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January 16, 2024

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Ryan Howser El Paso County Development Services Department

 RE: Falcon Acres, Final Plat, Water Supply Plan – 2ND REVISED NE1/4 Section 4, T14S, R64W, 6th P.M.
 Water Division 2, Water District 10
 Upper Black Squirrel Creek Designated Basin

Dear Mr. Howser,

The following provides a second updated overview of the water supplies that are underlying and appurtenant to a 49.2-acre parcel, generally located in the NE1/4 of the NE1/4 and the E1/2 of the E1/2 of the NW1/4 of the NE1/4 of Section 4, Township 14 South, Range 64 West of the 6th P. M., El Paso County ("Subject Property"). This letter is based on amounts of groundwater quantified in Determination Nos. 1145-BD, 1146-BD, and 1147-BD, issued by the Colorado Ground Water Commission on April 16, 2007. This letter provides no opinion on the actual physical supply of groundwater available. This letter is not a title opinion and makes no conclusion about ownership of the Denver Basin groundwater described below.

Determined Annual Amounts

The following volumes were quantified for domestic, commercial, industrial, irrigation, and replacement supply on the Subject Property. The groundwater in the Laramie-Fox Hills Aquifer is nontributary ("NT"). The groundwater in the Denver, Arapahoe and is not-nontributary ("NNT").

Determination No.	Aquifer	Annual Volume (100 years) (acre-feet)	Annual Volume (300 years) (acre-feet)	Total Volume (acre-feet)
1145-BD	Laramie-Fox Hills (NT)	15.5	5.17	1,550
1146-BD	Arapahoe (NNT 4%)	14.2	4.73	1,420
1147-BD	Denver (NNT)	4.0	1.33	400
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Water Supply Plan

The groundwater in the Arapahoe Aquifer has been approved for withdrawal and use according to Determination No. 1146-BD. NNT 4% groundwater does not require an approved replacement plan for use in small-capacity wells. The Arapahoe groundwater will be used in up to four (4) wells, each well withdrawing up to 1.1 acre-feet per year for 300 years, 4.4 acre-feet per year total, and each well will serve up to two lots, each lot receiving:

- 0.3 acre-feet per year for in-house use in 1 single-family home.
- 0.2 acre-feet per year for irrigation of up to 4,000 square-feet of lawn, garden, and trees.
- 0.05 acre-feet per year for water of up to 4 large domestic animals.
- 0.55 acre-feet per year total per lot.

All homes will be served by non-evaporative septic systems. The return flow from all eight (8) homes will be an estimated 2.16 acre-feet per year at full build-out, as follows: 0.27 acre-feet per year per well * 8 single-family homes = 2.16 acre-feet per year. This exceeds the 4% replacement requirement for use of the Arapahoe Aquifer groundwater.

Applicants have also applied for a replacement plan under Division of Water Resources Receipt No. 10033812 to use Denver Aquifer Well Permit No. 74444-A pursuant to that proposed plan. The well will supply 0.55 acre-feet per year to one lot for the following uses:

- 0.3 acre-feet per year for in-house use in 1 single-family home.
- 0.2 acre-feet per year for irrigation of up to 4,000 square-feet of lawn, garden, and trees.
- 0.05 acre-feet per year for water of up to 4 large domestic animals.

Current Supply

There are currently two other Denver Aquifer wells on the Subject Property under Well Permit Nos. 113499 and 211298 (the "Existing Wells"). The Existing Wells are not expected to be used in the subdivision and will be abandoned. The Applicant is in the process of finding a contractor that can assist with the plugging the Existing Wells. Once plugging is complete, Applicant will file the appropriate abandonment forms with the Division of Water Resources.

If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,

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Return flow from in-house use in one single-family residences (conservatively estimated to be 0.2 acre-feet per year per residence) is approximately 0.18 acre-feet per year, or approximately 90% of that use. Said return flows exceed the actual maximum depletion of 0.149 acre-feet at 300 years. Jimmy Camp Creek is approximately 22,500 feet west of the Subject Property, as shown on the map attached as **Exhibit A**, and septic system return flows accrue to that stream system. All return flows from use of the not-nontributary Denver Aquifer groundwater will be dedicated to this replacement plan and excess return flows will not be sold or leased to any other party. Operation of the wells, including the existing well, under this replacement plan will not cause material injury to alluvial wells located in stream systems in designated ground water basins.

Suggested terms and conditions for the proposed plan are as follows:

- 1. The total withdrawal from the Denver Aquifer shall not exceed 0.55 acre-feet annually during 300 years of pumping.
- 2. Each well shall have a totalizing flow meter that is kept in good repair, and the quantity of groundwater withdrawn will be monitored annually (Rule 5.6.2.E.9).
- 3. All replacements made to the Upper Black Squirrel Creek Designated Ground Water Basin, in which the wells permitted to operate under the replacement plan approved herein are located, will be aggregated in accordance with Guideline 2007-1.
- 4. Actual depletions caused by pumping of the Denver Aquifer groundwater herein shall be replaced by septic system return flow from use of the water on the Subject Property. Said septic system will be permitted, constructed, and operated pursuant to the specifications of El Paso County Public Health, which will satisfy monitoring of the quality of return flows (Rule 5.6.2.E.9). Excess return flow from use of the water on the Subject Property will be dedicated to this plan and will not be sold or leased to any other party.
- 5. Applicants or successors in interest will operate the terms of the replacement plan. Applicants will submit, upon request, the replacement plan accounting to the Commission demonstrating compliance with the plan.
- 6. Replacement water from in-house return flows will be of a quality so as not to degrade the alluvial water quality, as specified by El Paso County Public Health On-Site Wastewater Treatment System Regulations (Rule 5.6.1.B.1.a).
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9. An existing Denver Aquifer well will be re-permitted and used, with a septic system, and the approximate cost is \$1,000. The plan will begin to operate when the Denver well begins operating under the plan. (Rule 5.6.2.E.10).

The following is a proposed summary of the replacement plan for publication purposes:

"Applicant has submitted an application for a Denver Aquifer replacement plan to use up to 0.55 acre-feet of groundwater per year through one (1) well to allow in-house use, outdoor irrigation, and watering of domestic animals, on 49.2 acres of land located in the NE1/4 of the NE1/4, and the E1/2 of the E1/2 of the NW1/4 of the NE1/4 of Section 4, Township 14 South, Range 64 West, El Paso County, Colorado. After 300 years of pumping, the total actual depletion to the designated basins is 27% of the annual amount withdrawn or 0.149 acre-feet which occurs to Black Squirrel Creek. Annual actual depletions will be replaced by claiming credit for septic system return flows from in-house use of Denver Aquifer groundwater in one (1) single-family residence. Said return flows will be approximately 0.18 acre-feet annually and is sufficient to replace actual depletions to the designated basin stream systems at 300 years of pumping. The replacement water accrues to Jimmy Camp Creek and is sufficient in amount, time, and place to replace actual depletions, and no material injury will occur to vested water rights. The replacement water will be of a quality that would not degrade water quality."

If you have any questions or comments or require additional information for processing this application, please call.

Sincerely,

ric K Trout

Eric K Trout

Form no. COLORADO GROUND WATER COMMISSION GWS-69 DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES (5-2019) DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES 1313 Sherman St, Room 821, Denver, CO 80203 (303) 866-3581, www.water.state.co.us

APPLICATION FOR A REPLACEMENT PLAN WITHIN A DESIGNATED GROUND WATER BASIN

NOTE: This application may only be used to request Ground Water Commission approval of a replacement plan within a Designated Ground Water Basin pursuant to Section 37-90-107.5, C.R.S. Review the instructions on the reverse of this form. This form must be completed, signed, dated and submitted to the Commission with a non-refundable \$100 filing fee. Type or print in black ink.

