# NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY TO LEASE GOVERNMENT PROPERTY

Notice No. **DACW41-21-B-RE-0037** 

Located at **KANOPOLIS LAKE, KANSAS**For Hay, Crop and Grazing Purposes Only

## BID OPENING WILL BE CONDUCTED

Date: February 24, 2021

Location: Corps of Engineers, Kansas City District

635 Federal Building 601 East 12th Street

Real Estate Division, Rm 613 (Map Room)

Kansas City, Missouri 64106-2824

\*\*Prospective Bidders are required to meet with Kanopolis Lake Project Personnel prior to bid opening. See paragraph 22 of the Land Use Requirementes for more information.



### **Property to be Leased:**

Number of items: 5 Usable acres: 1107.3

Term: 5 Crop/Hay Seasons Beginning: January 1, 2021 Ending: December 31, 2025

Dated: January 11, 2021

<sup>\*\*</sup> See attached application for details

# Notice of Availability For Leasing Property of the United States Kanopolis Lake, Kansas

Sealed applications, subject to the conditions and terms contained herein, will be received at the office of the District Engineer: Corps of Engineers Kansas City District, P.O. Box 15339, Kansas City, MO 64016-2824, until **February 19, 2021** for the leasing of the following described Government Property:

- 1. <u>INSPECTION INFORMATION.</u> Arrangements for an inspection of the lease units are to be made with **the Operations Manager**, **Kanopolis Lake Project Office**, **105 Riverside Drive**, **Marquette**, **Kansas 67464**. It is the responsibility of each applicant to inspect the tract, read the attached lease (including the Land Use Requirements) and discuss any areas of concern with the Operations Manager.
- 2. <u>DESCRIPTION</u>. See attached maps for description of the property. The maps are believed to be correct, but any error or omission in the description of the property or on the maps shall not constitute any ground or reason for nonperformance of the provisions and conditions of the lease or claim by the lessee for any refund or deductions from the rental. All acreages stated in this Notice of Availability are approximate. Prospective applicants should verify the actual useable acreage for each lease unit.
- 3. <u>PURPOSE OF LEASING.</u> The property may be leased for **crop/hay/grazing production** as stated on the application sheet.
- **4.** <u>AUTHORITY OF LAW.</u> The authority of law for the granting of this lease is Title 10, United States Code, Section 2667.

#### 5. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASING.

#### a. Form of Lease.

- (1) The successful applicant will be required to enter into a lease with the United States on the lease form attached hereto. The lease will be subject to any existing easements for electric power transmission lines, telephone or telegraph lines, water, gas, gasoline, oil, or sewer pipelines, or other facilities located on the property covered by said lease.
- (2) Maintenance requirements contained therein are an integral part of the consideration for the tract, and failure to accomplish required maintenance could result in revocation of the lease for noncompliance.
- **b. Term.** The leases will be for a term beginning **January 1, 2021** and for the duration specified on the application sheet.

**c.** Combining Lease Units. In the event an application is successful on more than one of the tracts advertised herein, they may be combined in one lease.

#### d. Payments of Rental.

- (1) The multiple-year lease will provide for the payment of cash rental to the United States, annually in advance of 1 January, each year thereafter.
- (2) Term Rental Payments, if the lease's rent for the entire term totals less than \$2,500 AND there are no rental abatements involved, **the lease may, at the government's option**, provide for the payment of cash rental to the United States for the entire term, in advance.

#### e. Deposit Required for Annual and Term Rental.

- (1) General: No application will be considered unless it is accompanied with a separate deposit for each application. Such deposit must be in the form of a check or money order, payable to the FAO-USAED Kansas City. In the event of default by the successful lease applicant, that applicant's deposit may be applied by the Government to any Government loss, cost and expense occasioned thereby, including any incurred in leasing the property and any difference between the rent for another lease, if the latter amount is less. The applicant is liable for the full amount of damages sustained by the Government because of his default; such liability is not limited to the amount of the applicant's deposit. Deposits of unsuccessful lease applicants will be returned, without interest, as promptly as possible after rejection.
- (2) Annual Rental: Each unit with an annual rental amount up to \$1,000.00 AND not requiring a first year Rental Offset will require a deposit of the full amount. Any application over \$1,000.00 annually OR any application on a lease unit requiring a first year Rental Offset will be approximately equal to but not less than ten (10) percent of the annual rental offered for each item, in order to guarantee that the applicant will enter into a written lease and pay the balance of the rental due within ten (10) days after receipt of written notice of acceptance of his application and a draft of lease for execution.
- (3) Term Rental: Each unit with a term rental amount of \$2,500.00 or less and with no rental abatements involved with the lease, will require an application deposit of the full rental amount of the term, for each item, in order to guarantee that the applicant will enter into a written lease
- f. Reservations and Crop Limitations. Lands comprising the project area were purchased with public funds primarily for flood control purposes. The recreational use of the project lands is also recognized. Utilization of these lands is administered as determined to be in the best interest of the public. It is anticipated that certain areas may be required for operational, recreational or other allocated purposes. In the event

that it becomes necessary during a season of the lease to remove and convert all or a portion of the leasehold to another use, an equitable adjustment will be made in the rental in accordance with applicable provisions of the lease.

- **g. Warranty.** The property described herein will be leased subject to the provisions and conditions of the Notice of Availability and the attached lease form. The property is now subject to inspection by prospective applicants. Applicants are expected to inspect the property and form their own conclusions as to its suitability for their purposes. The failure of any applicant to make such inspection will not constitute grounds for any claim for adjustment or for the withdrawal of his application after the time of application opening. The Government makes no guaranty or warranty, either expressed or implied, with respect to the property. It is to be understood and agreed that there is no warranty of any character other than that expressly stated in this notice of availability.
- h. Award of Lease. Leases will be awarded to the highest applicant who is responsive to this Notice of Availability, provided that the applicant is responsible, the application is reasonable, and it is in the interest of the United States to accept it. Identical offers will be decided by drawing lots. An award letter and a copy of the lease to be signed and returned by the Lessee, will be sent to the winning applicant.
- i. Acceptance of Applications. All applications will remain open for acceptance or rejection for ten (10) days from the date of opening. Notice of award will be given as soon as practicable to the successful applicant or, to a duly authorized representative, in writing at the address indicated in the application.
- **j.** Rejection of Applications. The right is reserved, as the interests of the Government may require, to reject, at any time any and all applications, to waive any informality in applications received, and to accept or reject any items of any application unless such application is qualified by specific limitation.

#### 6. INSTRUCTION TO APPLICANTS.

- a. Applicants Subject to These Terms. All applications submitted shall be deemed to have been made with full knowledge of all the terms herein contained. Respondents are expected to inspect the property and form their own conclusions as to its suitability for the stated purposes.
- **b. Application Format.** Applications must be submitted on the application form attached hereto, and must be accompanied with the Taxpayer Identification Form and the required deposit for each application.
- **c.** Qualification of Applicants. Applications qualified on an "all or none" basis will not be accepted. Other qualifications on applications which deviate from the terms of the Notice of Availability will be rejected.

- d. Submission of Applications. It will be the duty of each applicant to have the application delivered by the time and at the place prescribed in the Notice of Availability. If the application is returned by mail, it is recommended that the application be submitted by Special Delivery or Certified Mail with return receipt for verification of delivery date. Mail early so the mailed application will arrive at the Kansas City District office on the date and by the time stated in this Notice of Availability, no late applications will be accepted. In person delivery of applications is not available due to the COVID-19 Pandemic. Applications will be securely kept, unopened. No responsibility will attach for the premature opening of an application not properly addressed and identified. Mailed bids must be received by February 19, 2021.
- **e. Marking and Sealing Applications.** The Notice of Availability number and application opening time must be plainly marked on the sealed envelope in which applications are submitted.

## Inner Envelope Label

Notice No. DACW41-21-B-RE-0037 Date of opening: February 24, 2021

#### **SEALED BID. DO NOT OPEN**

US Army Corps of Engineers Kansas City District P.O. Box 15339 Kansas City, MO 64106



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f. Execution of Applications. Each application must give a full address, telephone number, and email of the applicant and be signed with the applicant's usual signature. Any additional sheets shall be identified with the applicant's name. An application signed by an attorney or agent in behalf of the applicant shall be accompanied by an authenticated copy of the Power of Attorney, or other evidence of authority to act on behalf of the applicant. If the applicant is a corporation, the attached Corporate Certificate must be completed. If the application is signed by the secretary of the corporation, the Certificate must be signed by some other officer of the corporation

under the corporate seal. In lieu of the Corporate Certificate, there may be attached to the application copies of as much of the records of the corporation as will show the official character and authority of the officer signing, duly certified by the secretary or assistant secretary, under the corporate seal, to be true copies.

- g. Application Modifications, Withdrawals, or Late Applications. The person whose duty it is to open the applications will decide when withdrawal of an application will be considered. Applications may be modified or withdrawn only by written requests received from applicants prior to the time fixed for opening. Negligence in preparing the application confers no right to withdraw the application after it has been opened. Applications, modifications, or withdrawals received after the time fixed for opening and before award is made will be considered if sent by special delivery or certified mail not later than the 7th calendar day prior to the date specified for receipt of applications or if sent by mail and it is determined by the Government that the late receipt was due solely to mishandling by the Government after receipt by said officer.
- h. Opening of Applications. At the time fixed for the opening, application contents will be made public. Applicant Social Security numbers or Tax Identification numbers will not be made public.
- i. **Default.** In the event that the successful responder fails to enter into a lease within thirty (30) days after receipt of Government notification that his/her offer has been accepted and receipt of a draft lease for execution, or in the event that the successful applicant fails to comply with the terms of this Notice, the Government may declare the applicant in default and retain the deposit as liquidated damages. The applicant may also be place on the no-bid list which would preclude them from bidding on Lease Units in the future.
- **j.** Additional Information. Arrangements for inspection, individual tract maps, additional copies of the notice, application sheets, or other additional information may be obtained from the District Engineer, Kansas City District, Corps of Engineers, Attn: Real Estate Division, 635 Federal Building, 601 East 12th Street, Kansas City, Missouri 64106-2824, or the Operations Manager, U.S. Army, Corps of Engineers, Kanopolis Lake.
- k. Attendance to Bid Openings is not available due to the COVID-19 Pandemic.

## **Application Form**

For Leasing Property Owned By The United States Kanopolis Lake, Kansas

To:	District Engineer		
	US Army Corps of Engineers	Date	
	Kansas City District		
	P.O. Box 15339		
	Kansas City, Missouri 64106		

#### Dear Miss/Sir:

The undersigned, in accordance with the **Notice for Availability, No. DACW41-21-B-RE-0037**, dated **January 11, 2021**, for the leasing of property at Kanopolis Lake, Kansas, and subject to all the conditions and requirements thereof, which, so far as they relate to this application, are made a part of it, proposes to enter into a lease for the property below, and hereby agree(s) to pay the rental set out below:

**TERM:** The following 5 items are for 5 crop/hay/grazing seasons, with the first season beginning **January 1, 2021** and last season ending **December 31, 2025**.

**NOTE:** All lease units are subject to the requirements set forth in sections A, B, and C of the "General Requirements" document.

		Useable Acreage			
Item	Lease Unit (LU)	Crop	Hay	Pasture	Bid Amount Per Year
1	12B	0	0	34.5	\$
2	25/32A	96.2	0	0	\$
3	29/31A	26.7	61.2	0	\$
4	32B/33/34A/36A	0	0	637.6	\$
5	38B/39A	0	0	251.1	\$

I (we) make this application with full knowledge of all the conditions and requirements herein-before set forth, and if this offer is accepted, I (we) agree to promptly execute an appropriate lease, which I (we) understand you will furnish me (us), and return all copies of the same to your office within ten (10) days from the date it is delivered to me (us). If I (we) fail or refuse to execute and return said lease as aforesaid, the Government may declare this application in default and deposit submitted within support hereof will be retained by the United States as liquidated damages.

#### (Applications must be signed and returned)

Printed Name	Signature
Street Address	
City, State, and Zip Code	
Email Address	Telephone No.
Date	

Note: If applying as a partnership, the names of the firm or partnership must appear above the signature. The application must then be signed by all of the partners or the application may be signed by any one of the partners as one of the firm, provided the names and addresses of all of the partners are listed on this application.

## **CORPORATE CERTIFICATE**

I, (Name), certify that I am the	
(Title) of the	e Corporation named as applicant herein; that
of said Co	orporation; who signed the said application on
behalf of the Corporation, was known to r	me and was then
(Title) of the Corporation. I further certify t	that the said officer was acting within the scope
of powers delegated to this officer by the	governing body of the corporation in executing
said instrument.	
Date	Corporate Secretary or
	Appropriate Officer
(AFFIX CORDODATE SEAL)	

(AFFIX CORPORATE SEAL)

TAXPAYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER
NAME:
LEASE NO:
LEASE NO:(FOR OFFICIAL USE) PROJECT: KANOPOLIS LAKE, KANSAS
This Taxpayer Identification Sheet contains information subject to the Privacy Act
of 1974 as amended.
ACCESS TO SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS- Notwithstanding section 552a of title 5, United States Code, creditor agencies to which a delinquent claim is owed, and their agents, may match their debtor records with the Social Security Administration records to verify name, name control, Social Security number, address, and date of birth.
Reference 31 U.S.C. § 7701 (c) each person doing business with a Federal agency must furnish to that agency such person's taxpayer identifying number and Section 4 of the Debt Collection Act of 1982 (Public Law 97-365, 96 Stat. 1749, 26 U.S.C. 6103 note).
As required by law, please provide your "taxpayer identification number" in the space below. For individuals, this number is most likely your social security number. Corporations and other entities should also have a Tax I.D. number.
You are hereby notified that this taxpayer identification number will be used for purposes of collecting and reporting on any delinquent amounts arising out of your relationship with the Army. Should delinquent amounts have to be written off, the number will be used to generate an IRS Form 1099-C reporting this as income to you. In addition, should this office pay money to you that is considered income, the number will be used to generate an applicable IRS Form 1099.
This office may not conduct business with you unless such number is provided.
Taxpayer identification number (SSN):
Signature:
Printed name:

# DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY LEASE FOR AGRICULTURAL OR GRAZING PURPOSES LOCATED AT KANOPOLIS LAKE, ELLSWORTH COUNTY, KANSAS

**THIS LEASE**, made on behalf of the United States, between the **SECRETARY OF THE ARMY**, acting by and through the Real Estate Contracting Officer, Real Estate Division, U.S. Army Engineer District, **Kansas City**, hereinafter referred to as the Lessor, and **<<Company or Individual Name>>**, with its principal address at **<<ADDRESS>>**, <<CITY, STATE, ZIP>>, hereinafter referred to as the Lessee.

#### WITNESSETH:

That the Lessor finds that this Lease is advantageous to the United States, that the terms and conditions are considered to promote the national defense or to be in the public interest; that the Premises are under the control of the Lessor; that the Premises are not needed for the Term below for public use by the Lessor; and that the property is not excess property.

