

Permit 29-7931A - Timeline of Events

March 15, 1990

Application for Permit 29-7931 filed by Ward & Sons
POD = NWNWSW, Sec. 36, T11S, R33E
POU = 627 acres in Sec. 35 and Sec. 36, T11S, R33E
Rate = 9.00 cfs irrigation; 0.07 cfs stockwater; 9.00 cfs total
App included March 12, 1990 letter from Vance Ward to IDWR
Proposed well was drilled in 1980 under Permit 29-7291
Power was not supplied to proposed well at that time
Proposed well has not yet been developed

January 22, 1991

Permit 29-7931 issued by IDWR
POD / POU / Rate same as in application
Proof of Beneficial Use due by February 1, 1995

January 1993

Water right 29-7291 ground water well collapsed during cleaning/maintenance
Well located in NWSW of Sec. 35, T11S, R33E

June 1993

Replacement well drilled under water right 29-7291 – did not produce water.

September 16, 1993

Receipt from Funk Irrigation & Implement
Hundreds of feet of pipe, joints, valves, and pump installation services

October 31, 1994

Letter from Vance Ward to IDWR
In January 1993 well (under water right 29-7291) collapsed during cleaning.
Attempted to replace well in May 1993, but new well did not produce.
Had to pipe water from the well for Permit 29-7931 to acres under right 29-7291.

November 3, 1994

Request for Extension of Time filed by Ward & Sons
Refers to expense of drilling a well to replace the collapsed well under 29-7291

December 6, 1994

Extension of Time granted by IDWR
Proof of Beneficial Use due by February 1, 1998

1994/1995

Application to Amend Permit 29-7931
Proposed to move 75 acres to a POU/POD in the ESPA
Assignment of a portion of Permit 29-7931 to G&L Farms
Permit 29-7931 split into 29-7931A (Ward & Sons) and 29-7931B (G&L Farms)
Permit 29-7931A (Ward & Sons)
Rate = 7.85 cfs irrigation, 0.07 cfs stockwater, 7.85 cfs total
POU = 552 acres in Sec. 35 and Sec. 36, T11S, R33E
Amendment denied by IDWR in 1995. Permit 29-7931B lapsed.

January 9, 1998

Letter from Vance Ward to IDWR

Well drilled under Permit 29-7931: 350 feet deep, 20 inch casing

Currently irrigating 75 acres under Permit 29-7931

The rest of the water is diverted to an existing system with well problems

Describes well collapse and unsuccessful replacement well in greater detail

January 15, 1998

Request for Extension of Time filed by Ward & Sons

January 9, 1998 letter included with request.

February 9, 1998

Extension of Time granted by IDWR

Proof of Beneficial Use due by February 1, 2000

February 16, 2000

Proof of Beneficial Use filed by Ward & Sons for Permit 29-7931A

Proof says well was drilled in Nov/Dec 1980 by Cushman Drilling

Acres irrigated = 420 acres, Diversion rate = 7.85 cfs

April 7, 2000

Order Reinstating Permit 29-7931A

Proof was due on February 1, 2000, but was received on February 16, 2000

Priority advanced to March 30, 1990.

October 4, 2000

Field exam conducted by Keith Wilson of IDWR

POD = NWNWSW, Sec. 36, T11S, R33E

POU = 411 acres in Sec. 35 and Sec. 36, T11S, R33E

Measured Diversion Rate = 6.28 cfs

Using same motor & pump as License 29-7291 (while that well is repaired).