

STATE OF NEBRASKA  
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

ORDER OF CANCELLATION IN FULL OF WATER APPROPRIATION A-18874

WATER DIVISION 1-C

BACKGROUND

1. Records on file in the Department of Natural Resources (Department) show that surface water appropriation A-18874 is held by Don A. and Kathleen M. Holmes.
2. Appropriation A-18874, with a priority date of February 15, 2012, authorizes the use of water for irrigation of the 37.9 acres of land described below. The water may be diverted from the Little Blue River at points of diversion located in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  and the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 19, Township 3 North, Range 4 West of the 6<sup>th</sup> P.M. in Thayer County. Water diverted shall not exceed the ratio of one cubic foot per second (cfs) for every 70 acres irrigated at a maximum combined rate of 0.54 cfs from all points of diversion.

<u>Township 3 North, Range 4 West of the</u>		
<u>6<sup>th</sup> P.M. in Thayer County</u>		<u>Acres</u>
Section 19:	SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	14.0
	SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	<u>23.9</u>
	TOTAL	37.9

3. The approval of appropriation A-18874 was conditional upon the irrigation of the above land by September 1, 2014.
4. Department personnel performed a field investigation and determined the land approved for irrigation under appropriation A-18874 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 appropriation A-18874 is CANCELLED.

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

February 10, 2015

  
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James C. Schneider, Ph.D.  
Acting Director

A copy of this Order was posted on the Department's website. A copy of this Order was provided to the Department's field office in Lincoln, Nebraska. Copies of this Order and field investigation report were mailed on February 10, 2015, to the following:

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