That the Lessor, by the authority of Title 10, United States Code, Section 2667, and for the consideration hereinafter set forth, hereby leases to the Lessee the property identified as Lease Unit, containing approximately acres, as shown in <b>EXHIBIT A -Map</b> attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereinafter referred to as the Premises, for purposes, and in accordance with <b>EXHIBIT B -Land Use Requirements</b> , which is attached hereto and made a part hereof.
THIS LEASE is granted subject to the following conditions:
1. TERM

Said Premises are hereby leased for a term of <u>5</u> (#) <<crop, hay, grazing seasons>><<years>>, beginning *January 1, 2021* Year and ending *December 31, 2025*, unless earlier terminated pursuant to the condition on **TERMINATION**.

#### 2. CONSIDERATION

a. . The Lessee shall pay cash rental in advance of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2021 to the United States in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_\_(\$----), and thereafter annually by January 1 payable to the order of the "FAO USAED-Kansas City", and forwarded by the Lessee direct to The USACE Finance Center, Kansas City District/G5, 5722 Integrity Drive, Millington, Tennessee 38054-5005 and must notate this Lease number with each payment transaction. Such cash rental shall be offset by the value of work items approved for abatement and accomplished by the Lessee for the

maintenance, protection, repair, restoration, and improvement of the leased premises as described in the Exhibit B -Land Use Requirements previously attached above.

- **b.** All rent and other payments due under the terms of this Lease must be paid on or before the date due in order to avoid the mandatory sanctions imposed by the Debt Collection Act of 1982 (31 U.S.C. Section 3717). This statute requires the imposition of an interest charge for the late payment of debts owed to the United States; an administrative charge to cover the costs of processing and handling delinquent debts; and the assessment of an additional penalty charge on any portion of a debt that is more than 90 days past due. The provisions of the statute will be implemented as follows:
- (1) The United States will impose an interest charge, the amount to be determined by law or regulation, on late payment of rent. Interest will accrue from <<th>due date>><< the later of the due date or the date notification of the amount due is mailed to the Lessee>>. An administrative charge to cover the cost of processing and handling each late payment will also be imposed.
- (2) In addition to the charges set forth above, the United States will impose a penalty charge of six percent (6%) per annum on any payment or portion thereof, more than ninety (90) days past due. The penalty shall accrue from the date of delinquency and will continue to accrue until the debt is paid in full.
- (3) All payments received will be applied first to any accumulated interest, administrative and penalty charges, and then to any unpaid rental or other payment balance. Interest will not accrue on any administrative or late payment penalty charge.

#### 3. SUPERVISION BY THE LESSOR AND DISTRICT ENGINEER

- **a.** The use and occupation of the Premises incident to the exercise of the privileges and purposes hereby granted shall be subject to the supervision and approval of the Lessor and to such general rules and regulations as the Lessor may from time to time prescribe.
- **b.** The Premises shall be under the general supervision and subject to the approval of the District Engineer, who is the officer with operational control over the Premises, hereinafter referred to as said officer. The Lessee's use of the Premises shall be accomplished in such manner as not to endanger personnel or property of the said officer or obstruct travel on any road or other thoroughfare.

#### 4. COST OF UTILITIES

The Lessee shall pay the cost, as determined by the said officer, of producing and/or supplying any utilities and other services furnished by the Government or through Government-owned facilities for the use of the Lessee, including the Lessee's

proportionate share of the cost of operation and maintenance of the government-owned facilities by which such utilities or services are produced or supplied. The Government shall be under no obligation to furnish utilities or services. Payment shall be made in the manner prescribed by the said officer.

#### 5. NOTICES

- **a.** All notices and correspondence to be given pursuant to this Lease shall be addressed, if to the Lessee, to <<NAME>>, <<ADDRESS>>, <<CITY>>, <<STATE>>, <<ZIP CODE>>; and if to the Lessor, to the Real Estate Contracting Officer, Attention: Chief, Real Estate Division, Kansas City District, Corps of Engineers, 635 Federal Building, 601 East 12<sup>th</sup> Street, Kansas City, Missouri 64106-2824; or as may from time to time otherwise be directed by the parties.
- **b.** Notices shall be mailed by certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, addressed to the addresses listed in 5.a. above. The effective date of the notice shall be the earlier of the actual date of receipt or the date the addressee is notified of the attempted delivery of the certified mail, whether or not the addressee actually accepts delivery. Use of an express delivery service will not substitute for this requirement.
- **c.** Communications other than notices required under this Lease may be sent by means other than certified mail, return receipt requested, including electronic mail." Such communications include routine matters of coordination and informal exchange of information.

#### 6. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVES

Except as otherwise specifically provided, any reference herein to "Secretary of the Army", "Real Estate Contracting Officer", "Lessor", "said officer", or "Chief, Real Estate Division" shall include their duly authorized representatives. Any reference to "Lessee" shall include sublessees, licensees, assignees, transferees, successors, and their duly authorized representatives.

## 7. IDENTIFICATION OF GOVERNMENT AGENCIES, STATUTES, PROGRAMS, AND FORMS

Any reference in this Lease, by name or number, to a government department, agency, statute, regulation, program, or form shall include any successor, amendment, or similar department, agency, statute, regulation, program, or form.

#### 8. APPLICABLE LAWS AND REGULATIONS

- **a.** The Lessee shall comply with all applicable Federal, State, county, and municipal laws, ordinances, and regulations wherein the Premises are located.
- **b.** The Lessee shall be solely responsible for obtaining at its cost and expense any permits or licenses required for its operations under this Lease, independent of any existing permits or licenses held by the Lessor.
- **c.** The Lessee understands and acknowledges that the granting of this Lease does not eliminate the necessity of obtaining any Department of the Army permit which may be required pursuant to the provisions of Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 3 March 1899 (30 Stat. 1151; 33 U.S.C. § 403), Section 404 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. § 1344) or Section 408 (33 U.S.C. § 408) or any other permit or license which may be required by Federal, State, interstate, or local laws, regulations, and ordinances in connection with the Lessee's use of the Premises.
- d. The Lessee shall promptly report to the Lessor any incident for which the Lessee is required to notify a Federal, State, or local regulatory agency or any citation by a Federal, State, or local regulatory agency of non-compliance with any applicable law, ordinance, or regulation.

#### 9. DISCLAIMER

This Lease is effective only insofar as the rights of the United States in the Premises are concerned; and the Lessee shall obtain such permission as may be required on account of any other existing rights.

#### 10. TRANSFERS AND ASSIGNMENTS

Without prior written approval of the Lessor, the Lessee shall not transfer or assign this Lease, sublet the Premises or any part thereof, or grant any interest, privilege, or license whatsoever in connection with this Lease. Failure to comply with this paragraph shall constitute a breach for which the Lessor may immediately terminate the Lease.

#### 11. CONDITION OF PREMISES

**a.** The Lessee acknowledges that it has inspected the Premises, knows its condition, and understands that the same is leased without any representations or warranties whatsoever and without obligation on the part of the United States to make any alterations, repairs, or additions thereto.

#### 12. SUBJECT TO EASEMENTS

This Lease is subject to all existing easements, whether of record or not, or those subsequently granted as well as established access routes for roadways and utilities

located, or to be located, on the Premises, provided that the proposed grant of any new easement or route will be coordinated with the Lessee, and easements will not be granted which will, in the opinion of the Lessor, interfere with the use of the Premises by the Lessee.

#### 13. SUBJECT TO MINERAL INTERESTS

This Lease is subject to all outstanding mineral interests. As to federally-owned mineral interests, the Lessee understands and acknowledges that such interests may be included in present or future mineral leases issued by the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Department of the Interior which has responsibility for mineral development on federal lands. The Lessor will provide lease stipulations to BLM for inclusion in said mineral leases that are designed to protect the Premises from activities that would interfere with the Lessee's operations or would be contrary to local law.

#### 14. PROTECTION OF PROPERTY

- **a.** For the purposes of this condition, the term "Lessee" shall include Lessee's employees, officers, agents, invitees, contractors and subcontractors, assigns, licensees, sublessees, subgrantees, and other affiliates.
- **b.** The Lessee shall keep the Premises in good order and repair and in a decent, clean, sanitary, and safe condition by and at the expense of the Lessee. The Lessee shall be responsible for any damage that may be caused to property of the United States by the activities of the Lessee under this Lease, and shall exercise due diligence in the protection of all property located on the Premises against fire or damage from any and all other causes. Any property of the United States damaged or destroyed by the Lessee incident to the exercise of the privileges herein granted shall be promptly repaired or replaced by the Lessee to a condition satisfactory to the Lessor, or at the election of the Lessor, reimbursement made therefore by the Lessee in an amount necessary to restore or replace the property to a condition satisfactory to the Lessor.
- c. The Lessee shall immediately notify the Lessor upon discovery of any hazardous conditions on the Premises that present an immediate threat to health and/or danger to life or property. The Lessor, upon discovery of any hazardous conditions on the Premises that present an immediate threat to health and/or danger to life or property, will so notify the Lessee. In addition to the rights of termination for noncompliance or at will (for any reason at any time), upon discovery of any hazardous conditions on the Premises by the Government, or upon notice of Lessee's discovery of such conditions, the Government shall close, or cause the Lessee to close the affected part or all of the Premises to the public until such condition is corrected and the danger to the public eliminated. If the condition is not corrected, the Lessor will have the option to: (1) correct the hazardous conditions and collect the cost of repairs and any other resulting damages, including consequential damages and loss in value to the premises from the Lessee, if the conditions were caused by Lessee; or, (2) revoke the Lease for

noncompliance or at will (for any reason at any time) and the Lessee shall restore the Premises in accordance with the Condition on **RESTORATION**. The Lessee shall have no claim for damages against the United States, or any officer, agent, or employee thereof on account of action taken pursuant to this condition on **PROTECTION OF PROPERTY**. Hazardous conditions not caused by the Lessee will be dealt with at the discretion of the Lessor, but the Lessee will nonetheless be responsible for closing the area as directed by the Lessor or complying the Lessor's closing of the area, as applicable, in accordance with this condition.

#### 15. RIGHT TO ENTER AND FLOOD

The right is reserved to the United States, its officers, agents, and employees to enter upon the Premises at any time and for any purpose necessary or convenient in connection with government purposes; to make inspections, to remove timber or other material, except property of the Lessee, <<to flood the Premises, to manipulate the level of the lake or pool in any manner whatsoever>> and/or to make any other use of the Premises or portion(s) thereof as may be necessary in connection with government purposes, and the Lessee shall have no claim for damages on account thereof against the United States or any officer, agent, or employee thereof.

#### 16. TITLE TO IMPROVEMENTS

The demolition, renovation, and construction of improvements by the Lessee are private undertakings, and during the term of this Lease title to all such improvements vest and remain in Lessee. The improvements shall remain real property for the duration of this Lease. All structures and equipment furnished by the Lessee shall be and remain the property of the Lessee during the term of the Lease. Upon expiration, revocation, or termination of the Lease, disposition of such improvements shall be accomplished in accordance with the condition on **RESTORATION**.

#### 17. DESTRUCTION BY UNAVOIDABLE CASUALITY

If the Premises or improvements thereon shall be destroyed or be so totally damaged by fire or other unavoidable casualty so as to render the Premises untenantable, wholly or in part, then payment of rent shall cease and either party may forthwith terminate this Lease by written notice to that effect, notwithstanding the condition on **TERMINATION**. If part of the Premises or the improvements were rendered untenantable, rental payment may be apportioned to reflect the part remaining usable to Lessee. In the event the Lease is not terminated, the Lessor shall diligently proceed to return the Premises and improvements to operation and resume payment of rent in a manner and in a timeframe satisfactory to the Lessor.

#### 18. RENTAL ADJUSTMENT

In the event the Lessor revokes this Lease or in any other manner materially

reduces the Premises or materially affects its use by the Lessee prior to the expiration date, an equitable adjustment will be made in the rental paid or to be paid under this Lease. Where the Premises are being used for farming purposes, the Lessee shall have the right to harvest, gather and remove such crops as may have been planted or grown on said Premises, or the Lessor may require the Lessee to vacate immediately and, if funds are available, compensation will be made to the Lessee for the value of the remaining crops. Any adjustment of rent or the right to harvest, gather and remove corps shall be evidenced by a written supplemental agreement, executed by the Lessor; PROVIDED, however, that none of the provisions of this paragraph shall apply in the event of revocation because of noncompliance by the Lessee with any of the terms and conditions of this Lease and in that event any remaining crops shall become property of the United States upon such revocation.

#### 19. PROHIBITED USES

- a. Certain soil conservation practices may be required by the Land Use Requirements which are identified as rental offsets. By acceptance of such offsets, the Lessee agrees that he will not accept any Federal or State cost-sharing payments or subsidies for the same soil conservation practices.
- **b.** The Lessee shall not construct or place any structure, improvement, or advertising sign on the Premises, or allow or permit such construction or placement without prior written approval of the Lessor.

#### 20. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

- **a**. The Lessee, including the Lessee's sublessees, successors, or assigns, and the employees, agents, contractors and invitees of any of them, will use all reasonable means available to protect the environmental and natural resources and where damage nonetheless occurs from activities of the Lessee, including the Lessee's subtenant/successors or assigns, employees, agents, contractors and invitees of any of them, the Lessee shall be liable to restore the damaged resources.
- **b.** The Lessee, including the Lessee's sublessees, successors, or assigns, and the employees, agents, contractors, and invitees of any of them, shall protect the <<NAME OF CIVIL WORKS PROJECT>> against pollution of its air, ground, and waters by complying, at its sole cost and expense, with all Environmental Laws that are or may become applicable to the Premises or the Lessee's activities on the Premises, including but not limited to all applicable federal, State, and local laws, regulations, United States Army Corps of Engineers policies, and other requirements. The disposal of any toxic or hazardous materials within the Premises is specifically prohibited.
- **c.** The term "Environmental Law", as used herein, means any statute, law, act, ordinance, rule, regulation, order, decree, or ruling of any Federal, State, and/or local governmental, quasi-governmental, administrative or judicial body, agency, board, commission, or other authority relating to the protection of health and/or the

environment or otherwise regulating and/or restricting the use, storage, disposal, treatment, handling, release, and/or transportation of Hazardous Substances, including, without limitation, the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, the Clean Air Act, the Hazardous Materials Transportation Act, the Toxic Substances Control Act, the Emergency Planning and Community Right To Know Act, and the environmental control laws of the State of <<STATE NAME>>, each as now or hereafter amended, and all regulations and interpretive guidelines respectively promulgated thereunder. Compliance with such regulations, conditions, or instructions in effect or prescribed by the Environmental Protection Agency, or any Federal, State, interstate or local governmental agency, are hereby made a condition of this Lease.

- **d.** The Lessee is required to participate in all aspects of an environmental assessment, including but not limited to pre-briefings, the Outgrant Pre Visit Questionnaire, the assessment, exit briefings, of its outgranted area. The Lessee shall promptly initiate and complete all necessary corrective actions, as determined and directed by the said officer, in order to fully resolve those findings contained in Environmental Assessment Report(s) that the said officer determines must be implemented. Failure of the Lessee to take the required corrective action(s) identified in the Environmental Assessment Report(s) may be referred to the appropriate enforcement agency, which will render final determinations with respect to compliance with relevant laws or regulations. Continued non-compliance by the Lessee may also serve as grounds for revocation of this Lease.
- **e.** The use of any pesticides or herbicides within the Premises shall be in conformance with all applicable Federal, State, interstate, and local laws and regulations. The Lessee must obtain approval in writing from the said officer before any pesticides or herbicides are applied to the Premises.

