



DEPARTMENT of ENVIRONMENT
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**TEMPORARY PERMIT TO USE PUBLIC WATERS
FOR CONSTRUCTION PURPOSES**

This temporary permit to use public waters for construction purposes is issued to Rachel Contracting, LLC, 4180 Napier Court NE, St Michael MN 55376 authorizing withdrawal of 800,000 gallons of water at a maximum rate of 320 gallons per minute from stock dams located in Section 32, T11N, R7E and Section 24, T10N, R7E in Butte County. Water will be used for dust suppression during construction of the Willow Creek Wind Farm near Newell SD.

This temporary permit becomes effective May 4, 2020 and expires on November 30, 2020.

This permit does not provide necessary right-of-way. Such arrangements should be made with the proper landowner.

Issuance of this temporary permit deals with the withdrawal of water only. It does not address other concerns or permitting issues from other State or Federal entities.

Issued: March 11, 2020

Eric Gronlund
Eric Gronlund, Chief Engineer
Water Rights Program
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Steve Gatzke, 18435 Twilight Rd, Newell SD 57760



TO: Department of Environment & Natural Resources
Water Rights Program
523 E. Capitol
Pierre, SD 57501-3181

REQUEST FOR TEMPORARY PERMIT TO USE PUBLIC WATERS

1. Company or person making the application for temporary permit.

Name Rachel Contracting
Address 4180 Napier Ct. NE
City, State, Zip St. Michael MN 55376 phone 763-424-1500
763 274-9987

2. Project or Projects on which water will be used (if highway construction, please include DOT project number including P.C.N. for state highway projects)

Willow Creek Wind Project

3. Source of water Cattle Ponds

4. Location of pumping station or stations. (quarter section, section, township and range)

11 N 7E 32 , 10 N 7E 24

5. If the pumping station is from surface water, what access area is intended (off county road, public access, private access, other)

Private approach

6. Is this area owned by Game, Fish & Parks or in a game production area? Yes No

7. Maximum total amount of water (in gallons) that will be used 800,000

8. Total daily withdrawal (gallons) 8,000

9. Pump rate (gallons per minute) 320

10. Date when water use will commence 5-4-20

11. Date when water use will cease 11-30-20

12. How do you wish to be notified of action taken on your application?

US mail

Email

Fax

Email Address:

DKollet@rachelcontracting.com

Fax No. _____

13. Comments:

This permit is for a wind farm project.

Office Use Only:
REVIEWED BY: [Signature]
DATE REVIEWED: 5-10-20
RECOMMENDATION: [Signature]

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