1. APPLICANT INFORMATION	
Name of Applicant	
Thousand Hills Land & Cattle Co., LLC c/o Ha	ayes Poznanovic Korver LLC
Mailing Address	
700 17th Street, Suite 1800, Denver, CO, 80	202
Telephone Number (include area code)	Email
303-825-1980	eric@hpkwaterlaw.com
2. AQUIFER AND GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF THE L	OCATION OF THE PLAN
Aquifer in which the plan will operate:	
County: El Paso Section	4 , Township 14 N S Range 64 W
3 THE FOLLOWING MUST BE PROVIDED AS ATTAC	HEMENTS TO THIS APPLICATION
A. A report containing all information required to I Designated Basin Rule 5.6.2 (Rule 5.6.2 is provide	be submitted for a replacement plan as required by ed as an attachment to this form).
Arapahoe, or Laramie-Fox Hills aquifer pursuant to Designated Basin Rule 5.3.6.2.C, indicate the subj pending application for such determination, and depletions to affected alluvial aquifer(s) caused b	g withdrawals of ground water from the Dawson, Denver, o Section 37-90-107(7), C.R.S. and in accordance with ect aquifer, the approved determination of water right or provide a table showing the first 100 years of annual by proposed pumping during the first 100 years, and if depletions to affected alluvial aquifer(s) until pumping
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knowledge.

ric K Trout Signature

Date: January 12, 2024

Print name and title: Eric K Trout - Attorney - Hayes Poznanovic Korver LLC

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NONTRIBUTARY GROUNDWATER LANDOWNERSHIP STATEMENT

This form is to be submitted with applications for the following, when the applicant is the owner of the overlying land. 1) A well permit to withdraw groundwater from the Dawson, Denver, Arapahoe or Laramie-Fox Hills aquifers, or other aquifer the applicant claims contains nontributary groundwater, outside of a Designated Groundwater Basin subject to section 37-90-137(4), C.R.S., except when the right to withdraw the groundwater has been determined by a valid decree; OR 2) A determination of water right in the Dawson, Denver, Arapahoe or Laramie-Fox Hills aquifers, or a well permit to withdraw groundwater from those aquifers that are subject to Designated Basin Rule 5.4, within a Designated Groundwater Basin. NOTE: Form submittal instructions can be found on our website Colorado.gov/water. See instructions on the reverse of this form. Type or print in black or blue ink.

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Telephone Number (include area code)	Email		
303-825-1980	eric@hpkwaterl	aw.com	
2. AQUIFER			
Denver			
3. CLAIM OF OWNERSHIP - I hereby claim that I am the own	ner of the following descr	ribed property, as e	videnced by
the attached copy of a deed recorded in the county in which	the property is located.		
	ne county of: <u>El Paso</u>		
described as follows (insert legal description).			
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Township 14 South, Range 64 West.			
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- I further claim that the right to withdraw the groundwater			
has not been reserved by another, nor has consent been	-	-	
4. THE APPLICANT MUST PROVIDE – a Verification of Notic	e of Application (form no	o. GWS-43) (see ins	tructions for
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Signature: Fric K Trout	Date:	January 12, 202	24

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Form no. DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES GWS-79 DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES (3/2020) 1313 Sherman St, Room 821, Denver, CO 80203 (303) 866-3581, www.colorado.gov/water, dwrpermitsonline@state.co.us

STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP OF AN AMOUNT OF A GROUNDWATER RIGHT WITHIN A DENVER BASIN BEDROCK AQUIFER OR A NONTRIBUTARY AQUIFER

This statement is to be submitted with all applications for well permits to withdraw an amount of groundwater quantified:

- 1) In a decree issued by the Court in a court case outside of a Designated Groundwater Basin; OR
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2. COURT CASE (DECREE), WELL PERMIT,	3. AQUIFER
OR DETERMINATION NO. 1147-BD	Denver
 4. STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP – I hereby state that I am the or the decree, well permit, or Determination of Water Right identified ab - A volume of acre-feet. OR 	
- An average annual amount of withdrawal of acre-feet p	per vear (based on a 100-vear aquifer life) OR
- An average annual amount of withdrawal of 1.33 acre-feet	
NOTE: The amount must be specified as a volume if the decree, we conditions requiring that any action taken that is intended to convey, the total amount (i.e. volume) of the right that is conveyed.	Il permit or Determination of Water Right included terms and
5. EVIDENCE OF OWNERSHIP – If the applicant is not the same Water Right was originally issued, a copy of a deed that has been re applicant owns the amount of the water right claimed herein.	
6. WELL FIELD – Is this well proposed to operate as a well field	eld with any other wells? YES 🗌 NO 🗹
If yes: Provide a complete list of all wells, and their permit numbers, t	hat will operate as a well field.
7. SIGNATURE – Sign or enter name(s) of applicant(s) or authorize perjury in the second degree, which is punishable as a class 1 misde read the statements herein, know the contents thereof, and state that	emeanor pursuant to section. 24-4-104(13)(a), C.R.S. I have
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The following is a proposed summary of the replacement plan for publication purposes:

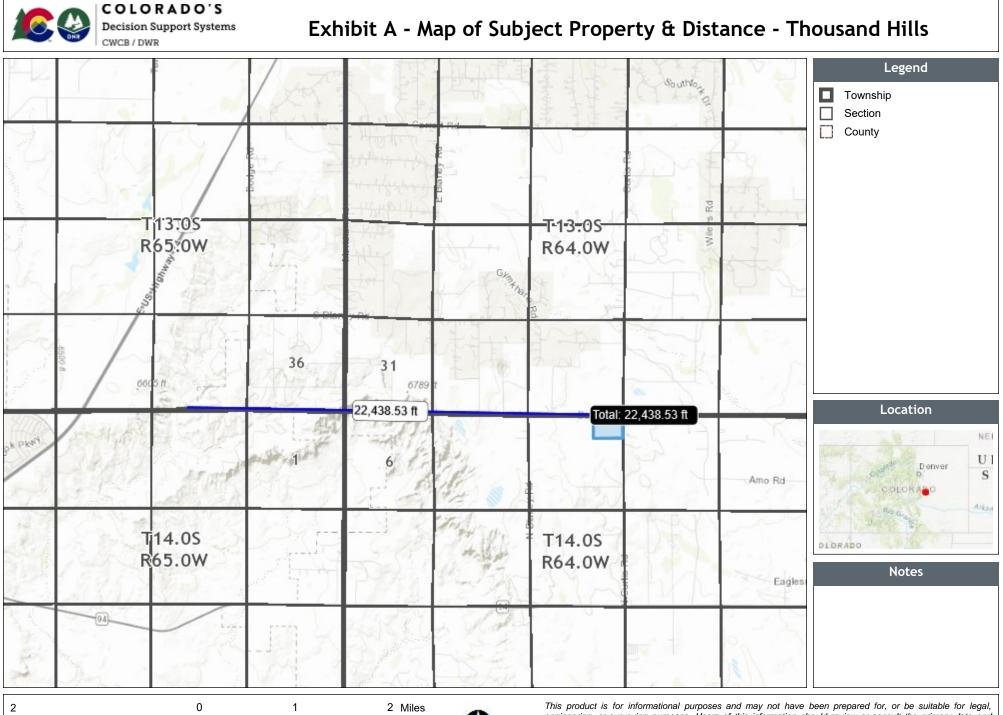
"Applicant has submitted an application for a Denver Aquifer replacement plan to use up to 0.55 acre-feet of groundwater per year through one (1) well to allow in-house use, outdoor irrigation, and watering of domestic animals, on 49.2 acres of land located in the NE1/4 of the NE1/4, and the E1/2 of the E1/2 of the NW1/4 of the NE1/4 of Section 4, Township 14 South, Range 64 West, El Paso County, Colorado. After 300 years of pumping, the total actual depletion to the designated basins is 27% of the annual amount withdrawn or 0.149 acre-feet which occurs to Black Squirrel Creek. Annual actual depletions will be replaced by claiming credit for septic system return flows from in-house use of Denver Aquifer groundwater in one (1) single-family residence. Said return flows will be approximately 0.18 acre-feet annually and is sufficient to replace actual depletions to the designated basin stream systems at 300 years of pumping. The replacement water accrues to Jimmy Camp Creek and is sufficient in amount, time, and place to replace actual depletions, and no material injury will occur to vested water rights. The replacement water will be of a quality that would not degrade water quality."

If you have any questions or comments or require additional information for processing this application, please call.

Sincerely,

ric K Trout

Eric K Trout



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information sources to ascertain the usability of the information.

EL PASO COUNTY - COLORADO

4404000014 14655 DAVIS RD

OVERVIEW

Owner:	THOUSAND HILLS LAND &, CATTLE CO LLC
Mailing Address:	812 E MONUMENT ST COLORADO SPRINGS CO, 80903-2824
Location:	14655 DAVIS RD
Tax Status:	Taxable
Zoning:	RR-5
Plat No:	-
Legal Description:	NE4NE4, E2E2NW4NE4 SEC 4-14-64

MARKET & ASSESSMENT DETAILS

	Market Value	Assessed Value
Land	\$267,500	\$74,630
Improvement	\$0	\$0
Total	\$267,500	\$74,630

No buildings to show.