#### 21. ENVIRONMENTAL SITE ASSESSMENT

An Environmental Condition of Property report (ECP) documenting the known history of the property with regard to the storage, release or disposal of hazardous substances thereon, is attached hereto and made a part hereof as **EXHIBIT C**. Upon expiration, revocation, termination, or relinquishment of this Lease another ECP shall be prepared which will document the environmental condition of the property at that time. A comparison of the two reports will assist the Lessor in determining any environmental restoration requirements. Any such requirements will be completed by the Lessee in accordance with the condition on **RESTORATION**.

#### 22. EXCAVATION RESTRICTIONS AND NOTIFICATION

In the event that the Lessee discovers unexpected buried debris or a foreign, potentially unsafe or hazardous substance, the Lessee will immediately cease work in the affected area, immediately notify the said officer, and protect the affected area and the material from further disturbance until the said officer gives clearance to proceed.

Such abeyance of activity in the affected area shall not constitute a default of the Lessee's obligation under this Lease.

#### 23. HISTORIC PRESERVATION

The Lessee shall not remove or disturb, or cause or permit to be removed or disturbed, any historical, archeological, architectural or other cultural artifacts, relics, remains, or objects of antiquity. In the event such items are discovered on the Premises, the Lessee shall immediately notify the Lessor and protect the site and the material from further disturbance until the Lessor gives clearance to proceed.

#### 24. SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION

The Lessee shall maintain, in a manner satisfactory to the Lessor, all soil and water conservation structures that may be in existence upon said Premises at the beginning of or that may be constructed by the Lessee during the term of this Lease, and the Lessee shall take appropriate measures to prevent or control soil erosion within the Premises. Any soil erosion occurring outside the Premises resulting from the activities of the Lessee shall be corrected by the Lessee as directed by the Lessor, at the Lessee's sole cost and expense.

#### 25. NATURAL RESOURCES

The Lessee shall cut no timber; conduct no mining operations; remove no sand, gravel, or kindred substances from the ground; commit no waste of any kind; or in any manner substantially change the contour or condition of the Premises except as authorized in writing by the Lessor.

#### 26. FORCE PROTECTION STANDARDS

Any facilities constructed on the Premises may be constructed using commercial standards in a manner that provides force protection safeguards appropriate to the activities conducted in, and the location of, such facilities.

#### 27. RESTORATION

- **a.** Upon expiration, revocation, or termination of this Lease, the Lessee shall vacate the Premises, remove its real property improvements and personal property (Lessee's property) from the Premises unless otherwise agreed by the Lessor, and restore the Premises to a condition satisfactory to the Lessor. Such restoration shall include restoration of all property of the United States on the Premises and environmental restoration as determined based on the condition on **ENVIRONMENTAL SITE ASSESSMENT**.
- **b.** In the event this Lease is terminated or revoked by the Lessor for any reason, the Lessor may grant the Lessee a non-exclusive revocable license to use the Premises to

vacate, remove Lessee's property therefrom, and restore the Premises to the required condition. Such license shall generally be for a period not to exceed ninety (90) days.

- **c.** If the Lessee shall fail or neglect to remove Lessee's property and restore the Premises as required in this condition on **RESTORATION**, the Lessor may cause restoration work to be performed, including but not limited to removal of Lessee's property from the Premises. The Lessee shall have no claim for damages against the United States or its officers or agents related to or resulting from any removal of Lessee's property or any restoration work. The Lessee shall pay the United States on demand any sums which may be expended by the United States after expiration, revocation, or termination of the Lease to remove Lessee's property and to restore the Premises.
- **d.** Upon written agreement by the Lessor, any or all of the Lessee's property may be surrendered to the United States in lieu of removal, with title vesting in the United States without additional consideration therefore. The Lessee grants the Lessor power of attorney to execute any deed, bill of sale, or other documents to clear title to such real property improvements or personal property which the Lessor has agreed shall not be removed from the Premises. The Lessor may provide appropriate evidence of title in the Lessee to all property being removed by Lessee.

#### 28. TERMINATION

- a. The Lessor may terminate this Lease at any time (i) if the Lessee fails to comply with any term or condition of this Lease, or (ii) at will (i.e. at any time for any reason).
- b. The Lessee may terminate this Lease at any time by giving the Lessor at least thirty (30) days' notice in writing, provided that no refund by the United States of any rent due and paid shall be made, and provided further, that Lessee shall be responsible to pay any and all rent set forth in the condition on **CONSIDERATION** that becomes due and payable prior to the effective date, as defined in the condition on **NOTICES**, of such notice.

#### 29. FAILURE OF LESSOR TO INSIST UPON COMPLIANCE

- **a.** The failure of the Lessor to insist, in any one or more instances, upon performance of any of the terms, covenants, or conditions of this Lease shall not be construed as a waiver or relinquishment of the Lessor's right to the current or future performance of any such terms, covenants, or conditions and the Lessee's obligations in respect to such performance shall continue in full force and effect.
- **b.** No remedy herein or otherwise conferred upon or reserved to Lessor shall be considered to exclude or suspend any other remedy but the same shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to every other remedy given hereunder, or now or hereafter

existing at or in equity, regulation, or by statute. Every power and remedy given by this Lease to Lessor may be exercised from time to time and so often as occasion may arise or as may be deemed expedient.

#### 30. DISPUTES

- **a.** Except as provided in the Contract Disputes Act of 1978 (41 U.S.C. §§ 7101-7109) (the Act), all disputes arising under or relating to this Lease shall be resolved under this clause and the provisions of the Act.
- **b.** "Claim", as used in this clause, means a written demand or written assertion by the Lessee seeking, as a matter of right, the payment of money in a sum certain, the adjustment of interpretation of Lease terms, or other relief arising under or relating to this Lease. A claim arising under this Lease, unlike a claim relating to this Lease, is a claim that can be resolved under a Lease clause that provides for the relief sought by the Lessee. However, a written demand or written assertion by the Lessee seeking the payment of money exceeding \$100,000 is not a claim under the Act until certified as required by subparagraph c.(2) below. The routine request for rental payments that is not in dispute is not a claim under the Act. The request may be converted to a claim under the Act, by this clause, if it is disputed either as a liability or amount or is not acted upon in a reasonable time.

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- (1) A Claim by the Lessee shall be made in writing and submitted to the Lessor for a written decision. A claim by the Government against the Lessee shall be in the form of a written decision by the Lessor.
- (2) For Lessee claims exceeding \$100,000, the Lessee shall submit with the claim a certification that—
  - (i) the claim is made in good faith;
  - (ii) supporting data are accurate and complete to the best of the Lessee's knowledge and belief; and
  - (iii) the amount requested accurately reflects the Lease adjustment for which the Lessee believes the Government is liable.
    - (iv) the certifier is authorized to certify the claim on behalf of the Lessor.
- (3) The individual signing on behalf of the Lessee must be authorized to certify the claim on behalf of the Lessee and shall be:
- (i) If the Lessee is an individual, the certificate shall be executed by that individual.

- (ii) If the Lessee is not an individual, the certification shall be executed by an individual authorized to certify on behalf of the entity who is
  - (A) a senior company official in charge of the Lessee's location

involved; or

- **(B)** an officer or general partner of the Lessee having overall responsibility of the conduct of the Lessee's affairs.
- **d.** For Lessee claims of \$100,000 or less, the Lessor must, if requested in writing by the Lessee, render a decision within sixty (60) days of receipt of the request. For Lessee-certified claims over \$100,000, the Lessor must decide the claim or notify the Lessee of the date by which the decision will be made within sixty (60) days of receipt of the request.
- **e.** The Lessor's decision shall be final unless the Lessee appeals or files a suit as provided in the Act.
- **f.** At the time a claim by the Lessee is submitted to the Lessor or a claim by the Government is presented to the Lessee, the parties, by mutual consent, may agree to use alternative means of dispute resolution. When using alternate dispute resolution procedures, any claim, regardless of amount, shall be accompanied by the certificate described in paragraph c.(2) of this clause, and executed in accordance with paragraph c.(3) of this clause.
- **g.** The Government shall pay interest or the amount found due and unpaid by the Government from (1) the date the Lessor received the claim (properly certified if required), or (2) the date payment otherwise would be due, if that date is later, until the date of payment. Simple interest on claims shall be paid at the rate, fixed by the Secretary of the Treasury as provided in the Act, which is applicable to the period during which the Lessor receives the claim and then at the rate applicable for each 6-month period as fixed by the Treasury Secretary during the pendency of the claim. Rental amounts due to the Government by the Lessee will have interest and penalties as set out in the condition on **CONSIDERATION**.
- **h.** The Lessee shall proceed diligently with the performance of the Lease, pending final resolution of any request for relief, claim, or action arising under the Lease, and comply with any decision of the Lessor.

#### 31. INDEMNITY

The United States shall not be responsible for damages to property or injuries to persons which may arise from or be incident to the exercise of the privileges herein granted, or for damages to the property of the Lessee, or for damages to the property or injuries to the person of the Lessee's officers, agents or employees or others who may be on the Premises at their invitation or the invitation of any one of them, and the Lessee shall hold the United States harmless from any and all such claims not including

damages due to the fault or negligence of the United States or its contractors. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Lease, any provision that purports to assign liability to the United States Government shall be subject to and governed by Federal law, including but not limited to the Contract Disputes Act of 1978 (41 U.S.C. Sections 7101-7109 (2012)), the Anti-Deficiency Act (31 U.S.C. Sections 1341 and 1501), and the Federal Tort Claims Act (28 U.S.C. Section 2671, et seq.).

#### 32. NO INDIVIDUAL LIABILITY OF UNITED STATES OFFICIALS

No covenant or agreement contained in this Lease shall be deemed to be the covenant or agreement of any individual officer, agent, employee, or representative of the United States, in his or her individual capacity and none of such persons shall be subject to any personal liability or accountability by reason of the execution of this Lease, whether by virtue of any constitution, statue, or rule of law or by the enforcement of any assessment or penalty, or otherwise.

#### 33. ANTI-DEFICIENCY ACT

Nothing in this Lease shall obligate the Lessor to obligate appropriated funds in violation of the Anti-Deficiency Act 31 U.S.C. §§ 1341-1351. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing contained in this Lease shall limit, diminish, or eliminate any rights that the Lessee or its successors or assigns may have against the Lessor under applicable statutes, rules, or regulations.

#### **34. TAXES**

Any and all taxes imposed by the State or its political subdivisions upon the property or interest of the Lessee in the Premises shall be paid promptly by the Lessee. If and to the extent that the property owned by the Government is later made taxable by State or local governments under an Act of Congress, the Lease shall be renegotiated.

#### 35. COVENANT AGAINST CONTINGENT FEES

The Lessee warrants that no person or selling agency has been employed or retained to solicit or secure this Lease upon an agreement or understanding for a commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingent fee, excepting bona fide employees or established commercial or selling agencies maintained by the Lessee for the purpose of securing business. For breach or violation of this warranty, the Lessor shall have the right to annul this Lease without liability or, in its discretion, to require the Lessee to pay to the Lessor, in addition to the Lease rental or consideration, the full amount of such commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingent fee.

#### **36. SEVERAL LESSEES**

If more than one Lessee is named in this Lease the obligations of said Lessees herein contained shall be joint and several obligations.

#### **37. MODIFICATIONS AND CONSENTS**

- **a.** This Lease contains the entire agreement between the parties hereto with regard to the Lease, and no modification of this agreement, or waiver, or consent hereunder shall be valid unless the same be in writing and signed by the parties to be bound or by a duly authorized representative. This provision shall apply to this condition as well as all other conditions of this Lease.
- **b.** The provisions of this Lease may only be superseded, modified, or repealed pursuant to a written amendment or supplemental agreement to this Lease.

#### 38. MERGER

This Lease and any other agreement shall not merge. In the event the terms and conditions of this Lease conflict with the terms and conditions of any other agreement, the terms and conditions of the Lease shall prevail.

#### 39. NOT PARTNERS

Nothing contained in this Lease will make, or will be construed to make, the Lessor and the Lessee hereto partners or joint venturers with each other, it being understood and agreed that the only relationship between the Lessor and the Lessee under this Lease is that of landlord and tenant with respect to the Premises.

#### 40. NON-DISCRIMINATION

The Lessee shall not discriminate against any person or persons or exclude them from participation in the Lessee's operations, programs or activities conducted on the Premises, because of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity age, handicap, or national origin. The Lessee shall comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act and attendant Americans with Disabilities Act Accessibility Guidelines (ADAAG) published by the Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board.

#### 41. LABOR, MATERIAL, EQUIPMENT, AND SUPPLIES

Lessee shall bear the sole responsibility for furnishing and paying for all labor, materials, equipment, and supplies used in conjunction with the exercise by the Lessee of any right granted hereunder, unless specifically absolved from said responsibilities elsewhere within this Lease.

#### 42. DETERMINATION REGARDING EXECUTIVE ORDER 13658

Any reference in this section to "prime contractor" or "contractor" shall mean the Lessee and any reference to "contract" shall refer to the Lease.

- **a.** It has been determined this contract is not subject to Executive Order 13658 or the regulations issued by the Secretary of Labor in 29 CFR Part 10 pursuant to the Executive Order.
- **b.** If a duly authorized representative of the United States discovers or determines, whether before or subsequent to executing this contract, that an erroneous determination regarding the applicability of Executive Order 13658 was made, contractor, to the extent permitted by law, agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the United States, its officers, agents, and employees, for and from any and all liabilities, losses, claims, expenses, suites, fines, penalties, judgments, demands or actions, costs, fees, and damages directly or indirectly arising out of, caused by, related to, resulting from or in any way predicated upon, in whole or in part, the erroneous Executive Order 13658 determination. This includes contractor releasing any claim or entitlement it would otherwise have to an equitable adjustment to the contract and indemnifying and holding harmless the United States from the claims of subcontractors and contractor employees.

#### 43. DETERMINATION REGARDING EXECUTIVE ORDER 13706

It has been determined this contract is not subject to Executive Order 13706 or the regulations issued by the Secretary of Labor in 29 CFR part 13 pursuant to the Executive Order.

