

STATE OF NEBRASKA
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

ORDER OF CANCELLATION IN FULL OF WATER APPROPRIATION A-10825

WATER DIVISION 1-D

BACKGROUND

1. Records on file in the Department of Natural Resources (Department) show that surface water appropriation A-10825 is held by William Richard Brown.
2. Appropriation A-10825 with a priority date of April 7, 1966, authorizes the use of water for irrigation of the 47.5 acres of land described below. The water may be diverted from Lincoln Creek at points of diversion located on both banks of the stream in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 14, Township 11 North, Range 03 West of the 6th P.M. in York County. The rate that water may be diverted shall not exceed one cubic foot per second (cfs) for every 70 acres irrigated at a maximum combined rate of 0.68 cfs from all points of diversion.

Township 11 North, Range 03 West of the 6 th P.M. in York County		Acres
Section 14:	NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	25.5
	SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	<u>22.0</u>
TOTAL		47.5

3. The Department has received information concerning the use of surface water appropriation A-10825 that indicates the appropriation has not been used for its required purpose for more than five consecutive years.
4. On March 31, 2025, the Department issued a Notice of Preliminary Determination of Nonuse of appropriation A-10825. The Notice was hand delivered to William Richard Brown, 1615 Road K, York, Nebraska 68467.
5. No contest of the Preliminary Determination of Nonuse was received in the Department.
6. The Department has determined that appropriation A-10825 has not been used for its required purpose for more than five consecutive years.
7. *Nebraska Revised Statutes* § 46-229.02 provides that an appropriation not used for a beneficial purpose for more than five consecutive years may be cancelled.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED appropriation A-10825 is CANCELLED.

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES



May 12, 2025

Jesse Bradley, P.G., Interim Director

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

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