LAND DETAILS

Sequence Number	Land Use	Assessment Rate	Area	Market Value
1	VACANT LAND = 35 AND < 100 ACR	27.900	49.23 Acres	\$267,500

SALES HISTORY

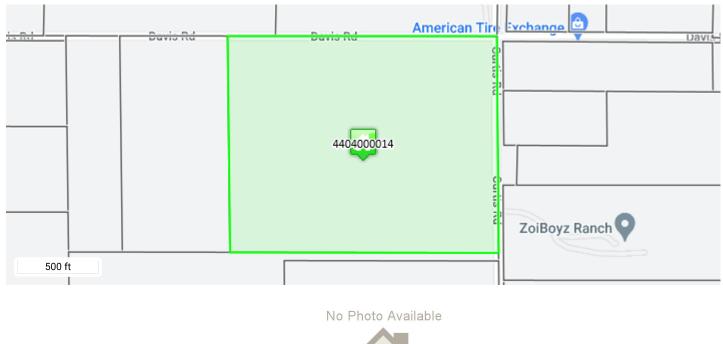
	Sale Date	Sale Price	Sale Type	Reception
+	01/11/2005	\$0	-	205005466
+	01/03/1984	\$0	-	-

TAX ENTITY AND LEVY INFORMATION

County Treasurer Tax Information

Tax Area Code: SCF Levy Year: 2022 Mill Levy: 72.681

Taxing Entity	Levy	Contact Name/Organization	Contact Phone
EL PASO COUNTY	7.732	FINANCIAL SERVICES	(719) 520-6400
EPC ROAD & BRIDGE (UNSHARED)	0.330	-	(719) 520-6498
EL PASO COUNTY SCHOOL NO 49	45.159	RON SPRINZ	(719) 495-1109
PIKES PEAK LIBRARY	3.512	RANDALL A GREEN	(719) 531-6333
FALCON FIRE PROTECTION	14.886	TRENT HARWIG	(719) 495-4050
UPPER BLK SQUIRREL CRK GROUND WATER	1.062	TRACY DORAN	(719) 510-0780
EL PASO COUNTY CONSERVATION	0.000	MARIAH HUDSON	(719) 600-4706





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The applicant is the sole owner of the property and no n is required.

Summary	Table 1		Su	mmary Table 2			
			Model Period (years)	300			
Applicant Name	Elliott		Applicant Name	Elliott			
Receipt No.	1147-BD		Receipt No.	1147-BD			
Number of Years of Pumping	300		Number of Years of Pumping	300			
Pumping Rate (ac-ft/yr)	0.55		Pumping Rate (ac-ft/yr)	0.55			
Total Volume (ac-ft)	165		Total Volume (ac-ft)	165			
Legal for All Sections	Section 4, T14S, R64W	/, 6th P.M.	Legal for All Sections	Section 4, T14S, R64W	, 6th P.M.		
Model	DE10		Model	DE10			
	Denver		Aquifer	Denver			
100th Year Strea	am Depletion		Maximu	m Stream Depletior	า		
				Max.Depletion	Year	Max. Depletion	Year
	100th Year Depletion	q/Q		during	during	during	during
Streams	(ac-ft/yr)	(%)	Streams	model period	model	pumping period	-
	· · · ·	· · ·		(ac-ft/vr)	period	(ac-ft/vr)	period
BIJOU	0.000	0.000	BIJOU	0.000	300	0.000	300
BIG SANDY	0.000	0.000	BIG SANDY	0.000	300	0.000	300
MONUMENT	0.000	0.000	MONUMENT	0.000	300	0.000	300
COTTONWOOD	0.000	0.000	COTTONWOOD	0.000	300	0.000	300
SHOOKS RUN	0.000	0.000	SHOOKS RUN	0.000	300	0.000	300
SAND-DIV2	0.000	0.008	SAND-DIV2	0.004	300	0.004	300
BLACK SQUIRREL-UBSCDB	0.029	5.200	BLACK SQUIRREL-UBSCDB	0.149	300	0.149	300
STEELS FORK	0.000	0.000	STEELS FORK	0.000	300	0.000	300
HORSE CREEK	0.000	0.000	HORSE CREEK	0.000	300	0.000	300
Total	0.029	5.208	Total	0.152	300	0.152	300
South Platte(No Designated Basin Streams)	0.000	0.000	South Platte Basin(No Designated Basin Streams)				
Arkansas(No Designated Basin Streams)	0.000	0.008	Arkansas Basin(No Designated Basin Streams)	0.004	300		300
Designated Basin	0.029	5.200	Designated Basin	0.149	300		300

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		D	esignated Basin Sum	mary Tabl	e for Elliott		
			0.55 acre-feet per yea			enver aquifer	
			Section(s): Section 4, 1	۲14S, R64	W, 6th P.M.		
Year	Pumping (Q)	Annual Depletion (q)	Depletion as a % of	Year	Pumping (Q)	Annual Depletion (q)	Depletion as a % of
	(AF/YR)	(AF/YR)	Pumping (q/Q)		(AF/YR)	(AF/YR)	Pumping (q/Q)
5	0.5	0.000	0.0	155	0.5	0.062	11.2
10	0.5	0.000	0.0	160	0.5	0.065	11.8
15	0.5	0.000	0.1	165	0.5	0.068	12.4
20	0.5	0.001	0.2	170	0.5	0.071	13.0
25	0.5	0.001	0.3	175	0.5	0.074	13.5
30	0.5	0.002	0.4	180	0.5	0.078	14.1
35	0.5	0.003	0.5	185	0.5	0.081	14.7
40	0.5	0.004	0.7	190	0.5	0.084	15.3
45	0.5	0.005	1.0	195	0.5	0.087	15.9
50	0.5	0.007	1.2	200	0.5	0.090	16.4
55	0.5	0.008	1.5	205	0.5	0.094	17.0
60	0.5	0.010	1.8	210	0.5	0.097	17.6
65	0.5	0.012	2.2	215	0.5	0.100	18.1
70	0.5	0.014	2.5	220	0.5	0.103	18.7
75	0.5	0.016	2.9	225	0.5	0.106	19.2
80	0.5	0.018	3.3	230	0.5	0.109	19.8
85	0.5	0.021	3.8	235	0.5	0.112	20.4
90	0.5	0.023	4.2	240	0.5	0.115	20.9
95	0.5	0.026	4.7	245	0.5	0.118	21.4
100	0.5	0.029	5.2	250	0.5	0.121	22.0
105	0.5	0.031	5.7	255	0.5	0.124	22.5
110	0.5	0.034	6.2	260	0.5	0.127	23.0
115	0.5	0.037	6.7	265	0.5	0.129	23.5
120	0.5	0.040	7.3	270	0.5	0.132	24.0
125	0.5	0.043	7.8	275	0.5	0.135	24.6

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130	0.5	0.046	8.4	280	0.5	0.138	25.1
135	0.5	0.049	8.9	285	0.5	0.141	25.6
140	0.5	0.052	9.5	290	0.5	0.143	26.0
145	0.5	0.055	10.1	295	0.5	0.146	26.5
150	0.5	0.059	10.6	300	0.5	0.149	27.0