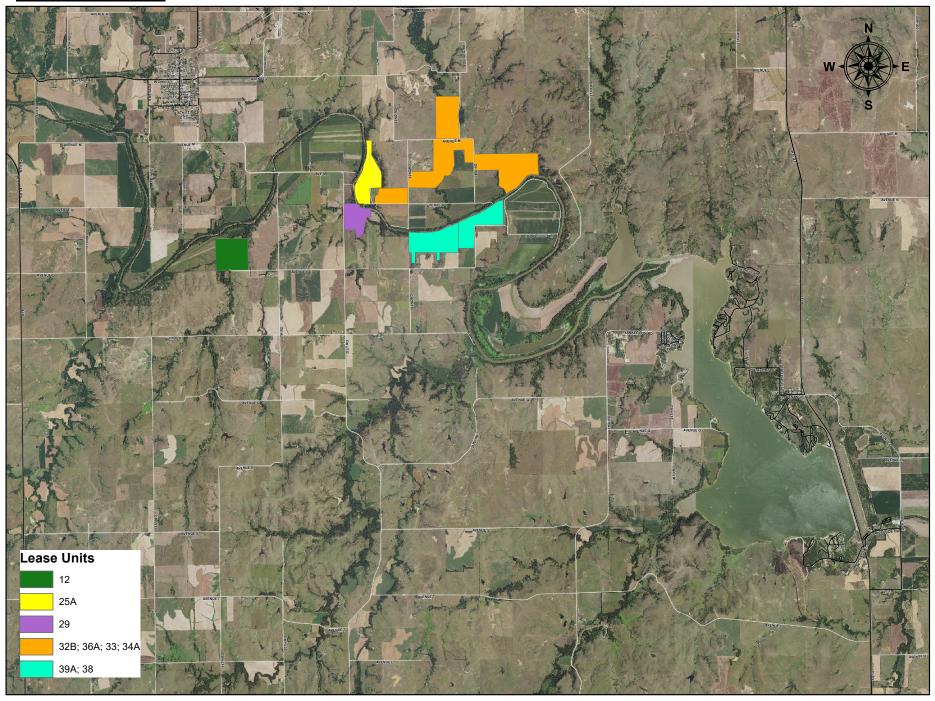
#### 44. SITE SPECIFIC CONDITIONS.

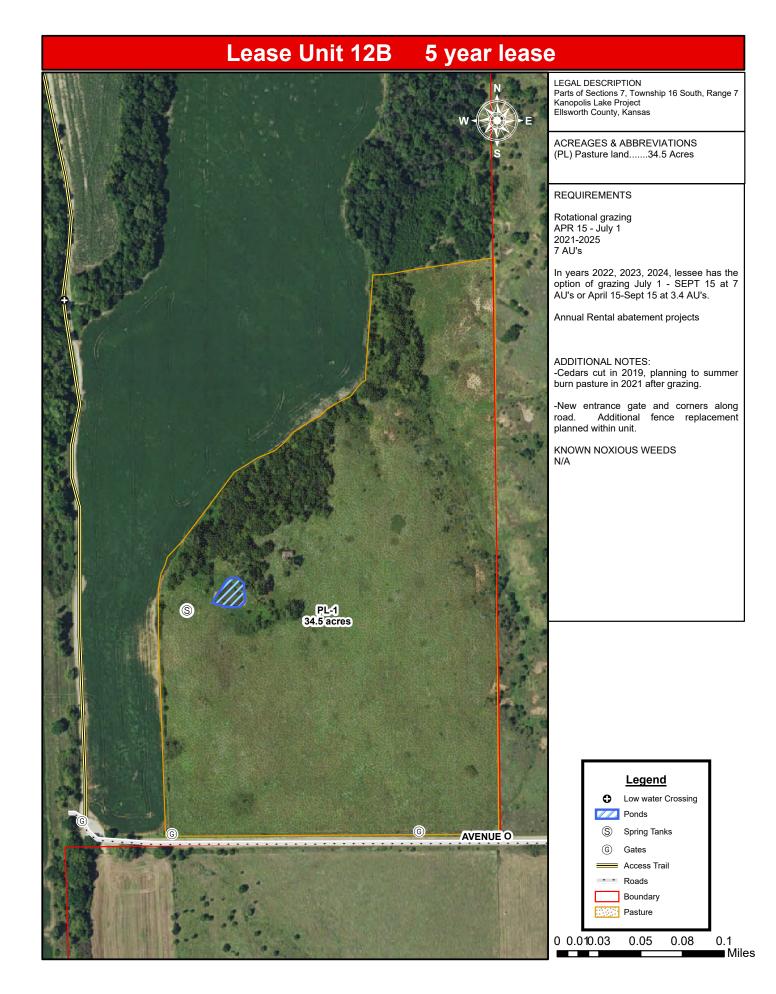
a. When the Corps representative has determined that a gate on the Government property line is in need of repair and/or restoration, the Lessee will restore said gate to a new-like condition utilizing new material. Gates should conform to a design as shown on **EXHIBIT D**, attached hereto and made a part hereof and to the said guidelines outlined in **EXHIBIT B** -Land Use Requirements.

**THIS LEASE** is not subject to Title 10, United States Code, Section 2662, as amended.

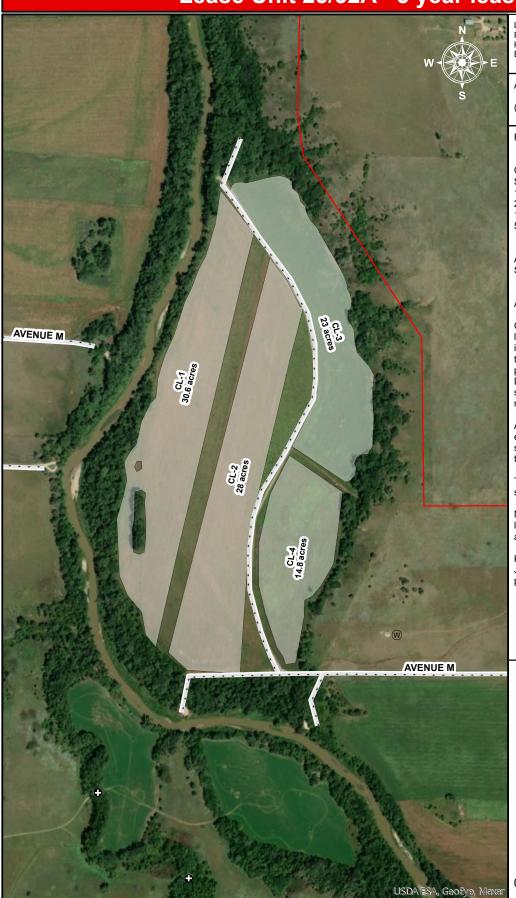
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I Secretary of the Army, thisd	have hereunto set my hand by authority of the lay of, 20
	Meredith L. A. Harmon Chief, Real Estate Real Estate Contracting Officer
THIS LEASE is also executed by	the Lessee thisday of, 20 < <lessee name="">&gt;</lessee>
	BY:
	TITLE:
	Phone No

## LEASE LOCATION MAP





## Lease Unit 25/32A 5 year lease



LEGAL DESCRIPTION Parts of Section 4 Township 16 South, Range 7 Kanopolis Lake Project Ellsworth County, Kansas

#### **ACREAGES & ABBREVIATIONS**

(CL) Cropland......96.2 Acres

#### **REQUIREMENTS**

Cropland

See Section B/C

- 1 field to overwinter in wheat stubble
- 2 fields to overwinter in milo/corn stubble 1 field lessee choice

5% unharvested overwinter

Annual Rental abatement projects per SEC C

#### ADDITIONAL NOTES:

CL-4 is a 2019 flood killed native grass land that will be farmed for this lease with intentions of returning to native grass at the conclusion of lease. Tillage will be permitted during the first year of the lease.

During the last year of the lease, corn stubble will remain to allow for planting of native grass after crop harvest.

A small hill exists inside of CL-4. It is estimated at 0.2 acres and has been subtracted from total crop land acres due to the unknown of it able to be farmed.

The SE corner of the former CL2 field shape is being returned to native grass.

No hay land within lease. Historical hay land areas were flood killed in 2019 and are being replanted/re-established.

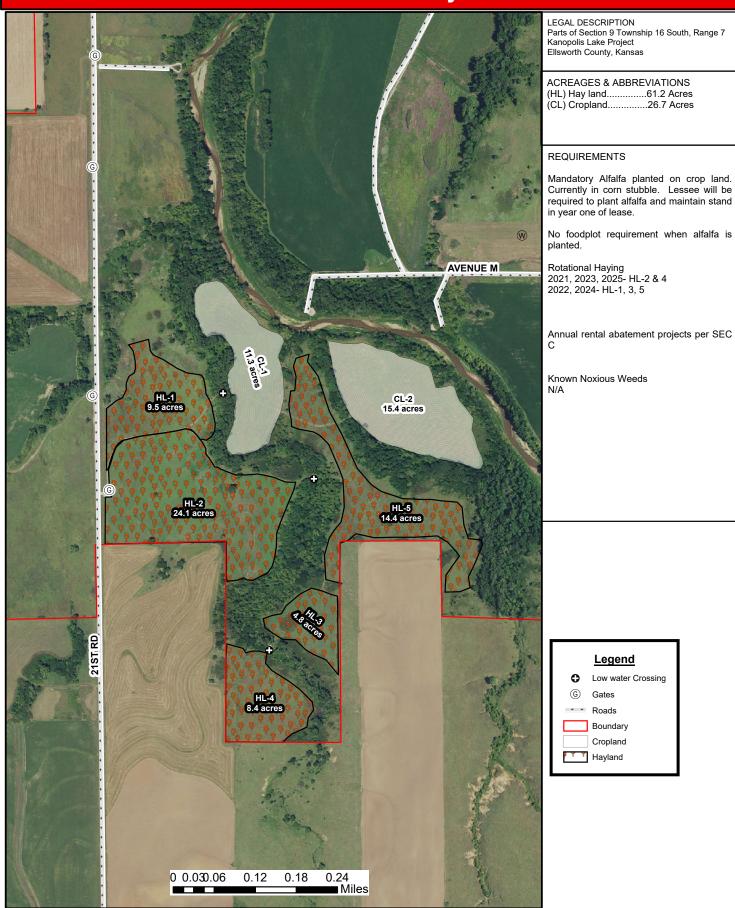
## KNOWN NOXIOUS WEEDS

Johnson Grass can be found in and on the perimeters of the crop land acres.



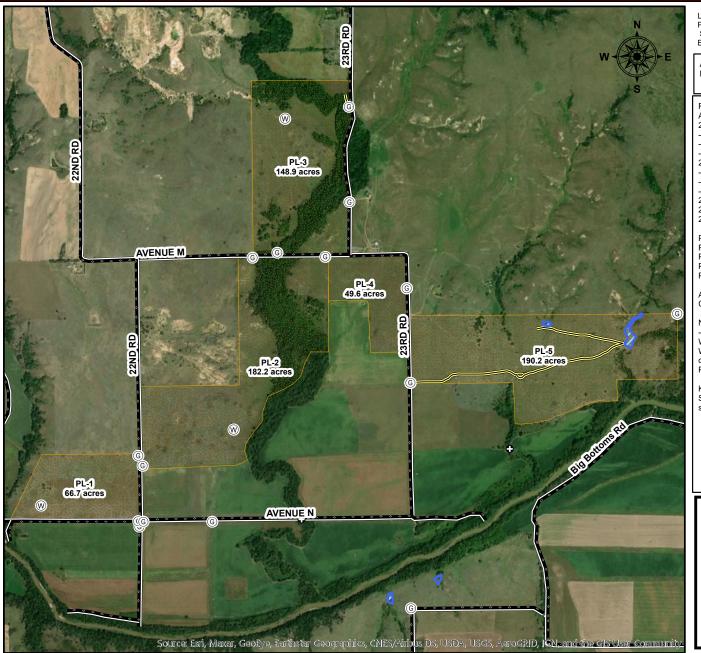
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## Lease Unit 29/31A 5 year lease



## Lease Unit 32B/33/34A/36A

## 5 year lease



LEGAL DESCRIPTION
Parts of Sections 34, T-15-S, R-7-W, and
Sections 2, 3, 4 T-16-S, R-7-W,
Ellsworth County, KS

ACREAGES & ABBREVIATIONS
Pastureland.............637.6 Acres

Rotational Grazing
Animal Units = 54 APR 15 - SEPT15
2021 PL1 to PL2 = April 29
------PL2 to PL3 = JUN 5
------PL3 to PL4 = AUG 11
-------PL4 to PL5 = AUG 22

2022 PL5 to PL 4 = JUN 8 -----PL4 to PL3 = JUN 19

------PL3 to PL2 = JUL 25 ------PL2 to PL1 = AUG 31 2023 SAME AS 2021

2024 SAME AS 2022 2025 SAME AS 2021

PL-1= 750 AU Grazing Days PL-2= 1950 AU Grazing Days PL-3= 1950 AU Grazing Days PL-4= 600 AU Grazing Days PL-5= 2850 AU Grazing Days

Annual rental abatement projects as noted in SEC C

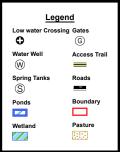
#### NOTES:

-PL-4 does not have a water source currently.

Water will need to be hauled during grazing period.

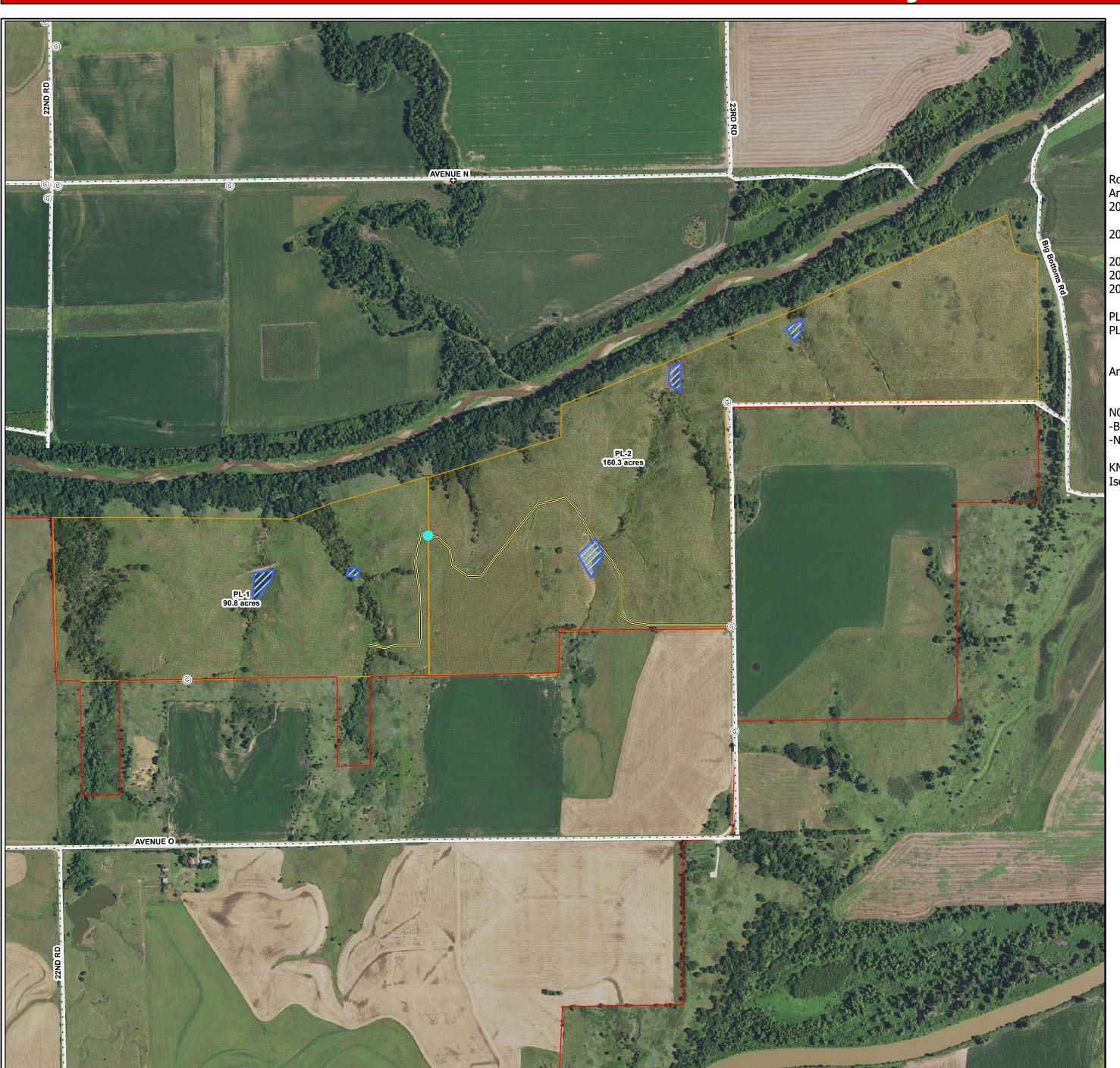
Water sources will be evaluated during lease,
dependent on findings PL4 may be combined with
PL-2

Known noxious weeds: Small population of johnson grass in PL-1 along S



## Lease Unit 38B/39A

## 5 year lease



LEGAL DESCRIPTION
Parts of Sections 10 & 11, T-16-S, R-7-W,
Kanopolis Lake Project, Ellsworth County, Kansas.

