STATE OF NEBRASKA

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME TO COMPLETE CONSTRUCTION OF PLAN NUMBER P-21143

BACKGROUND

- 1. On January 26, 2023, Eric Behlke, on behalf of Blackshirt Feeders LP filed in the Department of Natural Resources (Department) an Application for Approval of Plans for Dams, plan P-21143, and associated specifications.
- 2. The plan, P-21143, is for the construction of Blackshirt Lagoon 3 Dam, a proposed livestock waste control dam subject to the *Safety of Dams and Reservoirs Act*. The dam will be located in the Southeast 1/4 of Section 26, Township 2 North, Range 42 West of the 6th P.M. in Dundy County.
- 3. Blackshirt Feeders LP, 33668 Road 710, Benkelman, Nebraska 69021, owns the proposed dam.
- 4. On March 6, 2023, plan P-21143 was approved with the condition that construction be completed by November 1, 2024.
- 5. On November 1, 2024, Matthew D. Goeller, P.E. of Settje Agri-Services and Engineering Inc. filed on behalf of Blackshirt Feeders LP a request to extend the construction deadline for plan P-21143 to November 1, 2026.

ORDER

It is therefore ORDERED:

- 1. The request for extension of time to complete construction of plan P- 21143 is hereby APPROVED.
- 2. The date by which construction of plan P-21143 shall be completed is extended to November 1, 2026.
- 3. All limitations and other conditions in the March 6, 2023, order approving plan P-21143 remain in effect.
- 4. Upon completion of construction, the owner shall file with the Department the enclosed "Construction Certification Form for Dams".

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November 7, 2024

Jesse Bradley, P.G., Interim Director

A copy of this order was posted on the Department's website. Copies of this order and a "Construction Certification Form for Dams" were mailed on November 7, 2024, to Blackshirt Feeders LP, c/o Eric Behlke, 33668 Road 710, Benkelman, Nebraska 69021; and to Matthew D. Goeller, P.E., Settje Agri-Services and Engineering, 15460 Northwest 48th Street, Raymond, Nebraska 68428. Copies of this order were provided to the Department's field office in Cambridge, Nebraska; the Upper Republican Natural Resources District, 511 East 5th Street, Imperial, Nebraska 69033; and to Patrick Ducey, Nebraska Department of Environment and Energy, INTERAGENCY, 245 Fallbrook Boulevard, Suite 100, Lincoln, Nebraska 68521.