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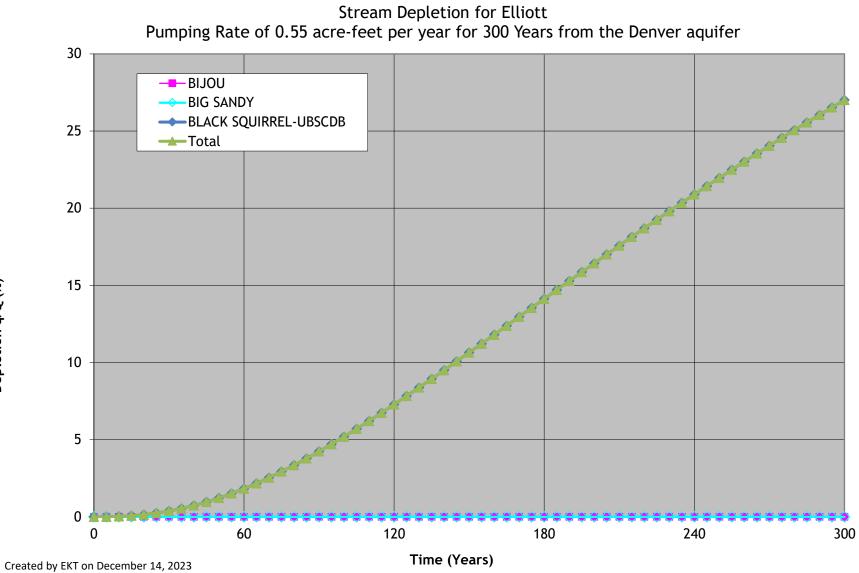
			Str	eam Depletion	for Elliott							
	Pumping Rate of 0.55 acre-feet per year for 300 Years from the Denver aquifer											
	Kiowa Bijou	I Designated	Upper Big San	dy Designated	Upper Bla	ck Squirrel						
	BIJOU		BIG S	SANDY	BLACK SQUIF	RREL-UBSCDB	TOTAL					
Time	q/Q	vol./yr	q/Q	vol./yr	q/Q	vol./yr	q/Q	vol./yr				
(yr)	(%)	(af/yr)	(%)	(af/yr)	(%)	(af/yr)	(%)	(af/yr)				
0	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000				
5	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000				
10	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000				
15	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	0.1	0.000	0.1	0.000				
20	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	0.2	0.001	0.2	0.001				
25	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	0.3	0.001	0.3	0.001				
30	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	0.4	0.002	0.4	0.002				
35	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	0.5	0.003	0.5	0.003				
40	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	0.7	0.004	0.7	0.004				
45	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	1.0	0.005	1.0	0.005				
50	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	1.2	0.007	1.2	0.007				
55	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	1.5	0.008	1.5	0.008				
60	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	1.8	0.010	1.8	0.010				
65	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	2.2	0.012	2.2	0.012				
70	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	2.5	0.014	2.5	0.014				
75	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	2.9	0.016	2.9	0.016				
80	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	3.3	0.018	3.3	0.018				
85	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	3.8	0.021	3.8	0.021				
90	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	4.2	0.023	4.2	0.023				
95	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	4.7	0.026	4.7	0.026				
100	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	5.2	0.029	5.2	0.029				
105	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	5.7	0.031	5.7	0.031				
110	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	6.2	0.034	6.2	0.034				
115	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	6.7	0.037	6.7	0.037				
120	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	7.3	0.040	7.3	0.040				
125	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	7.8	0.043	7.8	0.043				

130	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	8.4	0.046	8.4	0.046
135	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	8.9	0.049	8.9	0.049
140	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	9.5	0.052	9.5	0.052
145	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	10.1	0.055	10.1	0.055
150	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	10.6	0.059	10.6	0.059
155	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	11.2	0.062	11.2	0.062
160	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	11.8	0.065	11.8	0.065
165	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	12.4	0.068	12.4	0.068
170	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	13.0	0.071	13.0	0.071
175	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	13.5	0.074	13.5	0.074
180	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	14.1	0.078	14.1	0.078
185	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	14.7	0.081	14.7	0.081
190	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	15.3	0.084	15.3	0.084
195	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	15.9	0.087	15.9	0.087
200	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	16.4	0.090	16.4	0.090
205	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	17.0	0.094	17.0	0.094
210	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	17.6	0.097	17.6	0.097
215	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	18.1	0.100	18.1	0.100
220	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	18.7	0.103	18.7	0.103
225	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	19.2	0.106	19.2	0.106
230	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	19.8	0.109	19.8	0.109
235	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	20.4	0.112	20.4	0.112
240	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	20.9	0.115	20.9	0.115
245	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	21.4	0.118	21.4	0.118
250	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	22.0	0.121	22.0	0.121
255	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	22.5	0.124	22.5	0.124
260	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	23.0	0.127	23.0	0.127
265	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	23.5	0.129	23.5	0.129
270	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	24.0	0.132	24.0	0.132
275	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	24.6	0.135	24.6	0.135
280	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	25.1	0.138	25.1	0.138
285	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	25.6	0.141	25.6	0.141
290	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	26.0	0.143	26.0	0.143

295	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	26.5	0.146	26.5	0.146
300	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	27.0	0.149	27.0	0.149

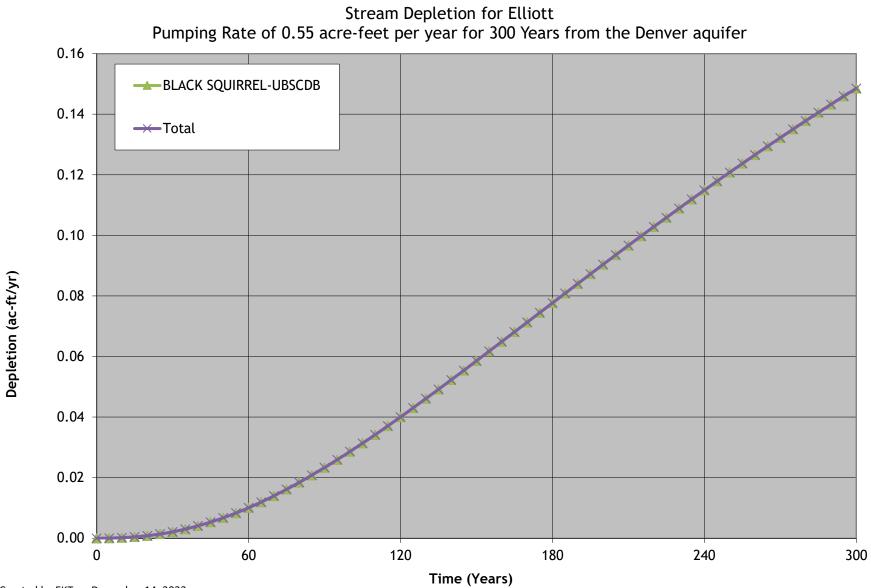
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If the pumping rate (Q) is changed to anything but zero q/Q is not calculated

Depletion q/Q (%)