ACREAGES & ABBREVIATIONS (PL) Pasture Land......251.1 Acres

Rotational Grazing Animal Units = 26 APR 15 - SEPT15 2021 PL1 to PL2 = MAY 31

2022 PL2 to PL1 = JUL 29

2023 SAME AS 2021 2024 SAME AS 2022 2025 SAME AS 2021

PL-1= 1200 AU Grazing Days PL-2= 2700 AU Grazing Days

Annual rental abatement projects per SEC C

### NOTES:

-Both pastures were burned by project staff in July 2020.
-New fence installed on West and North sides of pastures in 2018

KNOWN NOXIOUS WEEDS:

Isolated Musk Thistle population treated annually in PL-2.

♠ Low Water Crossing

Gate Access

Access Trails

River

Roads

Pond

Pasture

#### KANSAS CITY DISTRICT LAND USE REQUIREMENTS SECTION A GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

#### 1. General.

- a. The Government, in striving to manage and protect environmental features on project lands, has developed the following Land Use Requirements. These requirements incorporate concepts of good land management and wildlife protection to promote sustained benefits to users of project lands. Inapplicable provisions by virtue of the granting clause of the lease are hereby deleted.
- b. The Lessee agrees to furnish all equipment and labor and to conduct all farming operations in accordance with the lease, recognized principles of good husbandry, and the land use practices set forth herein. All operations shall be accomplished in a timely manner without further notice and at no expense to the Government unless otherwise provided.
- c. The Lessee agrees to conduct all farming operations in accordance with the land use practices set forth herein and in accordance with the crop rotation plan attached hereto and made a part hereof; provided, however, that the crop rotation plan may be modified by the Operations Project Manager or their designated representative (hereinafter referred to as the "Corps representative") upon application of the Lessee, in the event of crop failure, or other unusual circumstances warranting such modification. Approval of requested modifications will be dependent on the requirements of the project and the Food, Conservation and Energy Act of 2008.
  - d. These Land Use Requirements (Exhibit "A") may consist of three sections:
  - <u>Section A.</u> General Requirements, which apply to all lake projects in the Kansas City District, Corps of Engineers.
  - <u>Section B</u>. Special Project Requirements, which allow the flexibility required for each project to develop specific programs to maximize project land use benefits.
  - <u>Section C</u>. Special Lease Unit Requirements, which itemize conditions and work requirements for specific lease units, which may vary from other lease units within the same projects.

#### 2. Access.

a. Access to the lease units may not be available through Government-owned property. It shall be the Lessee's responsibility to secure access to the leased property.

- b. Access will not be denied to Lessees of adjoining leaseholds. Access will be by the most advantageous route. Any conflict will be resolved by the Corps representative.
- c. Prior to initial right-of-entry being granted to the leased property, the Lessee will present, in person, his award notice to the Corps representative so that the Lessee's management plan and the conditions of leasing may be mutually discussed.

#### 3. Control of Noxious Weeds and Other Undesirable Vegetation.

- a. An active and effective weed control program must be conducted on the entire leased area at the Lessee's expense. The Lessee may be permitted to remove undesirable vegetation from hay production areas, with prior written approval from the Corps representative.
- b. If weeds listed as noxious under the State Noxious Weed Law are present, the Lessee shall prevent the spread of the noxious weeds, eliminate them from the leasehold, and prevent their re-infestation. Spray frequency and optimum dates will be those recommended by the local county extension office. Chemical treatment of noxious weeds must be approved in writing by the Corps representative and accomplished as recommended by the local county extension office. In the interest of restoration and/or improvement of the land through chemical treatment of noxious weeds, the Lessee may receive rental abatement for all or a portion of the cost of chemical, carrier and application used for the treatment. The rental abatement shall not exceed 100 percent of the cost of the chemical, carrier and application, as may be approved by the Corps representative, based on local market prices. To receive rental abatement under this provision, the Lessee must do the following:
  - (1) Prior to application of any chemical, the Lessee will contact the Corps representative.
  - (2) The Lessee, accompanied by the Corps representative, will inspect the area. If chemical treatment is needed, the Lessee and Corps representative will discuss the chemicals to be used, the rate, and method of application. Prior to the day of application of the chemicals, the Lessee will contact the Corps representative who will have the option of being present when the chemical is mixed and applied.
- c. Should the Lessee fail to take appropriate action within seven days after notification by the Corps representative of a noxious weed problem, then appropriate control measures will be initiated by the Government. The Lessee will then be assessed a charge that will not be eligible for rental abatement (actual expense to the Government) for all labor, equipment, and materials used in the weed control operation, and/or at the option of the Government, the lease may be revoked.

- d. Herbicides, insecticides, or other agricultural chemicals will be used only when there are no other practical alternative methods. Chemicals must be used in strict accordance with the manufacturer's label. The application of restricted use pesticides requires the written permission of the Corps representative prior to their use. The Lessee will report all chemical usage by November 30 of each year on the report form furnished by the Corps representative. Failure to report use of agricultural chemicals may result in revocation of the lease. All chemical containers must be removed from Government property for disposal.
- **4.** <u>Public Use and Public Health.</u> The leasehold shall be managed for agricultural and wildlife purposes in a manner which is generally consistent with current and future public use and enjoyment, and which will preserve and enhance the scenic, scientific, aesthetic, historical, biological, and archeological resources. The Lessee will not discharge or apply any substance to the leasehold or operate it in any manner which would cause pollution to the ground water, surface waters, or air to the extent that it would be prejudicial to the health of human, animal, plant or aquatic life.
- a. Should the Lessee have knowledge of or discover any archeological site and/or artifact of any nature whatsoever on the leasehold, the Lessee shall not destroy, remove, or otherwise disturb them and shall promptly notify the Corps representative or District Engineer, Kansas City District, of their location.
- b. The construction of pit or trench silos and cutting or storage of silage on the leasehold is prohibited.
- c. All seed and fertilizer bags, etc., will be removed from Government property for disposal.
- d. In addition to complying with all applicable Federal, State, County, and Municipal laws, ordinances, and regulations, the Lessee shall immediately eliminate any unsanitary conditions, control rodent pests, and prevent the spread of disease.
- 5. Grassland Management. Areas with stands of desirable grass or legumes will not be plowed or destroyed. On leaseholds where the use is limited to hay or hay seed production, the use of annual forage varieties requiring seasonal tillage is not permitted. Conversion of introduced cool season grasses to native warm season grasses is encouraged. Only water tolerant varieties will be considered for flood prone areas. It is required that flood killed grasslands be restored to the original condition. Labor, equipment and materials will be reimbursed through rental abatement for cost approved by the Corps representative as stated in paragraph 17 below.
- **6. <u>Timber Management.</u>** Timber removal is restricted to fallen trees and driftwood. A woodcutting permit and prior approval from the Corps representative is required for the Lessee and the general public. Standing trees will not be cut unless they constitute a danger to life or property. Permission may be granted by the Corps representative to

remove such timber.

- **7.** <u>Tillage Restrictions.</u> Tillage of croplands is not permitted within 150 feet of the multipurpose pool contour. Contour farming must be utilized to prevent soil erosion. No-till and minimum tillage methods are encouraged. Fall tillage is permitted only for the planting of winter wheat.
- **8.** <u>Crop Residue Management.</u> In the interest of soil fertility and protection from wind and water erosion, the Lessee shall not remove crop residues. Such residues shall be left on the land and incorporated into the soil. Small grain, soybean, corn, and grain sorghum residues will not be incorporated into the soil before March 1 of the following year. Crops may be grown for seed or grain production only. Cutting of crops for silage is prohibited.
- **9.** <u>Hay Production.</u> Hay production shall be conducted so as not to endanger the vegetative stand nor seriously deplete the carbohydrate root reserve, soil nutrients, or organic matter.
- a. Hay will not be stacked or stored on the leasehold. All cut and/or windrowed grass will be promptly baled and all bales (including broken bales) will be removed from Government property within 14 days after baling. All equipment must be removed from the leasehold immediately after baling.
- b. Cutting dates, frequency, and other limitations for warm season and cool season grasses are stated in Section B of these requirements.
- **10.** Changes in Crop Schedules and Haying Dates. The Corps representative may approve changes in crop schedules and haying dates to adjust for conditions beyond the Lessee's control such as flooding, drought, etc. Approval of requested changes will be dependent upon requirements of the project and the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008. Upon approval, such changes should be documented and placed in Lessee's file at project office. Any changes substantially increasing the value of the lease must receive prior approval by means of a supplemental agreement to the lease.
- **11.** <u>Burning.</u> Prescribed burning by the Lessee is prohibited on project lands unless authorized in Section B and by written permission from the Corps representative. Should the Corps representative determine that a burn of grassland is needed to improve wildlife habitat, he or she may authorize burning of the grassland by project personnel.
- 12. <u>Grazing.</u> The grazing and/or presence of cattle is prohibited on project lands unless authorized under Section B.
- **13.** Restoration of Fences Government-Owned. In addition to any other fence requirements stated herein, the Lessee may be required to restore Government-owned fences. This is normally considered to be more than routine fence maintenance

or repair and may qualify for rental abatement if written approval for the fencing is obtained from the Corps representative prior to starting. The written approval must be signed by the Corps representative and agreed to by the Lessee and shall include the number of feet of fence and the location indicated on a map along with the number and location of gates, if any are required. The dollar amount of reimbursement per foot for rental abatement purposes is to be included on the written approval. The reimbursement per foot is to be consistent with the local prevailing prices. All Government-owned fence restoration will be done according to the specifications shown on Exhibit "C" attached. Completed fence restoration must be to the satisfaction of the Corps representative in order to qualify for rental abatement when allowed.

- 14. Restoration of Gates Government Property Line Fences Only. When the Corps representative has determined that a gate on the Government property line is in need of repair and/or restoration, the Lessee will restore said gate to a new-like condition utilizing new material. Gates should conform to a design as shown on Exhibit "C" attached. Restoration of gates may qualify for rental abatement if written approval for the restoration of the gate(s) is obtained from the Corps representative prior to starting. The written approval must be signed by the Corps representative and agreed to by the Lessee and shall include the number of gates and their location on a map. The dollar amount per gate for rental abatement purposes is to be included on the written approval. The reimbursement per gate is to be consistent with local prevailing prices for gates. Completed gate repairs or installation(s) must be to the satisfaction of the Corps representative in order to qualify for rental abatement when allowed.
- **15.** Restoration of Field Accesses. When the Corps representative has determined that access to a leased area has deteriorated to a point it hinders access to leasehold, the Lessee may be required to restore that portion of the access within the leased area. Rental abatement may be available if written approval is obtained from the Corps representative prior to starting. The written approval must be signed by the Corps representative and agreed to by the Lessee and shall include the location of the access indicated on a map, details as to what restoration is to be done, and the materials required.
- 16. Special Land Management Practices. When it is determined to be in the interest of the Government to carry out additional work requirements including, but not limited to, soil and water conservation, grass seeding (according to NRCS specifications), and wildlife habitat improvements, the Lessee may be reimbursed for a portion of the costs by abatement of rental due or to become due to the Government as provided in the lease. Prior to proceeding with the work, any such agreement will be reduced to writing. Labor, equipment and materials will be reimbursed through rental abatement for cost approved by the Corps representative as stated in paragraph 17 below. Total reimbursement under this or any other provision or condition of the lease shall not exceed the cash rental.

## 17. Procedures to Insure Credit of Rental Abatement for Work Performed.

- a. The Lessee shall perform the applicable work requirements in accordance with the provisions and schedules set forth, and when completed, the Lessee shall submit the following to the Corps representative for rental abatement by October 15:
  - (1) An original set of invoices/receipts marked paid by vendor and labeled with the appropriate lease unit identification.
    - (2) A written request for rental abatement.
- b. Any discrepancies between the invoices/receipts and the work performed, such as minor non-returnable materials and, left over and returned items must be explained.
- c. Rental abatement will be given in the form of credit to rentals due or to become due, and the total credit extended under this or any other provision shall never exceed the remaining cash consideration.

#### 18. Procedures to Insure Credit of Rental Offset for Work Performed.

- a. The Lessee shall hire a reputable vendor to perform the applicable work requirements in accordance with the provisions and schedules set forth, and when payment is made, the Lessee shall submit the following to the Corps representative for rental offset by October 15 (except in first year of lease, when submissions are required within 60 days of receipt of executed lease):
  - (1) An original set of invoices/receipts marked paid by vendor and labeled with the appropriate lease unit identification.
    - (2) A written request for rental offset.
- b. All work must be completed before the planting of a spring crop, the harvesting of hay and/or the beginning of the annual grazing season.
- c. Any discrepancies between the invoices/receipts and the work performed, such as minor non-returnable materials and, left over and returned items must be explained.
- d. Rental offset will be given in the form of credit to rentals due or to become due, and the total credit extended under this or any other provision shall never exceed the remaining cash consideration.
- **19.** <u>Land Use Requirements Violations.</u> In the event the Lessee violates one or more of the Land Use Requirements contained herein the Lessee will pay the Government upon demand \$1,000 administrative costs plus actual cost, in satisfaction of liquidated damages, an amount to be documented by the said officer and a bill for same will be presented to the Lessee.

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- **20.** <u>Highly Erodible Land Conservation and Wetland Conservation Programs.</u> The Food, Conservation and Energy Act of 2008 provides for highly erodible land conservation and wetland conservation. After January 1, 1990, all highly erodible land must have an approved conservation plan. An approved conservation plan for highly erodible cropland, if applicable, will be furnished to the Lessee for correction of any existing erosion problems. However, in the event the FSA, NRCS and/or Conservation District make revisions in the approved conservation plan, the government will not be held liable for said revisions nor the implementation of said revisions or for any damages suffered by the Lessee therefrom.
- 21. Debris Removal due to High Water Events, Disasters and other Hardships. When it is determined to be in the best interest of the Government to carry out debris removal caused by high water events, flooding, disasters or other hardships work requirements including, but not limited to, restoration of agricultural fields and access points may be authorized. The Lessee may be reimbursed for a portion of the costs by abatement of rental due or to become due to the Government as provided in the lease. Prior to proceeding with the work, any such agreement will be reduced to writing. Labor, equipment and materials if needed to develop and restore access points, will be reimbursed through rental abatement for cost approved by the Corps representative as stated in paragraph 17. Total reimbursement under this or any other provision or condition of the lease shall not exceed the cash rental.

