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Photo 1. IMG_583.JPG

9:26 am

July 29, 2002 DeMar Gilbert accompanied me during the field exam. Photo 1 was taken looking south at the point of diversion from Dry Creek. The ditch was overgrown by did has a little water in it.

Photo 2 was taken looking in a southeasterly direction with the POD in the foreground and the POU in the background. The POD is a 8" concrete pipe in the creek.



Photo 2. IMG_584.JPG

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Ditches are located throughout the place of use. Today the only thing that was being irrigated from this source is the yard.

Mr. Gilbert stated that by noon the water that was in the ditch would be gone.

The property is irrigated by flood irrigation only. Marsh Creek is also used on the property east of Marsh Creek (section 10) road under 29-2016A. Dave Carlson is making the recommendation of this claim

Ditch at POD.



Photo 3. IMG_585.JPG

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Photo 3 was taken looking easterly at the POU. The irrigated POU is on both sides of the road in section 9 & 10. The water is diverted to the property east of the road through the culvert shown in photo 4. Dry creek hasn't had a lot of water in recent years so many of the ditches are overgrown.

July 30, 2002 Allen Ruberry and I stopped by Mr. Gilberts at 12:30 pm to measure the water in the ditch. There wasn't enough water in the ditch to measure. Mr. Gilbert had told me turning the field exam that the water is gone by noon.

Mr. Gilbert had an abstract of the property and it appears that the additional acreage in sections 3 & 4 was combined with the land in sections 9 and 10 in about 1916.

A large berm was installed in the early nineties in the NENE and the SENE of section 9 to reduce the damage from flash flooding.



Photo 4. IMG_586.JPG

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