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	ampingo.o do	-TUYI TOF 300 YES	Pumping Rate	Aquiler at Secti	on 4, T14S, R64	W, 6th P.M.	South Platte Depl	lation/No Designa	tod Basin Strop	me)				Aquifer at Secti ad Basin Stream		W, 6th P.M.	Dosia	nated Basin Der	alation		Pumping0.6 ac-		rs from Denver Platte + Arkan		
	Time				1		South Platte Depl			ns)	Ar	uansas Depletio			8)		Desig			-	I otal De	precion = South			au dasin
Time	Step	Pumping	vol. this time step	cumulativ vol.	vol./yr	Depletion	q/Q	vol. this time step	cumulativ vol.	vol./yr	Depletion	q/Q	vol. this time step	cumulativ vol.	vol./yr	Depletion	q/Q	vol. this time step	cumulativ vol.	vol./yr	Depletion	q/Q	vol. this time step	cumulativ vol.	vol./yr
(Yr)	(Yr)	(cfs)	(af)	(af)	(af/yr)	(cfs)	(%)	(af)	(af)	(af/yr)	(cfs)	(%)	(af)	(af)	(af/yr)	(cfs)	(%)	(af)	(af)	(af/yr)	(cfs)	(%)	(af)	(af)	(af/yr)
5.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	2.749	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.673E-13	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	6.744E-08	0.008885	0.000	0.000	0.000049	6.744E-08	0.008885	0.000	0.000	0.000
10.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	5.499	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.118E-12	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.566E-07	0.033808	0.001	0.001	0.000186	2.566E-07	0.033808	0.001	0.001	0.000
15.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	8.248	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	9.336E-12	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	6.096E-07	0.080316	0.002	0.003	0.000442	6.096E-07	0.080317	0.002	0.003	0.000
20.0 25.0	5.00 5.00	7.590E-04 7.590E-04	2.749	10.997 13.747	0.550	0.000E+00 0.000E+00	0.000 0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	3.021E-11 8.009E-11	0.000	0.000	0.000 0.000	0.000	1.158E-06 1.924E-06	0.152569 0.253491	0.004	0.008 0.015	0.000839 0.001394	1.158E-06 1.924E-06	0.152573 0.253502	0.004	0.008	0.001
30.0	5.00	7.590E-04 7.590E-04	2.749	16.496	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.842E-10	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.924E-06	0.253491	0.007	0.015	0.001394	2.921E-06	0.253502	0.007	0.015	0.001
35.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	19.245	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	3.805E-10	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	4.157E-06	0.547694	0.015	0.040	0.003012	4.157E-06	0.547744	0.015	0.040	0.002
40.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	21.995	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	7.225E-10	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	5.636E-06	0.742556	0.020	0.061	0.004083	5.637E-06	0.742651	0.020	0.061	0.004
45.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	24.744	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.282E-09	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	7.354E-06	0.968906	0.027	0.087	0.005328	7.355E-06	0.969075	0.027	0.087	0.005
50.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	27.493	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.150E-09	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	9.307E-06	1.226219	0.034	0.121	0.006743	9.309E-06	1.226502	0.034	0.121	0.007
55.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	30.243	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	3.439E-09	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.149E-05	1.513834	0.042	0.163	0.008324	1.149E-05	1.514287	0.042	0.163	0.008
60.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	32.992	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	5.286E-09	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.388E-05	1.828722	0.050	0.213	0.010056	1.389E-05	1.829418	0.050	0.213	0.010
65.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	35.741	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	7.847E-09	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.649E-05	2.172596	0.060	0.273	0.011946	1.650E-05	2.173629	0.060	0.273	0.012
70.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	38.491	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.130E-08	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.929E-05	2.541502	0.070	0.342	0.013975	1.930E-05	2.542991	0.070	0.343	0.014
75.0	5.00	7.590E-04 7.590E-04	2.749 2.749	41.240 43.989	0.550	0.000E+00 0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.585E-08 2.171E-08	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.227E-05 2.542E-05	2.934124 3.349144	0.081 0.092	0.423 0.515	0.016134	2.229E-05 2.544E-05	2.936212 3.352004	0.081 0.092	0.423 0.515	0.016
80.0 85.0	5.00 5.00	7.590E-04 7.590E-04	2.749	43.989 46.739	0.550	0.000E+00 0.000E+00	0.000 0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.913E-08	0.003	0.000	0.000 0.000	0.000 0.000	2.542E-05 2.873E-05	3.349144 3.785244	0.092	0.619	0.018416 0.020814	2.544E-05 2.876E-05	3.352004 3.789082	0.092	0.515	0.018
90.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	49.488	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	3.835E-08	0.005	0.000	0.000	0.000	3.218E-05	4.239789	0.117	0.736	0.023313	3.222E-05	4.244842	0.117	0.736	0.021
95.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	52.237	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	4.965E-08	0.007	0.000	0.001	0.000	3.576E-05	4.711462	0.130	0.865	0.025907	3.581E-05	4.718004	0.130	0.866	0.025
100.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	54.987	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	6.330E-08	0.008	0.000	0.001	0.000	3.947E-05	5.200264	0.143	1.008	0.028595	3.953E-05	5.208604	0.143	1.009	0.029
105.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	57.736	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	7.958E-08	0.010	0.000	0.001	0.000	4.328E-05	5.702	0.157	1.165	0.031355	4.336E-05	5.713	0.157	1.166	0.031
110.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	60.485	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	9.880E-08	0.013	3.579E-04	1.554E-03	0.000	4.719E-05	6.217	0.171	1.336	0.034187	4.729E-05	6.230	0.171	1.338	0.034
115.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	63.235	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.212E-07	0.016	0.000	0.002	0.000	5.119E-05	6.744	0.185	1.521	0.037085	5.131E-05	6.760	0.186	1.523	0.037
120.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	65.984	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.472E-07	0.019	0.001	0.003	0.000	5.526E-05	7.281	0.200	1.722	0.040034	5.541E-05	7.300	0.201	1.724	0.040
125.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	68.733	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.770E-07	0.023	0.001	0.003	0.000	5.941E-05	7.827	0.215	1.937	0.043040	5.959E-05	7.851	0.216	1.940	0.043
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135.0 140.0	5.00 5.00	7.590E-04 7.590E-04	2.749	74.232 76.981	0.550	0.000E+00 0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.491E-07 2.920E-07	0.033	0.001	0.005	0.000	6.786E-05 7.215E-05	8.941 9.506	0.246 0.261	2.413 2.674	0.049162 0.052270	6.811E-05 7.244E-05	8.974 9.544	0.247 0.262	2.418 2.680	0.049
140.0	5.00	7.590E-04 7.590E-04	2.749	76.981	0.550	0.000E+00 0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.920E-07 3.399E-07	0.038	0.001	0.006	0.000	7.215E-05 7.648E-05	9.506	0.261	2.674	0.052270	7.244E-05 7.682E-05	9.544	0.262	2.680	0.052
145.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	82.480	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	3.929E-07	0.045	0.001	0.009	0.000	8.083E-05	10.650	0.293	3.244	0.058558	8.122E-05	10.701	0.278	3.253	0.059
155.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	85.229	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	4.514E-07	0.059	0.002	0.010	0.000	8.521E-05	11.227	0.309	3.553	0.061731	8.566E-05	11,286	0.310	3.563	0.062
160.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	87.979	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	5.154E-07	0.068	0.002	0.012	0.000	8.961E-05	11.806	0.325	3.878	0.064919	9.013E-05	11.874	0.326	3.890	0.065
165.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2,749	90,728	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	5.854E-07	0.077	0.002	0.014	0.000	9.401E-05	12.386	0.341	4.218	0.068107	9.460E-05	12,463	0.343	4.232	0.069
170.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	93.477	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	6.615E-07	0.087	0.002	0.017	0.000	9.842E-05	12.967	0.357	4.575	0.071302	9.908E-05	13.054	0.359	4.591	0.072
175.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	96.227	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	7.437E-07	0.098	0.003	0.019	0.001	1.028E-04	13.544	0.372	4.947	0.074475	1.035E-04	13.642	0.375	4.966	0.075
180.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	98.976	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	8.324E-07	0.110	0.003	0.022	0.001	1.072E-04	14.124	0.388	5.335	0.077662	1.080E-04	14.234	0.391	5.358	0.078
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190.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	104.475	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.029E-06	0.136	0.004	0.029	0.001	1.160E-04	15.283	0.420	6.160	0.084038	1.170E-04	15.419	0.424	6.189	0.085
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200.0 205.0	5.00 5.00	7.590E-04 7.590E-04	2.749	109.973 112.723	0.550	0.000E+00 0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.254E-06 1.376E-06	0.165	0.005	0.038	0.001	1.247E-04 1.291E-04	16.430 17.009	0.452	7.048 7.515	0.090341 0.094	1.260E-04 1.305E-04	16.595 17.191	0.456	7.086	0.091
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210.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	118.221	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.642E-06	0.216	0.006	0.054	0.001	1.377E-04	18.142	0.499	8.497	0.100	1.393E-04	18.359	0.505	8.552	0.098
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225.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	123.720	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.937E-06	0.255	0.007	0.068	0.001	1.461E-04	19.249	0.529	9.540	0.106	1.480E-04	19.504	0.536	9.608	0.107
230.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	126.469	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.095E-06	0.276	0.008	0.075	0.002	1.503E-04	19.802	0.544	10.085	0.109	1.524E-04	20.078	0.552	10.160	0.110
235.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	129.219	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.262E-06	0.298	0.008	0.084	0.002	1.545E-04	20.356	0.560	10.644	0.112	1.568E-04	20.654	0.568	10.728	0.114
240.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	131.968	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.434E-06	0.321	0.009	0.093	0.002	1.586E-04	20.896	0.574	11.219	0.115	1.610E-04	21.217	0.583	11.311	0.117
245.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	134.717	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.613E-06	0.344	0.009	0.102	0.002	1.627E-04	21.436	0.589	11.808	0.118	1.653E-04	21.780	0.599	11.910	0.120
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255.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	140.216	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.994E-06	0.394	0.011	0.123	0.002	1.708E-04	22.503	0.619	13.031	0.124	1.738E-04	22.898	0.630	13.154	0.126
260.0	5.00 5.00	7.590E-04 7.590E-04	2.749	142.965 145.715	0.550	0.000E+00 0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	3.194E-06 3.401E-06	0.421	0.012 0.012	0.135	0.002	1.747E-04 1.787E-04	23.017 23.544	0.633	13.664 14.311	0.127 0.129	1.779E-04 1.821E-04	23.438 23.992	0.644 0.660	13.798 14.458	0.129
265.0	5.00	7.590E-04 7.590E-04	2.749	145.715	0.550	0.000E+00 0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	3.401E-06 3.616E-06	0.448	0.012	0.147	0.002	1.78/E-04 1.825E-04	23.544 24.045	0.661	14.311 14.972	0.129	1.821E-04 1.861E-04	23.992	0.6674	14.458	0.132
270.0	5.00	7.590E-04 7.590E-04	2.749	148.464	0.550	0.000E+00 0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	3.836E-06	0.476	0.013	0.160	0.003	1.825E-04 1.864E-04	24.045	0.675	14.972	0.132	1.861E-04 1.902E-04	24.521 25.064	0.689	15.132	0.135
280.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	153.963	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	4.065E-06	0.536	0.015	0.189	0.003	1.902E-04	25.059	0.689	16.336	0.138	1.943E-04	25.595	0.704	16.525	0.130
285.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	156.712	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	4.299E-06	0.566	0.016	0.204	0.003	1.940E-04	25.560	0.703	17.039	0.141	1.983E-04	26.126	0.718	17.243	0.141
290.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	159.462	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	4.539E-06	0.598	0.016	0.221	0.003	1.977E-04	26.047	0.716	17.755	0.143	2.022E-04	26.645	0.733	17.976	0.147
295.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	162.211	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	4.786E-06	0.631	0.017	0.238	0.003	2.014E-04	26.535	0.730	18.485	0.146	2.062E-04	27.166	0.747	18.723	0.149
300.0	5.00	7.590E-04	2.749	164.960	0.550	0.000E+00	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	5.038E-06	0.664	0.018	0.256	0.004	2.050E-04	27.009	0.743	19.227	0.149	2.100E-04	27.673	0.761	19.483	0.152