# SECTION B KANOPOLIS LAKE PROJECT REQUIREMENTS

#### 22. REQUIRED MEETING PRIOR TO BIDDING

- **a.** All potential bidders must meet with project representative prior to placing a bid to discuss lease requirements and plans. Failure to meet with project representative will result in bid packet being denied and returned. Project representative can be contacted at 785-546-2294 to schedule a time to meet. It is suggested that Project representative be contacted at least 1 business day prior to meeting day. IT IS THE BIDDER'S RESPONISIBILITY TO ENSURE THAT THE MEETING IS SCHEDULED IN A TIMELY MANNER.
- **b.** Bids from current lessees not in good standing or in non-compliant status with current or expiring leases may not be accepted.

## 23. Aerial Spraying.

**a.** Aerial spraying of any kind (herbicide, fungicide, insecticide, etc) is prohibited without the prior authorization from the Project Representative. Upon the receipt of written permission, the lessee may aerial spray with the understanding that any and all damages that may be incurred by any and all other parties as a result of said spraying shall be the full and unconditional responsibility of the lessee.

#### 24. Pesticide usage

a. Pesticides that are labeled as toxic to wildlife are prohibited from being used on

EXHIBIT "B" Page 7 of 21 project lands. An example of this is: Paraquat. Usage of this pesticide is counterproductive of USACE's mission of wildlife management.

## 25. Cropland

- **a.** <u>Crop Rotation</u>: The lessee is required to submit a crop plan schedule to the Project Representative for approval prior to the crop season. *The lessee is encouraged to rotate crops, the primary criteria for approval is crop diversity.* Crop plan will follow any specific guidelines outlined in Section C for that specific lease.
- **b.** No-Till: Effective January 1, 2016, all new cropland leases will be required to practice "No-Till" farming. Soil and stubble will not be tilled and crop residue will not be incorporated into the soil, swathed, or baled after harvest. Lessees utilizing row crops such as milo, sunflowers or corn must leave at least 12" of stubble after harvest. If vertical tillage is required at some point in a lease, lessee must obtain written approval from the Project Representative before any ground disturbance.
- **c.** <u>Soybeans:</u> Over wintering of soybean stubble without a cover crop or winter wheat growing will be prohibited without the written permission of the Project Representative. Soybeans may be planted if the lessee meets the following criteria: No-Till method of planting (Required), when followed by <u>winter wheat</u> or an approved cover crop (ex. Cereal rye, winter oats, winter barley, canola) and must be authorized in writing by the project office. *Soybeans will not be authorized in the final year of the lease.*
- **d.** Swathing of traditional grain crops for hay will be prohibited, (ex. wheat, oats) so as to not disturb game bird broods and nests nearing end of incubation. Wheat shall be harvested at a minimum cutting height of twelve (12) inches. Utilization of a stripper header is preferred.
- **e.** <u>Alfalfa</u>. Alfalfa is an authorized optional crop on all crop lands. If a portion of the lease is planted to alfalfa, no food plot required for those crop acres. If planting all fields of a single lease to alfalfa then the lessee will be required to plant 5% of the total crop ground acreage to a milo food plot, the food plot will be in the same location each year. This food plot requirement is waived if government requires all crop ground to be planted to alfalfa.
- **f.** <u>Feed.</u> All new leases will be prohibited from planting <u>Feed Sorghum</u> and <u>Sudan Grass</u> into their crop rotation. Authorization will only be allowed if approved in writing by the Project Representative or Section C specifically allows it.
- **g.** <u>Double Cropping.</u> Double Cropping is prohibited unless lessee has written agreement with Project Representative. Criteria for double cropping permission after wheat: Short season mile or Sunflowers will be the only approved double crop and must be no till planted into existing wheat stubble. Food plot requirement for double cropped sunflowers is 10% of that field, double cropped Milo is 5%. Planting of Cover crops will not be considered double cropping as long as planted crop is not harvested.
- **h.** Cover Crops. Cover crops provide benefits to both lessee and government. Lessee benefits may include but not limited to: moisture retention, weed suppression, and

increased organic matter, and nutrients. Government benefits are increased erosion control, weed suppression, increased wildlife and pollinator habitat.

i) Cover Crop use is encouraged on all cropland leases following the below criteria.

(1) Conditions of cover crop leases:

(a) No-till planting method of crop and cover crops

(b) Cover crops must be included in the approved crop plan

- (c) Cover crop plans and seed mixes must be approved by the Project Representative prior to purchase and planting. Criteria for cover crop approval will be mix diversity, and balanced benefits of erosion control, weed suppression, and wildlife/pollinator habitat.
- (d) All expenses (seed, planting, pre and or post herbicide application, etc..) are the responsibility of the lessee (See part ii for abatement credit on summer cover crops)
- (e) Cover crops cannot be harvested for hay/seed or grazed. When double crop sunflowers or milo is used in conjunction with cover crop (Section 22.g) lessee will cause minimal damage to cover crop while harvesting sunflowers.
- (f) Cover crops will be terminated shortly prior to the next cash crop planting or when mutually determined that it is both lessee and government best interest (i.e. noxious weed issues)
- ii) <u>All cropland leases incorporating an effective summer cover crop planting following wheat harvest will be eligible to receive a \$30/planted acre per year rental abatement credit.</u>
  - (1) Fall cover crops are still encouraged, but will not receive a rental abatement credit.
  - (2) Since there is mutual benefit to cover crops, the abatement is to assist with offsetting the cost of cover crop seed, planting, and any pre-planting herbicide applications. Abatement will only be eligible on years when cover crop is planted and will not be eligible in the last year of the lease as rent will be paid in full and no refunds will be given. Abatement will not exceed 100% of annual rent. Lessee will provide receipts, seed mixes, and date of planting to Project Representative to receive abatement. Continued abatements and use of cover crops on optional leases will be dependent on the success of cover cropping effort.
    - (a) Example of an approved summer cover crop would be a mix of forage brassica, sunflower, buckwheat, cow peas, spring peas, and clover. Estimated cost of seed will be \$15-20 per acre.
  - (3) Summer cover crop will mostly winter kill, any remaining live vegetation will be terminated only prior to planting of the next year's cash crop.
  - (4) NO FOOD PLÔT REQUIREMENT FOR FIELDS PLANTED TO A SUMMER COVER CROP
- i. <u>Five Percent Standing Crop or Food Plot Requirement, Lease Unit with Grains:</u> In order to maintain a desirable environmental balance and to supplement the winter food supply for wildlife, each year the lessee will be required to leave 5% of the total crop acreage of the crop grown standing in the field.
  - i) Each year, prior to harvest, Project Representative will flag the area or supply lessee with map estimates of crops to be left standing. The lessee shall notify the project office ten days prior to harvest so that the flagging can be scheduled.

## j. Every crop planted will have 5% of that field designated for wildlife.

- i) When *small grains (wheat) are planted*, the 5% for that field will be added to the food plot portion of another row crop field.
- ii) If sunflowers, soybeans, or corn are planted then 5% of field will remain unharvested.
- iii) Crop fields planted to **alfalfa** or **milo** will be excluded from the food plot requirement if other grain crops exist on the lease unit.
- iv) Summer Cover crop fields with substantial wildlife benefit and approved by project representative will be excluded from food plot requirements.
- **k.** Vehicles and/or farm equipment will not be driven on or turned in the areas of unharvested or standing crops left for food plots. When winter wheat crop is planned for the following spring, lessee is allowed to plant through standing food plot acres.
- I. It is agreed to and understood by both parties that the food plot standing crops are the property of the Government from the date of planting until the first day of March after crop maturity. At this time (1 MARCH), the lessee may harvest the standing crop providing that the lease has not been terminated for any cause whatsoever.

## 26. Hay Cutting Dates/Operations.

- **a.** Cutting of warm season grasses will not commence prior to 1 July nor continue past 31 July. Warm season grasses are limited to one (1) cutting per year.
- **b.** To maintain the quality of the alfalfa crop, cutting will not be permitted after Sept 15.
- **c.** Bales may be stacked or stored on the leasehold as long as bales are stacked or stored only on cropland fields. Bales may not be stored on native grass, in or on trees and shrubs, or lands designated as wildlife lands, cultivated weed strips or habitat strips. Bales from the previous year's cutting will be required to be removed from the property by 15 March.

## 27. Removal of Timber.

- **a.** Timber removal is restricted to fallen trees and driftwood. Woodcutting permits and prior approval from the Project Representative is required for the lessee and the general public. Standing trees, even though they are dead, will not be cut; however, should standing timber constitute a danger to life or property, permission may be granted, at the Project Representative option, to remove such timber. The above policy applies to the general public as well as the lessee.
- **b.** As part of a timber stand improvement program, designated areas have been marked and are available for cutting under the wood cutting permit system. Permits may be issued by the Project Representative.
- **28.** Rental Abatement for Control of Noxious Weeds. Upon prior approval by Project Representative, in accordance with Section A, Paragraph 17, the lessee shall receive

EXHIBIT "B" Page 10 of 21 rental abatement of 100 percent for the chemical, carrier and cost of application of the chemical on areas designated as other than agricultural (crop) fields, i.e., hay ground, grazing pastures, wildlife lands or field border areas. Rental abatement for control of noxious weeds within designated agricultural (crop) fields will not be allowed. To receive abatement, lessee will be required to submit a paid receipt from a contractor or an invoice with a pre-work agreed price with Project Representative.

- **29.** <u>Wildlife Lands.</u> Areas not designated as cropland, hayland, or grazing lands will be referred to as wildlife lands. This may include, but not limited to: native grass plantings, habitat strips, tree plots, idle areas, perimeter hay strips, cultivated weed strips. Wildlife lands may not be utilized by the lessee for the purpose of mowing, plowing, haying, driving, turning or parking vehicles. At lessees' own expense and labor, the lessee will repair all damages done to such areas by the lessee.
- Upon request of the lessee, the Project Representative may, under justifiable conditions, approve burning for sound agricultural or wildlife management practices and for drift and crop residue clearing operations where no practical alternative exists. Burning operations must be in a manner which will not adversely affect wildlife food, cover and other environmental considerations and in accordance with applicable laws or ordinances. All necessary permits must be obtained in advance. The Project Representative may also request the lessee to cooperate in burning programs for improved agricultural or wildlife management practices. In either case, the Project Representative and the lessee will agree to the manner and time of burning, and the Project Representative will confirm the agreement, in advance, by a letter to the lessee. Prior to implementation of prescribed fires, including debris piles, the lessee will develop a site specific burn plan. Burn plans will include an action plan, risk hazard analysis and post burn report. The burn plan must be approved and filed with the Project Representative prior to fire ignition. The lessee will notify the Project Representative and the appropriate local authorities just prior to actual commencement of burning operations. The lessee will be responsible for any or all damages that are incurred by any and all parties as a result of any burning performed by the lessee.

Should the Project Representative determine that a burn of grassland is needed; the Project Representative may authorize burning of the grassland by project personnel or contractor.

#### 31. Grazing

- **a.** <u>Pasture Leases</u>. Lessees having grazing lease units will report the type of cattle, number of cattle, identifying characteristics and the day the pasture will be stocked. This information will be provided on the report form furnished by the Project Office prior to the start of each grazing season. The Project Representative reserves the right to request cattle weight receipts prior to the stocking of cattle on the unit.
  - **b.** Grazing Season and Animal Unit Restrictions.
    - i) On units designated for grazing, the season shall commence from April 15 through September 15 of each calendar year on land which has been fenced

as required by paragraph d. below. *Grazing rates on specific pasture units* shall not exceed the stocking rate designated by the Project Representative as outlined in Section C Special Land Use Requirements. Animal units are intended to be cattle only, other animal species will need to be discussed with Project Representative prior to bidding.

ii) The lessee may be required to reduce or cease grazing if weather conditions and grazing pressure are endangering the vegetative cover, encouraging undesirable weeds, or will seriously reduce the next season's productivity. Animal units are defined by the following:

(1) Short yearling, under 500 lbs.(2) Long yearling, over 600 lbs.0.6 animal unit0.7 animal unit

(3) Stockers and replacement heifers:

a. 700 lbs.0.8 animal unitb. 800 lbs.0.9 animal unit(4) 1000-1300 lb. cow1.0 animal unit

(5) 1000-1300 lb. cow weaning a 400 lb. calf 1.0 animal unit

(6) bull (mature) 1.7 animal unit

(7) bull (yearling) 1.2 animal unit

- iii) Animal Unit Days may be authorized in lieu of the grazing unit season to allow for more animals to graze for a shorter amount of time. Animal units and grazing seasons can be converted to animal unit grazing days. Grazing days "base" number will be noted in Section C for each pasture. This base number is used for calculating for length of stay with customized animal units. Each pasture season will not start prior to APR 15 and end past SEPT 15. Lessee will be required to provide a detailed plan of grazing with animal unit days and it must be approved by the Project Representative prior to cattle stocking. Failure to comply with approved plan or exceeding grazing limitations will result in animal unit days grazing option terminated and lease will return to the standard grazing season listed in Section C.
- **c.** <u>Grazing Distribution.</u> An effective management tool to manipulate grazing patterns is the placement and movement of salt, minerals, supplements and oilers or rubbers. Minerals will not be placed within a ¼ mile near loafing or watering areas. The lessee will locate these items to encourage the cattle to move away from the overgrazed areas and onto the under-utilized grazing sites. Specific management practices may be required on selected grazing leases in Section C of these requirements.
- **d.** Water. Wells or ponds may be constructed with prior written approval of the project manager as to plans and location. Any capped or plugged well on the leasehold shall not be utilized without written permission from Project Representative. If the lessee abandons any well, in the event of imminent flooding or upon termination of the lease, or for any other reason, he shall safely and securely cap the opening in a permanent manner. The provisions in Section A paragraph 16 apply to the construction

EXHIBIT "B" Page 12 of 21 of ponds or spring improvements. The Government does not guarantee the quantity or quality of water, it is the responsibility of the lessee to ensure cattle have sufficient water sources.

