

STATE OF NEBRASKA

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

ORDER OF CANCELLATION IN PART OF WATER APPROPRIATION A-18865

WATER DIVISION 1-D

BACKGROUND

1. Records on file in the Department of Natural Resources (Department) show that surface water appropriation A-18865 is held by Thomas M. and Pamela J. Russell.
2. Appropriation A-18865, with a priority date of January 13, 2012, authorizes the use of water for irrigation of the 33.9 acres of land described below. The water may be diverted from the West Fork of the Big Blue River at a point of diversion located in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 25, Township 8 North, Range 9 West of the 6th P.M. in Adams County. Water diverted shall not exceed the ratio of one cubic foot per second (cfs) for every 70 acres irrigated at a maximum rate of 0.48 cfs.

Township 8 North, Range 9 West of the
6th P.M. in Adams County Acres

Section 25: SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 33.9

3. The approval of appropriation A-18865 was conditional upon the irrigation of the above lands by September 1, 2014.
4. Department personnel performed a field investigation and determined a portion of the land approved for irrigation under appropriation A-18865 had not been irrigated by September 1, 2014.
5. *Nebraska Revised Statutes* § 46-229.02(7) provides for the cancellation of unused portions of surface water appropriations.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. Part of appropriation A-18865 at the rate of 0.03 cfs for use upon the land described below is CANCELLED.

Township 8 North, Range 9 West of the
6th P.M. in Adams County Acres

Section 25: SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 2.1

If you are not able to divert sufficient amounts of water, and there are junior appropriations upstream, you may call for water by contacting your local field office.

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June 18, 2015



James C. Schneider, Ph.D.
Acting Director

A copy of this Order was posted on the Department's website. Copies of this Order and maps number 19260 were provided to the Department's field office in Lincoln, Nebraska. Copies of the field investigation, this Order and map number 19260 were mailed on June 18, 2015, to the following:

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