COLORADO GROUND WATER COMMISSION FINDINGS AND ORDER

IN THE MATTER OF AN APPLICATION FOR DETERMINATION OF WATER RIGHT TO ALLOW THE WITHDRAWAL OF GROUND WATER IN THE UPPER BLACK SQUIRREL CREEK DESIGNATED GROUND WATER BASIN

APPLICANT:	THOUSAND HILLS LAND & CATTLE CO., LLC	and the second s	
AQUIFER:	DENVER		
DETERMINA	TION NO.: 1147-BD		ГСГ-)
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In compliance with Section 37-90-107(7), C.R.S., and the Designated Basin Rules, 2 CCR 410-1, Thousand Hills Land & Cattle Co., LLC (hereinafter "applicant") submitted an application for determination of water right to allow the withdrawal of designated ground water from the Denver Aquifer.

FINDINGS

- 1. The application was received complete by the Colorado Ground Water Commission on January 24, 2007.
- 2. The applicant requests a determination of rights to designated ground water in the Denver Aquifer (hereinafter "aquifer") underlying 49.2 acres, generally described as the NE¼ of the NE¼ and the E½ of the E½ of the NW¼ of the NE¼ of Section 4, Township 14 South, Range 64 West of the 6th Principal Meridian, in El Paso County. According to a signed statement dated January 23, 2007, the applicant owns the 49.2 acres of land, as further described in said affidavit which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, and claims control of the ground water in the aquifer underlying this land area.
- 3. The proposed annual amount of ground water to be allocated and withdrawn from the aquifer for intended beneficial uses is the maximum allowable amount.
- 4. The above described land area overlying the ground water claimed by the applicant is located within the boundaries of the Upper Black Squirrel Creek Designated Ground Water Basin and within the Upper Black Squirrel Creek Ground Water Management District. The Colorado Ground Water Commission (hereinafter "Commission") has jurisdiction.

- 5. The applicant intends to apply the allocated ground water to the following beneficial uses: domestic, commercial, industrial, irrigation, and replacement supply. The applicant states that these uses may be supplied with a central system. The applicant's proposed place of use of the allocated ground water is the above described 49.2 acre land area.
- 6. The replacement water requirement for withdrawal of ground water from the aquifer underlying the 49.2 acres of overlying land claimed by the applicant consists of two different requirements, which effectively divides the claimed land into two areas. The amount of ground water in the aquifer and a maximum annual amount available for allocation will be determined specifically for the aquifer underlying each of the two areas. These areas are designated and described as follows:

Area A – 45.0 acres, generally described as the majority of the applicant's claimed overlying land area, excluding the southwest corner thereof.

Area B – 4.2 acres, generally described as the southwest corner of the applicant's claimed overlying land area.

These two areas are depicted in a map attached hereto as Exhibit B.

7. The quantity of water in the aquifer underlying the 49.2 acres of land claimed by the applicant is as follows: Area A = 803 acre-feet; Area B = 71.4 acre-feet. This determination was based on the following as specified in the Designated Basin Rules:

a. The average specific yield of the saturated permeable material of the aquifer underlying the land under consideration that could yield a sufficient quantity of water that may be extracted and applied to beneficial use is 17 percent.

b. The average thickness of the saturated permeable material of the aquifer underlying the land under consideration that could yield a sufficient quantity of water that may be extracted and applied to beneficial use is as follows: Area A = 105 feet; Area B = 100 feet.

- 8. At this time, there is no substantial artificial recharge that would affect the aquifer within a one hundred year period.
- 9. Pursuant to Section 37-90-107(7), C.R.S., and in accordance with the Designated Basin Rules, the Commission shall allocate ground water in the aquifer based on ownership of the overlying land and an aquifer life of one hundred years. Therefore, the maximum allowed average annual amount of ground water in the aquifer that may be allocated for withdrawal pursuant to the data in the paragraphs above for the 49.2 acres of overlying land claimed by the applicant is as follows: Area A = 8.0 acre-feet; Area B = 0.7 acre-feet.
- 10. In accordance with Rule 5.3.2.4 of the Designated Basin Rules, the maximum average annual amount of ground water available for allocation from the aquifer underlying the 45.0 acre/portion of land claimed by the applicant, designated Area A, is reduced to 4.0 acre-feet to allow for the annual withdrawal of two small capacity wells which are completed in the aquifer, Permit Nos. 74444-A and 113499. Except for these wells, review of the records in the Office of the State Engineer has disclosed that none of the water in the aquifer underlying the land claimed by the applicant has been previously allocated or permitted for withdrawal.
- 11. Pursuant to Section 37-90-107(7)(c)(III), C.R.S., an approved determination of water right shall be considered a final determination of the amount of ground water so determined; except that the Commission shall retain jurisdiction for subsequent adjustment of such amount to conform to the actual local aquifer characteristics from adequate information obtained from well drilling or test holes.
- 12. The ability of wells permitted to withdraw the authorized amount of water from this non-renewable aquifer may be less than the one hundred years upon which the amount of water in the aquifer is allocated, due to anticipated water level declines.

13. In accordance with Rule 5.3.6 of the Designated Basin Rules, it has been determined that the replacement water requirements for withdrawal of ground water from the aquifer underlying the subject land area are as follows:

Area A – Withdrawal of ground water from the aquifer underlying the 45.0 acre portion of land claimed by the applicant will, within one hundred years, deplete the flow of a natural steam or its alluvial aquifer at an annual rate greater than one-tenth of one percent of the annual rate of withdrawal and, therefore, the ground water is considered to be not-nontributary ground water. Also, the location of the 45.0 acre portion of the land claimed by the applicant is closer than one mile from the aquifer contact with the alluvium. Withdrawal of water from the aquifer underlying the 45.0 acre portion of the claimed land area would impact the alluvial aquifer of Upper Black Squirrel Creek or its tributaries, which has been determined to be over-appropriated. Commission approval of a replacement plan - pursuant to Section 37-90-107.5, C.R.S., and Rule 5.6 of the Designated Basin Rules - providing for the actual depletion of the alluvial aquifer and adequate to prevent any material injury to existing water rights, would be required prior to approval of well permits for wells to be located on this portion of the land area to withdraw the allocated ground water from the aquifer.

Area B – Withdrawal of ground water from the aquifer underlying the 4.2 acre portion of the land claimed by the applicant will, within one hundred years, deplete the flow of a natural steam or its alluvial aquifer at an annual rate greater than one tenth of one percent of the annual rate of withdrawal and, therefore, the ground water is considered to be not-nontributary ground water. Also, the location of the 4.2 acre portion of the land claimed by the applicant is farther than one mile from the aquifer contact with the alluvium. The Designated Basin Rules require that at least four percent (4%) of the amount of water withdrawn annually must be returned to the uppermost aquifer in the vicinity of the permitted point or points of withdrawal.

- 14. In accordance with Section 37-90-107(7), C.R.S., upon Commission approval of a determination of water right, well permits for wells to withdraw the authorized amount of water from the aquifer shall be available upon application, subject to the conditions of this determination and the Designated Basin Rules and subject to approval by the Commission.
- 15. On February 15, 2007, in accordance with Rule 9.1 of the Designated Basin Rules, a letter was sent to the Upper Black Squirrel Creek Ground Water Management District requesting written recommendations concerning this application. No written recommendations from the district were received.
- 16. The Commission Staff has evaluated the application relying on the claims to control of the ground water in the aquifer made by the applicant.
- 17. In accordance with Sections 37-90-107(7) and 37-90-112, C.R.S., the application was published in the Ranchland News newspaper on February 22 and March 1, 2007.
- 18. No objections to the determination of water right and proposed allocation of ground water were received within the time limit set by statute.

19. In order to prevent unreasonable impairment to the existing water rights of others within the Upper Black Squirrel Creek Designated Ground Water Basin it is necessary to impose conditions on the determination of water right and proposed allocation of ground water. Under conditions as stated in the following Order, no unreasonable impairment of existing water rights will occur from approval of this determination of water right or from the issuance of well permits for wells to withdraw the authorized amount of allocated ground water from the aquifer.