- **e.** <u>Pasture Fencing.</u> No grazing of any kind will be permitted prior to the repair and/or restoration of fences so as to restrain all cattle to the leasehold at all times. If straying of cattle should occur, the lessee will be required to remove all cattle from the pasture and repair the fence. When the fence repairs have been completed to the satisfaction of the Project Representative and upon his approval the lessee may place the cattle back on the leasehold.
  - i) Fence Maintenance repairs and/or relocation of existing fences shall be at the expense of the lessee. Relocation of any existing fence must be approved by the Project Representative, prior to commencing work on the fence. All new materials used in repairs of Government-owned fences during the term of lease as a result of normal maintenance will not be removed, but shall remain in place and become the property of the Government upon expiration, revocation, or other termination of the lease.
  - ii) Non Maintenance Fence repairs and new fence shall be constructed or repaired by a contractor and lessee will be subject to 100% rental abatement for the work. Non maintenance repairs are described as replacement of highly degraded fence materials such as braces, gates, and extensive stretches of highly degraded fence. Fence exhibiting the lack of routine repairs/maintenance will not be considered as non-routine repairs abatement. During the grazing season, it will be up to the lessee to maintain the fence needing non-routine repair until an appropriate repair/replacement is completed by the contractor. All non-maintenance repairs must be reported to the project representative immediately to ensure that repairs can be scheduled in a timely manner. All non-maintenance repairs/replacements will be coordinated and agreed upon by the Project Representative prior to work being started.
  - iii) Government-owned pasture permanent fences will, as a minimum, be maintained consisting of four barbed wires stretched taut and securely fastened to sturdy line posts spaced not greater than one (1) rod apart with adequate corner posts and brace assemblies. Fence maintenance shall conform to the specifications as shown on Exhibit "C" attached.
- **f.** <u>Feed.</u> In an effort to decrease the risk of introducing invasive species such as Johnson grass and Old world bluestems, the only feed that can be brought onto leased pastures is alfalfa. Feed is only authorized to lure cattle during or directly prior to transporting from pastures or pasture paddocks.
- **32.** Gate Entrances. On leaseholds where access gates or cables restrict vehicle access into leasehold, the lessee is required to keep the gates closed and locked at all times year round. Lowering the fence/cable, damaging fence products will be grounds for lease termination. Project staff have installed combo locks and combination will be provided to

lessee. Failure to keep the lock combination code to authorized individuals only will be grounds for lease termination.

- **33.** Equipment on Leases. No equipment will be stored on lease premises in excess of 14 days without written permission from the Project Representative.
- **a.** Chemical and fuel storage. Any long term (more than 24 hrs) bulk chemical or fuel storage on project lands must have secondary containment in the event of a tank or container rupture. Lessee will be responsible for damage and costs to repair in the event of a spill.
- **b.** Equipment cleaning: any cleaning of equipment debris, chemical, fertilizer, partial hay bales, etc is prohibited in non-cropland acres (i.e. hay and native grass areas). Cost to repair damages will be the responsibility of the lessee at fault.
- **34.** <u>Field Access and Restoration.</u> For those leaseholds that have driftwood, other debris, or damage which may impede lease operations, clean-up and repair activities may be authorized with rental abatements available if it is in the government's best interest and restoration will be completed by a contractor agreed upon by the project representative. In no instance will the Lessee proceed with any work without the written approval of the Project Representative. Work not coordinated with the project representative can be cause for lease termination or no rental abatement authorized.

## SECTION C SPECIAL LEASE UNIT REQUIREMENTS

# 35. <u>GRAZING ROTATION AND ANIMAL UNITS ALLOWED ON GRAZING LEASES:</u> #12B, #32B/33/34A/36A, #38B/39A:

Lease Unit	Year	<b>Animal Units</b>	Season	Grazing
Days Base				_
#12B		7	APR 15 – JULY 1	510

\*\*In years 2022, 2023, 2024, lessee has the option of grazing July 1 - SEPT 15 at 7 AU's or April 15-Sept 15 at 3.5 AU's.

#### #32B/33/34A/36A

54	APR 15 – SEPT 15	PL-1=750 PL-2= 1950 PL-3= 1950 PL-4= 600 PL-5= 2850
	2021 PL1 to PL2 = April 2PL2 to PL3 = JUN 5PL3 to PL4 = AUGPL4 to PL5 = AUG 2 2022 PL5 to PL 4 = JUNPL4 to PL3 = JUN 1	5 11 22 8

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		PL3 to PL2 = JUL 25 PL2 to PL1 = AUG 31 2023 SAME AS 2021 2024 SAME AS 2022 2025 SAME AS 2021
#38B/39A	25	APR 15 - SEPT 15 PL-1=1200 PL-2= 2700
20 20 20	021 022 023 024 025	PL-1 to PL-2=May 31 PL-2 to PL-1=July 29 Same as 2021 Same as 2022 Same as 2021

**36.** Required Alfalfa, Lease Unit 29/31: Lease will be required to plant/maintain alfalfa crop on all cropland acres. Alfalfa stand was killed in 2019 flood and corn was planted and harvested in 2020. If lessee decides to replant after initial planting, they will be allowed one grain crop rotation to prepare for a new planting. This must be included in crop plans and agreed upon by the project representative.

## 37. Required Crop Rotation, Lease Unit #25/32A:

The lessee will implement a crop rotation plan that rotates crops at midpoint of term to discourage crop disease, Johnson grass and Shatter cane infestation. The lessee is required to submit a 5-year crop plan prior to the first crop season. Project Representative oversees all plans and changes without written permission are prohibited. See Section B for Cover crop requirements and abatement credit. Required crop plans are as follows:

a. <u>Lease Unit #25/32A</u> Lease Unit has 4 crop fields. Lessee is required to develop a crop rotation that allows 1 field to overwinter in wheat stubble and 2 milo/corn stubble annually. The remaining field is lessee's choice while in compliance with Section B/C. Alfalfa is allowed in compliance with SEC B.

## 38. Authorized Rotational Haying: Lease Unit #29/31A:

**a.** The lessee may harvest hay from designated hay land areas in accordance with the following schedule under restrictions stated in Section B:

Years to Hay	Hayfield Number	
•	•	
2021, 2023, 2025	HL 2&4	32.5
2022,2024	HL 1,3,5	28.7
	2021, 2023, 2025	2021, 2023, 2025 HL 2&4

39. The failure of the lessee to comply with any of the above stated land use regulations shall be considered grounds to revoke the lease.

## 40. RENTAL ABATEMENT/OFFSET PROJECTS:

- a. As stated in Section A, 10% of bid will be sent along with bid documents. Successful bidder will use the remaining 90% of the 1<sup>st</sup> years rent for rental offset projects that will be coordinated by Project Representative with the lessee. Paid invoices and receipts from rental offset projects submissions are required within 60 days of receipt of executed lease. See Section A paragraph 18. The remaining years rent will have rental abatement projects.
- **b.** If abatement does not equal (90% of the 1<sup>st</sup> years rent) or (100% of the subsequent years) then lessee will be required to submit a check for the remainder to FAO-USAED Kansas City. See Section A paragraph 18e.
- c. Be advised that in the first year (2021) of the lease, lessee will pay any remaining first year rent within 60 days of lease award through rental offset. Lessee will "pre-pay" up to 100% of the second year (2022) rent through rental abatements by October 15, 2021. BE ADVISED: in the first year of the lease, the lessee may pay up to 200% of the annual rent before October 15, 2021 due to this "pre-pay system". LESSEE WILL NOT PAY MORE THAN ALL LEASE YEARS WORTH OF ANNUAL RENT ON LEASE. There will be no rental abatements in the last year of the lease.
- **d.** Due to quality of work concerns on abatement projects, the Lessee will be required to hire or purchase from a USACE project representative approved contractor or vendor to complete the annual rental offsets/abatements.
- **e.** Due to the multitude of issues that arise during rental abatement projects and the potential magnitude of consequences of miscommunicated instructions or plans, the coordination with contractors will be completed by project representative to ensure projects are completed properly. This relieves the lessee from liability of incorrectly completed abatement projects and the damages that may arise.
- f. Rental abatement project payments to contractor must be made in a timely manner. Lessees are encouraged to pay contractors soon after bill is received to avoid delays in rental credit. Otherwise payment within the parameters set by the contractors billing statement, or within 30 days of contractor sending billing invoice is acceptable. Any late fees or penalties will not be used as abatement credit. Failure to pay in a timely manner may result in termination of lease as it influences the number of quality contractors willing to work on projects.
- **g.** All contractors hired to perform work on a Kanopolis Lake Project Lease shall be insured and carry appropriate licenses.
- **h.** All rental abatement projects are mandatory unless project representative has deemed unnecessary to complete. Due to the unknown bid amounts, potential weather conflicts, or abatement project costs during the development of these requirements, the project representative may not pursue some rental abatement projects.

## 41. 2021 Lease Unit Rental Abatement Projects

#### **LU #25/32A**

Fence Supply and Construction

Lessee will be required to hire a contractor for the purpose of constructing new fence, gates, braces and/or the purchasing of fencing supplies such as heavy duty t-

posts, barb wire, and gates. All construction will be in accordance to Exhibit C unless specified otherwise by the Project Representative. The project office will distribute these materials to lease areas for installation throughout the wildlife area. A Project Representative will coordinate, provide locations, dimensions, and type/quantities. Rental abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed by September 30.

## LU #25/32A

## Wetland Development

Lessee will hire an experienced contractor to develop a wetland on wildlife area lands. Work to be completed may consist of, but not limited to wetland structure material purchase, dirt work (to include excavator, scraper, dozer, and small equipment operation), and finishing work (habitat planting, erosion control, etc...). Design plans and coordination will be provided by the Project Representative. Rental abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed by September 30.

#### LU #29/31A

## Fence Supply and Construction

Lessee will be required to hire a contractor for the purpose of constructing new fence, gates, braces and/or the purchasing of fencing supplies such as heavy duty t-posts, barb wire, and gates. All construction will be in accordance to Exhibit C unless specified otherwise by the Project Representative. The project office will distribute these materials to lease areas for installation throughout the wildlife area. A Project Representative will coordinate, provide locations, dimensions, and type/quantities. Rental abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed by September 30.

#### LU #29/31A

## Wildlife area road improvements

Lessee will be responsible for hiring a contractor to maintain road ways on wildlife area. Maintenance activities may include grading, rock spreading, and mowing of roadside ditches. Project representative will provide details and needs. Rental abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed by September 30.

## LU #32B/33/34A/36A

## Fence Supply and Construction

Lessee will be required to hire a contractor for the purpose of constructing new fence, gates, braces and/or the purchasing of fencing supplies such as heavy duty t-posts, barb wire, and gates. All construction will be in accordance to Exhibit C unless specified otherwise by the Project Representative. The project office will distribute these materials to lease areas for installation throughout the wildlife area. A Project Representative will coordinate, provide locations, dimensions, and type/quantities. Rental abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed by September 30.

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## LU #32B/33/34A/36A

## Wetland Development

Lessee will hire an experienced contractor to develop a wetland on wildlife area lands. Work to be completed may consist of, but not limited to wetland structure material purchase, dirt work (to include excavator, scraper, dozer, and small equipment operation), and finishing work (habitat planting, erosion control, etc...). Design plans and coordination will be provided by the Project Representative. Rental abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed by September 30.

## LU #38B/39A

## Habitat Seed purchase and planting

Lessee will be responsible for purchasing habitat seed and planting for wildlife habitat. Project Representative will provide type and quantities prior to purchase. Rental Offset is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed 60 days after lease award.

#### LU #38B/39A

## Wetland Development

Lessee will hire an experienced contractor to develop a wetland on wildlife area lands. Work to be completed may consist of, but not limited to wetland structure material purchase, dirt work (to include excavator, scraper, dozer, and small equipment operation), and finishing work (habitat planting, erosion control, etc...). Design plans and coordination will be provided by the Project Representative. Rental abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed by September 30.

## 42. 2022 Lease Unit Rental Abatement Projects

## LU #25/32A

## Wetland Development

Lessee will hire an experienced contractor to develop a wetland on wildlife area lands. Work to be completed may consist of, but not limited to wetland structure material purchase, dirt work (to include excavator, scraper, dozer, and small equipment operation), and finishing work (habitat planting, erosion control, etc...). Design plans and coordination will be provided by the Project Representative. Rental abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed by September 30.

#### LU #29/31A

## Wildlife area road improvements

Lessee will be responsible for hiring a contractor to maintain road ways on wildlife area. Maintenance activities may include grading, rock spreading, and mowing of roadside ditches. Project representative will provide details and needs. **Rental** 

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# <u>abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be</u> completed by September 30.

#### LU #32B/33/34A/36A

## Access and Lease Improvements

Lessee will be required to hire a contractor to repair or construct wildlife area accesses, ponds, spring tanks. A list of work areas and work details will be provided by the project representative. The project representative shall meet with the hired contractor and conduct a pre-work site visit. Rental Abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed by 30 September.

#### LU #38B/39A

## Fence Supply and Construction

Lessee will be required to hire a contractor for the purpose of constructing new fence, gates, braces and/or the purchasing of fencing supplies such as heavy duty t-posts, barb wire, and gates. All construction will be in accordance to Exhibit C unless specified otherwise by the Project Representative. The project office will distribute these materials to lease areas for installation throughout the wildlife area. A Project Representative will coordinate, provide locations, dimensions, and type/quantities. Rental abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed by September 30.

## 43. 2023 Lease Unit Rental Abatement Projects

#### LU #25/32A

## Wetland Development

Lessee will hire an experienced contractor to develop a wetland on wildlife area lands. Work to be completed may consist of, but not limited to wetland structure material purchase, dirt work (to include excavator, scraper, dozer, and small equipment operation), and finishing work (habitat planting, erosion control, etc...). Design plans and coordination will be provided by the Project Representative. Rental abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed by September 30.

#### LU #29/31A

## Wildlife area road improvements

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## LU #32B/33/34A/36A

## Access and Lease Improvements

Lessee will be required to hire a contractor to repair or construct wildlife area accesses, ponds, spring tanks. A list of work areas and work details will be provided by the project representative. The project representative shall meet with the hired contractor and conduct a pre-work site visit. Rental Abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed by 30 September.

#### LU #38B/39A

## Fence Supply and Construction

Lessee will be required to hire a contractor for the purpose of constructing new fence, gates, braces and/or the purchasing of fencing supplies such as heavy duty t-posts, barb wire, and gates. All construction will be in accordance to Exhibit C unless specified otherwise by the Project Representative. The project office will distribute these materials to lease areas for installation throughout the wildlife area. A Project Representative will coordinate, provide locations, dimensions, and type/quantities. Rental abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed by September 30.

## 44. 2024 Lease Unit Rental Abatement Projects

## LU #25/32A

## Wetland Development

Lessee will hire an experienced contractor to develop a wetland on wildlife area lands. Work to be completed may consist of, but not limited to wetland structure material purchase, dirt work (to include excavator, scraper, dozer, and small equipment operation), and finishing work (habitat planting, erosion control, etc...). Design plans and coordination will be provided by the Project Representative. Rental abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed by September 30.

#### LU #29/31A

## Wildlife area road improvements

Lessee will be responsible for hiring a contractor to maintain road ways on wildlife area. Maintenance activities may include grading, rock spreading, and mowing of roadside ditches. Project representative will provide details and needs. Rental abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed by September 30.

<u>LU #32B/33/34A/36A</u> Access and Lease Improvements Lessee will be required to hire a contractor to repair or construct wildlife area accesses, ponds, spring tanks. A list of work areas and work details will be provided by the project representative. The project representative shall meet with the hired contractor and conduct a pre-work site visit. Rental Abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed by 30 September.

