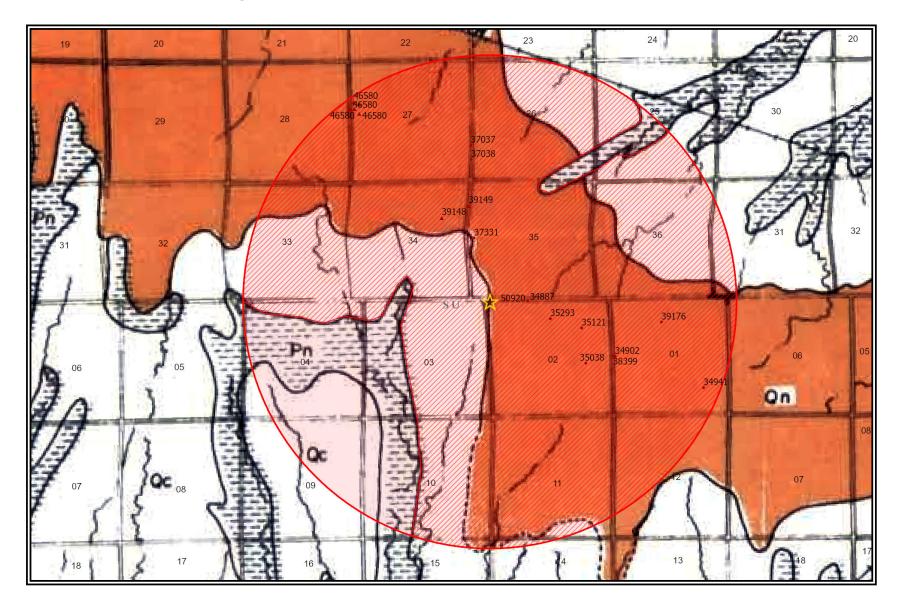
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A 35293 00	1 REFER TO PAR. 13 & 14 IN APP.
A 39148 00	2 93.418MGY COM/W #8670, 23,994, & 36,964
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A 49751 A	1 19.503 MGY @ 175 GPM COM/W #23994 (ID 3)
Same	2 93.418 MGY COM/W #8670, #23994, #36964, #39148 & #39149

Safe Yield Report Sheet Water Right- Proposed Point of Diversion Point of Diversion in 02-31S-4W Footages from SE corner- 5,095 feet North 5,472 feet West



# **Analysis Results**

The selected PD is in an area OPEN to new appropriations. The safe yield based on the variables listed below is 620.50 AF. Total prior appropriations in the circle is 1,640.50 AF. Total quantity of water available for appropriation is 0.00 AF.

# Safe Yield Variables

The area used for the analysis is set at 6,769 acres. The potential annual recharge at the circle center is estimated to be 2.2 inches. The percent of recharge available for appropriation is 50%.

Authorized Quantity values are as of 18-APR-2024 and are based on Appropriated and Vested ground water right and possible stream nodes for GMD #2. Domestic, Term and Temporary water rights have been excluded.

There are 15 water rights and 18 points of diversion within the circle.

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A 37331 00	IRR NK G	NW NW SW	2597	5264	35	30 04W	1	WR	173.00	173.00	134.00	134.00
A 38399 00	IRR NK G	SW SW NW	2960	5250	01	31 04W	3	WR	7.50	7.50	12.00	5.00
A 39148 00	MUN NK G	NE SW NE	3535	1340	34	30 04W	7	WR	100.02	0.00		
A 39149 00	MUN NK G	SE NE NE	4015	135	34	30 04W	9	WR	100.02	0.00		
A 39176 00	IRR NK G	SE NE NW	4140	3070	01	31 04W	4	WR	9.00	9.00	79.00	79.00
A 46580 00	MUN LO G	SW SW NW	2940	5180	27	30 04W	2	WR	306.00	306.00		
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KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE Mike Beam, Secretary of Agriculture DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES Earl D. Lewis Jr., Chief Engineer

### FINDINGS AND ORDER IN THE MATTER OF THE DISMISSAL OF APPLICATION TO APPROPRIATE WATER FILE NO. 50,920

After due consideration, the Chief Engineer, Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture (hereinafter referred to as the "Chief Engineer"), makes the following findings and order:

#### **FINDINGS**

- 1. That on December 1, 2022, the Chief Engineer received an application from Justin Noland, for a permit to appropriate groundwater for beneficial use, assigned File No. 50,920, proposing the appropriation of 195 acre-feet of water, at a maximum requested diversion rate of 900 gallons per minute, for irrigation use, from one (1) well located in the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼ NE¼ NW¼) of Section 2, Township 31 South, Range 4 West, Sumner County, Kansas.
- 2. That the Kansas Water Appropriation Act, in K.S.A. 82a-711, requires the Chief Engineer to consider whether a proposed use will prejudicially and unreasonably affect the public interest, and shall take into consideration established minimum desirable streamflow requirements, the area, safe yield, and recharge rate of the appropriate water supply, the priority of existing claims of all persons to use the water of the appropriate water supply, the amount of each claim to use water from the appropriate water supply, and all other matters pertaining to such question.
- 3. That K.A.R. 5-3-9 states that it shall be considered to be in the public interest that only the safe yield of any source of water supply, including hydraulically connected sources of water supply, shall be appropriated, and K.A.R. 5-3-10 and K.A.R. 5-3-11 set forth the methodology for determining safe yield.
- 4. That K.A.R. 5-1-1(vvv) defines "safe yield" as the long-term sustainable yield of the source of supply, including hydraulically connected surface water or groundwater.
- 5. That on March 21, 2024, a letter was mailed to the applicant, stating that the application failed to comply with the safe yield requirements, that the application would be submitted to the Chief Engineer with a recommendation for denial, and that the applicant had an opportunity to submit additional information to be considered, which must be submitted by April 5, 2024, or within any authorized extension of time.

- 6. That on or about April 5, 2024, the applicant contacted the office of the Chief Engineer to request that the application be held to explore options that could bring the application into compliance with the safe yield requirements, that the application was held for an additional period of time to evaluate potential options, but that no location could be found on the applicant's land described in the application that would comply with the statutory and regulatory requirements stated in these findings.
- 7. That the applicant shall bear the burden of proving by a preponderance of the evidence that the application should be approved, but no information has been submitted to show that the application meets the statutory and regulatory requirements, or that the application could be modified in such a way to do so.
- 8. That Application, File No. 50,920, should be denied and dismissed and its priority forfeited as provided by K.S.A. 82a-711, K.A.R. 5-3-9, K.A.R. 5-3-10 and K.A.R. 5-3-11.

#### ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, It is the decision and order of the Chief Engineer, Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture, that effective the date of this order, in accordance with the law, Application, File No. 50,920, is herewith dismissed and the priority assigned to it is considered to be forfeited.

It is so ordered this 2 day of Mary

, 2024, in Manhattan, Riley County, Kansas.

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

State of Kansas ) SS

County of Riley )

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 2 day of May , 2024, by Lane P. Letourneau, P.G., Water Appropriation Program Manager, Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture.

Notary Public



Mike Beam, Secretary



900 SW Jackson, Room 456 Topeka, KS 66612 785-296-3556

Laura Kelly, Governor

May 14, 2024

JUSTIN NOLAND 12728 W 95TH ST SOUTH CLEARWATER KS 67026-9018

> Re: Dismissal of Application File No. 50.920

Dear Mr. Noland:

Enclosed is a Findings and Order by the Chief Engineer, Division of Water Resources, Kansas Department of Agriculture, dismissing the above referenced application to appropriate water for failure to meet safe yield, as originally described in our letter to you, dated March 21, 2024.

We evaluated the information contained in your electronic correspondence dated April 5, 2024, and April 30, 2024, but we found no further modifications that could be made to the present application that would cause it to meet our statutory and regulatory requirements.

Please feel free to contact this office should you have any questions. If you wish to discuss a specific file, please have the file number ready so that we may help you more efficiently.

Sincerely,

Kristen A. Baum New Application Unit Supervisor Water Appropriation Program

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### **RIGHT TO A HEARING AND TO ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW**

If you are aggrieved by this Order, then pursuant to K.S.A. 82a-1901, you may request an evidentiary hearing before the Chief Engineer, or request administrative review by the Secretary of Agriculture. Failure to request an evidentiary hearing before the Chief Engineer does not preclude your right to administrative review by the Secretary.

To obtain an evidentiary hearing before the Chief Engineer, a written request for hearing must be filed within 15 days after service of this Order as provided in K.S.A. 77-531 (i.e., within a total of 18 days after this Order was mailed to you), with: Kansas Department of Agriculture, Attn: Legal Division, 1320 Research Park Drive, Manhattan, Kansas 66502, FAX (785) 564-6777.

If you do not file a request for an evidentiary hearing before the Chief Engineer, you may petition for administrative review of the Order by the Secretary of Agriculture. A petition for review shall be in writing and state the basis for requesting administrative review. The request for review may be denied if the request fails to clearly establish factual or legal issues for review. See K.S.A. 77-527. The petition must be filed within 30 days after service of this Order as provided in K.S.A. 77-531 (i.e., within a total of 33 days after this Order was mailed to you), and be filed with: Secretary of Agriculture, Attn: Legal Division, Kansas Department of Agriculture, 1320 Research Park Drive, Manhattan, Kansas 66502, FAX (785) 564-6777.

If neither a request for an evidentiary hearing nor a petition for administrative review is filed as set forth above, then this Order shall be effective and become a final agency action as defined in K.S.A. 77-607(b). Failure to timely request either an evidentiary hearing or administrative review may preclude further judicial review under the Kansas Judicial Review Act.

### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

On this 19 day of May Application, File No. 50,920 dated class, U.S. mail to the following:

JUSTIN NOLAND 12728 W 95TH ST SOUTH CLEARWATER KS 67026-9018

With photocopies to:

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, 2024, I hereby certify that the foregoing Dismissal of , 2024, was mailed postage prepaid, first

Division of Water Resources