ORDER

In accordance with Section 37-90-107(7), C.R.S., and the Designated Basin Rules, the Colorado Ground Water Commission orders that the application for determination of rights to designated ground water in the Denver Aquifer underlying 49.2 acres of land, generally described as as the NE¼ of the NE¼ and the E½ of the E½ of the NW¼ of the NE¼ of Section 4, Township 14 South, Range 64 West of the 6th Principal Meridian, is approved subject to the following conditions:

- 20. The allowed average annual amount of withdrawal of ground water from the aquifer shall not exceed the following: Area A = 4.0 acre-feet; Area B = 0.7 acre-feet. The allowed maximum annual amount of withdrawal may exceed the allowed average annual amount of withdrawal as long as the total volume of water withdrawn does not exceed the product of the number of years since the date of approval of this determination times the allowed average annual amount of withdrawal.
- 21. To conform to actual aquifer characteristics, the Commission may adjust the allowed average annual amount of ground water to be withdrawn from the aquifer based on analysis of geophysical logs or other site-specific data if such analysis indicates that the initial estimate of the volume of water in the aquifer was incorrect.
- 22. The applicant may pump the allowed average annual amount of withdrawal and the allowed maximum annual amount of withdrawal from one or more wells of a well field in any combination, so long as the total combined withdrawal of the wells does not exceed the amounts described in this Order.
- 23. Replacement water requirements shall be as follows:

a. For the aquifer underlying the above-described 45.0 acres of Area A, Commission approval of a replacement plan, providing for actual depletion of affected alluvial aquifers and adequate to prevent any material injury to existing water rights in such alluvial aquifers is required prior to approval of well permits for wells to be located on the overlying land area to withdraw ground water from the aquifer.

i. Upon withdrawal of the allowed maximum annual amount of withdrawal underlying Area A through wells located within Area A, the allowed maximum annual amount of withdrawal underlying the above-described Area B may be withdrawn through wells located on Area A, subject to the conditions of an approved replacement plan.

b. For the aquifer underlying the above-described 4.2 acres of Area B, at least four percent (4%) of the amount of water withdrawn annually must be returned to the uppermost aquifer in the vicinity of the permitted point or points of withdrawal.

i. Upon withdrawal of the allowed maximum annual amount of withdrawal underlying Area B through wells located within Area B, the allowed maximum annual amount of withdrawal underlying the above-described Area A may be withdrawn through wells located on Area B, subject to the conditions of an approved replacement plan.

- 24. The use of ground water from this allocation shall be limited to the following beneficial uses: domestic, commercial, industrial, irrigation, and replacement supply. The place of use shall be limited to the above described 49.2 acre land area.
- 25. The applicant, or subsequent persons controlling this water right, shall record in the public records of the county in which the claimed overlying land is located notice of transfer of any portion of this water right to another within sixty days after the transfer, so that a title examination of the above described 49.2 acre land area, or any part thereof, shall reveal the changes affecting this water right. Such notice shall consist of a signed and dated deed which indicates the determination number, the aquifer, a description of the above described land area, the annual amount of ground water (acre-feet) transferred, name of the recipient, and the date of transfer.
- 26. Subject to the above conditions, well permits for wells to withdraw the allocated annual amount of water from the aquifer shall be available upon application subject to approval by the Commission and the following conditions:
 - a. The wells shall be located on the above described 49.2 acre overlying land area.

b. The wells must be constructed to withdraw water from only the Denver Aquifer. Upon application for a well permit to construct such a well, the estimated top and base of the aquifer at the proposed well location will be determined by the Commission and indicated on the approved well permit. Plain non-perforated casing must be installed, grouted and sealed to prevent diversion of ground water from other aquifers and the movement of ground water between aquifers.

c. The entire depth of each well must be geophysically logged <u>prior</u> to installing the casing as set forth in Rule 9 of the Statewide Nontributary Ground Water Rules, 2 CCR 402-7.

d. Each well shall be constructed within 200 feet of the location specified on the approved well permit, but must be more than 600 feet from any existing large-capacity well completed in the same aquifer.

e. A totalizing flow meter or other Commission approved measuring device shall be installed on each well and maintained in good working order by the well owner. Annual diversion records shall be collected and maintained by the well owner and submitted to the Commission or the Upper Black Squirrel Creek Ground Water Management District upon their request.

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27. A copy of this Findings and Order shall be recorded by the applicant in the public records of the county in which the claimed overlying land is located so that a title examination of the above described 49.2 acre overlying land area, or any part thereof, shall reveal the existence of this determination.

Dated this 16th day of April 2007. Hal D. Simpson Executive Director Colorado Ground Water Commission By: Keith Vander Horst, P.E. Supervisor, Designated Basins

Prepared by: SKR





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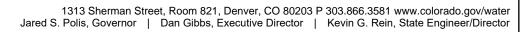


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COLORADO GROUND WATER COMMISSION FINDINGS AND ORDER

IN THE MATTER OF AN APPLICATION FOR DETERMINATION OF WATER RIGHT TO ALLOW THE WITHDRAWAL OF GROUND WATER IN THE UPPER BLACK SQUIRREL CREEK DESIGNATED GROUND WATER BASIN

APPLICANT:	THOUSAND I	HILLS LAND & CATTLE CO., LLC	Contraction of the second	· · · · · ·
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In compliance with Section 37-90-107(7), C.R.S., and the Designated Basin Rules, 2 CCR 410-1, Thousand Hills Land & Cattle Co., LLC (hereinafter "applicant") submitted an application for determination of water right to allow the withdrawal of designated ground water from the Arapahoe Aquifer.

FINDINGS

- 1. The application was received complete by the Colorado Ground Water Commission on January 24, 2007.
- 2. The applicant requests a determination of rights to designated ground water in the Arapahoe Aquifer (hereinafter "aquifer") underlying 49.2 acres, generally described as the NE¼ of the NE¼ and the E½ of the E½ of the NW¼ of the NE¼ of Section 4, Township 14 South, Range 64 West of the 6th Principal Meridian, in El Paso County. According to a signed statement dated January 23, 2007, the applicant owns the 49.2 acres of land, as further described in said affidavit which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, and claims control of the ground water in the aquifer underlying this land area.
- 3. The proposed annual amount of ground water to be allocated and withdrawn from the aquifer for intended beneficial uses is the maximum allowable amount.
- 4. The above described land area overlying the ground water claimed by the applicant is located within the boundaries of the Upper Black Squirrel Creek Designated Ground Water Basin and within the Upper Black Squirrel Creek Ground Water Management District. The Colorado Ground Water Commission (hereinafter "Commission") has jurisdiction.
- 5. The applicant intends to apply the allocated ground water to the following beneficial uses: domestic, commercial, industrial, irrigation, and replacement supply. The applicant states that these uses may be supplied with a central system. The applicant's proposed place of use of the allocated ground water is the above described 49.2 acre land area.
- 6. The quantity of water in the aquifer underlying the 49.2 acres of land claimed by the applicant is 1,422 acre-feet. This determination was based on the following as specified in the Designated Basin Rules:

a. The average specific yield of the saturated permeable material of the aquifer underlying the land under consideration that could yield a sufficient quantity of water that may be extracted and applied to beneficial use is 17 percent.

b. The average thickness of the saturated permeable material of the aquifer underlying the land under consideration that could yield a sufficient quantity of water that may be extracted and applied to beneficial use is 170 feet.

- 7. At this time, there is no substantial artificial recharge that would affect the aquifer within a one hundred year period.
- 8. Pursuant to Section 37-90-107(7), C.R.S., and in accordance with the Designated Basin Rules, the Commission shall allocate ground water in the aquifer based on ownership of the overlying land and an aquifer life of one hundred years. Therefore, the maximum allowed average annual amount of ground water in the aquifer that may be allocated for withdrawal pursuant to the data in the paragraphs above for the 49.2 acres of overlying land claimed by the applicant is 14.2 acre-feet.
- A review of the records in the Office of the State Engineer has disclosed that none of the water in the aquifer underlying the land claimed by the applicant has been previously allocated or permitted for withdrawal.
- 10. Pursuant to Section 37-90-107(7)(c)(III), C.R.S., an approved determination of water right shall be considered a final determination of the amount of ground water so determined; except that the Commission shall retain jurisdiction for subsequent adjustment of such amount to conform to the actual local aquifer characteristics from adequate information obtained from well drilling or test holes.
- 11. The ability of wells permitted to withdraw the authorized amount of water from this non-renewable aquifer may be less than the one hundred years upon which the amount of water in the aquifer is allocated, due to anticipated water level declines.
- 12. In accordance with Rule 5.3.6 of the Designated Basin Rules, it has been determined that withdrawal of ground water from the aquifer underlying the land claimed by the applicant will, within one hundred years, deplete the flow of a natural steam or its alluvial aquifer at an annual rate greater than one-tenth of one percent of the annual rate of withdrawal and, therefore, the ground water is considered to be not-nontributary ground water. Also, the location of the land claimed by the applicant is farther than one mile from the aquifer contact with the alluvium. The Designated Basin Rules require that at least four percent (4%) of the amount of water withdrawn annually must be returned to the uppermost aquifer in the vicinity of the permitted point or points of withdrawal.
- 13. In accordance with Section 37-90-107(7), C.R.S., upon Commission approval of a determination of water right, well permits for wells to withdraw the authorized amount of water from the aquifer shall be available upon application, subject to the conditions of this determination and the Designated Basin Rules and subject to approval by the Commission.
- 14. On February 15, 2007, in accordance with Rule 9.1 of the Designated Basin Rules, a letter was sent to the Upper Black Squirrel Creek Ground Water Management District requesting written recommendations concerning this application. No written recommendations from the district were received.

- 15. The Commission Staff has evaluated the application relying on the claims to control of the ground water in the aquifer made by the applicant.
- 16. In accordance with Sections 37-90-107(7) and 37-90-112, C.R.S., the application was published in the Ranchland News newspaper on February 22 and March 1, 2007.
- 17. No objections to the determination of water right and proposed allocation of ground water were received within the time limit set by statute.
- 18. In order to prevent unreasonable impairment to the existing water rights of others within the Upper Black Squirrel Creek Designated Ground Water Basin it is necessary to impose conditions on the determination of water right and proposed allocation of ground water. Under conditions as stated in the following Order, no unreasonable impairment of existing water rights will occur from approval of this determination of water right or from the issuance of well permits for wells to withdraw the authorized amount of allocated ground water from the aquifer.

ORDER

In accordance with Section 37-90-107(7), C.R.S., and the Designated Basin Rules, the Colorado Ground Water Commission orders that the application for determination of rights to designated ground water in the Arapahoe Aquifer underlying 49.2 acres of land, generally described as as the NE¼ of the NE¼ and the E½ of the E½ of the NW¼ of the NE¼ of Section 4, Township 14 South, Range 64 West of the 6th Principal Meridian, is approved subject to the following conditions:

- 19. The allowed average annual amount of withdrawal of ground water from the aquifer shall not exceed 14.2 acre-feet. The allowed maximum annual amount of withdrawal may exceed the allowed average annual amount of withdrawal as long as the total volume of water withdrawn does not exceed the product of the number of years since the date of approval of this determination times the allowed average annual amount of withdrawal.
- 20. To conform to actual aquifer characteristics, the Commission may adjust the allowed average annual amount of ground water to be withdrawn from the aquifer based on analysis of geophysical logs or other site-specific data if such analysis indicates that the initial estimate of the volume of water in the aquifer was incorrect.
- 21. The applicant may pump the allowed average annual amount of withdrawal and the allowed maximum annual amount of withdrawal from one or more wells of a well field in any combination, so long as the total combined withdrawal of the wells does not exceed the amounts described in this Order.
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Dated this 16th day of April 2007. Hal D. Simpson Executive Director Colorado Ground Water Commission Hal D. Simpson - VO 102. By: Keith Vander Horst, P.E. Supervisor, Designated Basins

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EXHIBIT A

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STATE OF COLORADO OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES JAN 2 4 2007

NONTRIBUTARY GROUND WATER LANDOWNERSHIP STATEMENT

I (we) Thousand Hills Land & Cattle Co., LLC

(Name)

claim and say that I (we) am (are) the owner(s) of the following described property consisting of 49.2 acres in the County of El Paso ______, State of Colorado:

Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter and the East Half of the East Half of the Northwest

Quarter of the Northeast Quarter, Section 4, Township 14 South, range 64 West

and, that the ground water sought to be withdrawn from the Arapahoe aquifer underlying the above-described land has not been conveyed or reserved to another, nor has consent been given to it's withdrawal by another.

Further, I (we) claim and say that I (we) have read the statements made herein; know the contents hereof; and that the same are true to my (our) own knowledge.

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(Signature)

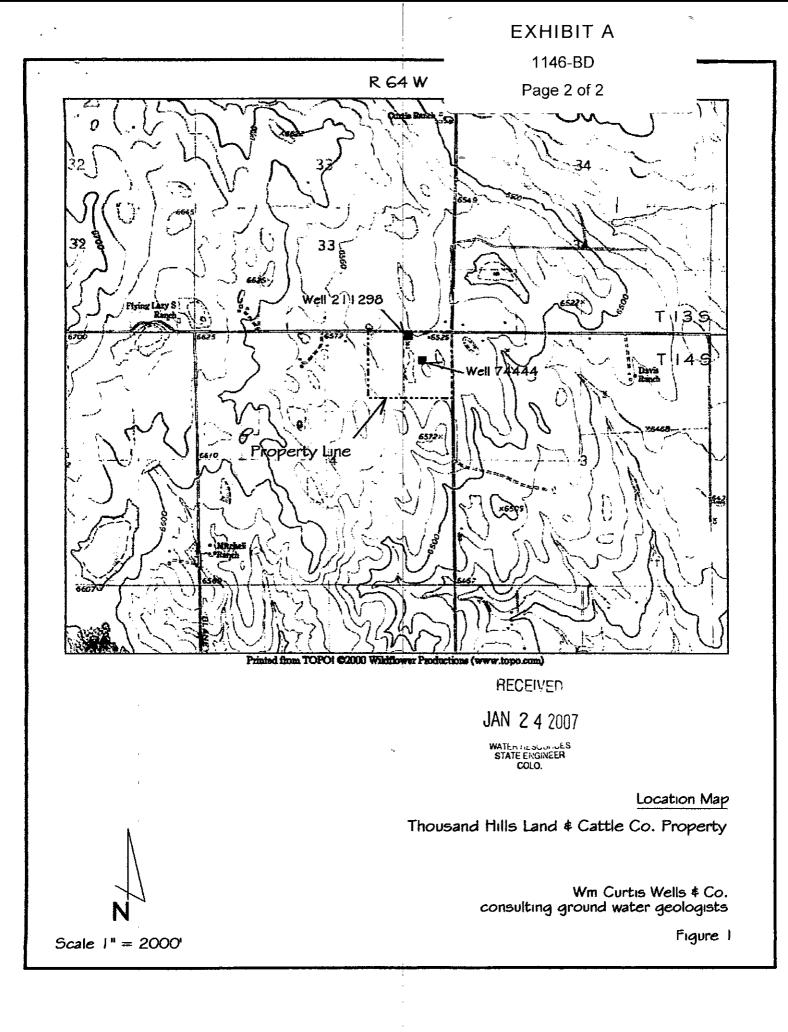
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Bicarbonate (mg/L as CaCO3)	116.1		250				
Carbonate (mg/L as CaCO3)	25.4						
Hydroxide (mg/L as CaCO3)	< 0.2			4			
Chloride (mg/L)	4.4		250				
Iron (mg/L)	0.011		0.3				
Fluoride (mg/L)	1.07		4				
Potassium (mg/L)	0.3		50				
Nitrate Nitrogen (mg/L)	< 0.05		10				
pH (units)	8.86		8.5				
Calcium (mg/L)	2.2		200				
Magnesium (mg/L)	0.03		125				
Sodium (mg/L)	87.0		100				
Sodium Adsorption Ratio (units)	15.9		4			Ratio indicates this suitable for irrigatio	
Total Hardness (mg/L as CaCO3)	5.7		500				
Sulfate (mg/L)	45.7		250				
Total Dissolved Solids (est.) (mg/L)	271		500				

Abbreviations:

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Carbonate (mg/L as CaCO3)	17.4				
Hydroxide (mg/L as CaCO3)	< 0.2				
Chloride (mg/L)	16.5		250		
Iron (mg/L)	0.013		0.3		
Fluoride (mg/L)	2.37		4		
Potassium (mg/L)	0.2		50		
Nitrate Nitrogen (mg/L)	0.15		10		
pH (units)	8.99		8.5		
Calcium (mg/L)	3.6		200		
Magnesium (mg/L)	0.04		125		
Sodium (mg/L)	98.0		100		
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