## LU #38B/39A

## Fence Supply and Construction

Lessee will be required to hire a contractor for the purpose of constructing new fence, gates, braces and/or the purchasing of fencing supplies such as heavy duty t-posts, barb wire, and gates. All construction will be in accordance to Exhibit C unless specified otherwise by the Project Representative. The project office will distribute these materials to lease areas for installation throughout the wildlife area. A Project Representative will coordinate, provide locations, dimensions, and type/quantities. Rental abatement is authorized; Not To Exceed 100% of annual rent; work to be completed by September 30.

This form covers Purpose, Site Location, Current Use of Property and adjacent property, Historical Use of Property and Adjacent Property, User provided Information, Site Reconnaissance, and Records Search and Interviews. Specific Records Search and Interview information will be provided in sections 4.0 and 5.0. Pictures, Maps, Record and Interview information are appendices.

Project Name:	DACW#:	Address/location:	
Kanopolis	Ag Leases	105 Riverside Dr, Marquette KS 67464	
1.0 Purpose			
		ntal condition of the property to inform decision making regardi	ing
		and will be of value to community planners; federal agencies ners in meeting EPA requirements. The ECP will also assist in	
determining appropriate responsibilities,	asset valuation, and l	liabilities with other parties to a transaction.	
2.0 Site Description			
2.1 Property Legal Description and	Site Address:		
	6.2 acres, LU - 29/31	A - 87.9 acres, LU - 32B/33/34A/36A - 637.6 acres, LU - 38B/	/39A
- 251.1 acres.			
2.2 Site and Vicinity General Chara	cteristics:		
Ag Leases			
L			
3.0 General Site Setting  Yes answers must be documented. Re	pageds and interview	re must be decumented	
a. Current and Past use of		s must be documented.	
(1)(a) Is the property		use?	
	ch and/or Interview:		Unk
Observed du	uring site visit:	☐ Yes ■ No	
	-	r an industrial use? For the purposes of this inquiry, adjoini	

property is considered to be property located within a quarter mile of the properties located within a mile of the subject property that exhibit a pote concern.			
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(2)(a) Did you observe evidence or do you have any prior knowledge that for an industrial use in the past?	t the proper	ty has bee	n used
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(2)(b) Did you observe evidence or do you have any prior knowledge that been used for an industrial use in the past?	t any adjoir	ning prope	rty has
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(3)(a) Is the property used as a gasoline station, motor repair facility, dry laboratory, junkyard, or landfill, or as a waste treatment, storage, disposal facility (if applicable, identify which)?	, processing	g, or recyc	ling
Record Search and/or Interview:	☐ Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(3)(b) Is any adjoining property used as a gasoline station, motor repair f developing laboratory, junkyard, or landfill, or as a waste treatment, stora recycling facility (if applicable, identify which)?		l, processi	
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(4)(a) Did you observe evidence or do you have any prior knowledge tha a gasoline station, motor repair facility, dry cleaners, photo developing la or as a waste treatment, storage, disposal, processing, or recycling facility which)?	boratory, ju	ınkyard, or	landfill,
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(4)(b) Did you observe evidence or do you have any prior knowledge that been used as a gasoline station, motor repair facility, dry cleaners, photo junkyard, or landfill, or as a waste treatment, storage, disposal, processing applicable, identify which)?	developing	laboratory ing facility	(if
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
b. Specific Property Conditions/Exterior Observations			
(5)(a) Are there currently any damaged or discarded automotive or indus paints, or other chemicals, hazardous substances or petroleum products in gal (19 L) in volume or 50 gal (190 L) in the aggregate, stored on or used facility?	individual	containers	sof > 5
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(5)(b) Did you observe evidence or do you have any prior knowledge that any damaged or discarded automotive or industrial batteries, pesticides, period hazardous substances or petroleum products in individual containers of peal (190 L) in the aggregate, stored on or used at the property or at the factories.	aints, or otl 5 gal (19 L)	her chemic	als,

Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk	
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No		
(6)(a) Are there currently any industrial drums (typically 55 gal (208 L)) or sacks of chemicals located on the property or facility?				
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk	
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No		
(6)(b) Did you observe evidence or do you have any prior knowledge that any industrial drums (typically 55 gal (208 L)) or sacks of chemicals located the control of the co				
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk	
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No		
(7)(a) Did you observe evidence or do you have any prior knowledge that onto the property that originated from a contaminated site?	t fill dirt ha	s been bro	ught	
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk	
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No		
(8)(a) Are there currently any pits, ponds, or lagoons located on the prop treatment or waste disposal?	erty in conn	ection wit	h waste	
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk	
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No		
(8)(b) Did you observe evidence or do you have any prior knowledge that				
any pits, ponds, or lagoons located on the property in connection with wa disposal?	ste treatmer	ıt or waste	;	
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk	
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No		
(9)(a) Is there currently any stained soil on the property?				
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk	
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No		
(9)(b) Did you observe evidence or do you have any prior knowledge that any stained soil on the property?	t there have	been prev	viously,	
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk	
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No		
(10)(a) Are there currently any registered or unregistered storage tanks (a	hove or un		located	
on the property?			) To <b>carca</b>	
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk	
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No		
(10)(b) Did you observe evidence or do you have any prior knowledge the			eviously,	
any registered or unregistered storage tanks (above or underground) locat  Record Search and/or Interview:	ed on the pr	roperty?  No	Unk	
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	L Olik	
_			udina	
(11)(a) Are there currently any vent pipes, fill pipes, or access ways indicated on the ground on the property or adjacent to any structure located on the			uumg	
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk	
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No		
(11)(b) Did you observe evidence or do you have any prior knowledge the	at there hav	ve been pro	eviously,	

any vent pipes, fill pipes, or access ways indicating a fill pipe protruding property or adjacent to any structure located on the property?	from the gr	ound on th	e
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(12)(a) Are there currently any strong, pungent, or noxious odors located	on the pro	perty?	
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(12)(b) Did you observe evidence or do you have any prior knowledge the any strong, pungent, or noxious odors located on the property?	at there ha	ve been pro	eviously,
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
			4 1
(13)(a) Are there currently any standing surface water, pools or sumps contain hazardous substances or petroleum products, located on the property?	ntaining ii	quias liker	y to be
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	☐ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(13)(b) Did you observe evidence or do you have any prior knowledge the any standing surface water, pools or sumps containing liquids likely to be petroleum products located on the property?			
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
c. Facility Conditions or Interior Observations	_	_	
(c.)(1) Are there facilities currently on site?	Yes	■ No	Unk
(c.)(2) Is there evidence or prior knowledge of facilities previously on site?	Yes	■ No	Unk
If answers (c.)(1) and (c.)(2) are No, th (14)(a) Is there currently evidence of leaks, releases or staining by substa			
odors, associated with any flooring, drains, walls, ceilings, or exposed gro			
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(14)(b) Did you observe evidence or do you have any prior knowledge the any leaks, releases or staining by substances other than water, or foul odo flooring, drains, walls, ceilings, or exposed grounds on the property, infra	rs, associat structure C	ed with an onditions	у
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(15) Describe the means of heating and cooling the buildings on the prop for heating and cooling.	erty, includ	ling the fu	el source
n/a			
(16) Describe symme on dusing visually and/an abvaically absorbed an ide	utified from	- tl :t	vi avvva tla at
(16) Describe sumps or drains visually and/or physically observed or idea are present in the buildings on the property.	numea fron	i me mierv	news that
n/a			
d. Infrastructure Conditions			
(17) Identify the source of potable water for the property.		-	

n/a			
(18) Identify the sewage disposal for the property.			
n/a			
(19)(a) If the property is served by a private well or non-public v	water system, is there	evidence	or do
you have prior knowledge that contaminants have been have bee	n identified in the wel	ll or syste	em that
exceed guidelines applicable to the water system?			
Record Search and/or Interview:	L Yes	∐ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	☐ No	
(19)(b) If the property is served by a private well or non-public			
you have prior knowledge that the well has been designated as co	ontaminated by any go	overnmei	nt
environmental/health agency?			
Record Search and/or Interview:	☐ Yes	☐ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	☐ No	
(19)(c) Does the property discharge waste water (not including s	anitary waste or storr	n water)	onto or
adjacent to the property and/or into a storm water system?			
Record Search and/or Interview:	☐ Yes	■ No	☐ Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(19)(d) Does the property discharge waste water (not including s	sanitary waste or storr	n water)	onto or
adjacent to the property and/or into a sanitary sewer system?			
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(20)(a) Has there been a discharge of any substance or material	from the property that	might	
contaminate the public water system?			
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(20)(b) Is the property known to be served by asbestos cement n	nains, lead containing	lines, or	piping
that uses copper and/or lead solder?  Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
			L Olik
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(21)(a) Is the property served by a private/nonpublic water syste		d to be	
contaminated in excess of drinking water guidelines or otherwise Record Search and/or Interview:		■ No	Unk
			L Olik
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
e. CERCLA and Related Liability			
(22) Is there any knowledge of environmental remediation order	s or agreements appli	cable to	the
property or any facility located on the property?  Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
	Yes		
Observed during site visit:	_	■ No	
(23)(a) Is there information on the past existence of hazardous surespect to the property or any facility located on the property?	ubstances or petroleur	m produc	ets with

Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(23)(b) Is there information on the current existence of hazardous substar with respect to the property or any facility located on the property?	nces or petr	oleum pro	ducts
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(23)(c) Is there information on the past existence of environmental violat	ions with r	espect to the	ne
property or any facility located on the property?			
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	☐ Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(23)(d) Is there information on the current existence of environmental vio	olations wit	h respect t	o the
property or any facility located on the property?			
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(24) Is there any knowledge of any environmental site assessment of the	nroperty o	facility th	at
indicated the presence of hazardous substances or petroleum products on,			
property or recommended further assessment of the property?	or contaill		
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Record Search and/or interview.	☐ 1 es	INO	L Olik
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(25) Is there any knowledge of any past, threatened, or pending lawsuits	or administ	rative proc	ceedings
concerning a release or threatened release of any hazardous substances or	petroleum	products i	nvolving
the property by any owner or occupant of the property?			
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
(26) Is there any prior knowledge that any hazardous substances or petrol	—  eum produ		l ntified
waste materials, tires, automotive or industrial batteries, or any other wast			
above grade, buried and or burned on the property?		, ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	raampea
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
Observed during site visit.		INO	
2.1 TOVIC CUDETANCES CONTROL ACT (TSCA).			
3.1 TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT (TSCA):		11 1 4	
a. Is there a transformer, capacitor, or any hydraulic equipment known to		likely to co	ontain
polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) or any records indicating the presence			
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
3.2 ASBESTOS ABATEMENT AND INSPECTION:			
		cilities the	n 🔳 N/A
a. Were any of the facilities located on the property constructed prior to 1	1980?		
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	☐ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	☐ No	
b. Have all facilities on the property been inspected by a certified asbesto	s abatemer	nt team?	I
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	☐ Yes	☐ No	

c. Is there any documented evidence of asbestos (e.g., tests, surveys, man facilities on the property?	nagement p	lan) in any	of the
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	☐ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	□No	
d. Has all friable asbestos on the property or within facilities on the property of subject to an Operation and Maintenance (O&M) program so that it does human exposure?			
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	☐ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	☐ No	
e. Does the site survey of pre-1980 construction identify potential asbested boiler insulation, floor tiles, building siding, shingles, roofing felt, wall are ceiling tiles, window putty, fuse boxes, heat reflectors, air duct lining)?	nd ceiling in	nsulation,	acoustical
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	☐ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	☐ No	
3.3 LEAD-BASED PAINT ABATEMENT AND INSPECTION:  If there were	a navar etri	uctures the	n N/A
a. Were any structures or facilities on the property constructed prior to 19		uctures the	11 <b>11/7</b> 1
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	☐ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	□No	
b. Has a screening test been conducted on the property for lead-based pai	nt?		1
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	☐ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	□No	
c. Did the results of the screening tests identify lead-based paint?			
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	☐ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	☐ No	
d. Is any of the on-site paint peeling or chipped?			1
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	☐ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	☐ No	
a. Are there or has there been any pesticides, fungicides, or herbicides us		mamautz:0	
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	No No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	□No	
b. In greater than household quantities?			
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	☐ No	■ Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	☐ No	
c. Applied not in accordance with the manufacturers recommendations?			<u> </u>
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	☐ No	■ Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	☐ No	
d. Are there or has there been any pesticides, fungicides, or herbicides sto	ored onsite	?	1
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	

e. In greater than house-hold quantities?			
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
f. Have there been reports or evidence of a spill of any pesticides, fungic	ides, or her	bicides on	the
property?	,		
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
3.5 MEDICAL/BIOHAZARDOUS WASTE:			
a. Has the property been used for chemical or biological testing?  Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
		■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	☐ Yes	■ No	
b. Has the property been used for burying medical or biohazardous waste			
Record Search and/or Interview:	☐ Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
3.6 MUNITIONS AND EXPLOSIVES OF CONCERN (MEC - i.e., military munitions	that may p	ose unique	e
explosives safety risks, including: (A) unexploded ordnance (UXO), as defined in 10 U.S.			
military munitions (DMM), as defined in 10 U.S.C. 2710(e)(2); or (C) munitions constitue	nts (e.g., T	NT, RDX)	, as
defined in 10 U.S.C. 2710(e)(3), present in high enough concentrations to pose an explosive	ve hazard.)		
a. Have any citizen complaints or local law enforcement actions occurred		MEC on t	he
property?			
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
b. Has the site served as a small arms test range or otherwise to service v	veapons?		
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
c. Are any ranges, berms, open burning/open detonation (OB/OD), traini	ng, or impa	ct areas or	nsite?
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
3.7 RADIOLOGICAL SUBSTANCES:			
a. Has the property ever been suspected to contain radioactive waste, inc	luding miv	ed waste?	
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
b. Have radiological substances ever been used or services provided on t	<del></del>		
Record Search and/or Interview:	☐ Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
c. Has the property been surveyed for radon?			
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No	
d. Did the radon survey indicate test results above 4 pCi/l (pico curies/lit	er)?		
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk

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Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No			
e. If a radon survey has not been conducted does the vicinity exhibit radon above 4 pCi/l (pico curies/liter)?					
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk		
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No			
f. Do records indicate that nearby structures have elevated indoor levels					
Record Search and/or Interview:	☐ Yes	■ No	Unk		
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No			
2.9 Clean Air Act					
a. Does the facility emit air pollutants into the environment?					
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk		
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No			
b. Is the facility a type for which new standards of performance (NSPS) l	ı nave been p	romulgated	l		
C.F.R. Part 60 for a list of new source categories and applicable standard					
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk		
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No			
c. Is the facility in violation or has the facility been in violation of the NS	SPS or the p	ermit?			
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk		
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No			
d. Is the facility located in a nonattainment area?					
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk		
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No			
e. Will the facility be subject to maximum attainable control technology (	<del></del>				
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk		
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No			
f. Is the capital expenditure required to meet the requirements of emissions reductions in the new Clean Air Act, i.e., is the facility required to reduce emissions because it is a non-attainment area?					
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes		Unk		
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No			
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g. Does the facility incinerate any wastes of any kind?  Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk		
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No			
3.9 ADDITIONAL ISSUES:					
a. Does the property exhibit any stressed vegetation or diseased wildlife					
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk		
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No			
b. Does the property have erosion problems (i.e., gullies, arroyos, sedime					
Record Search and/or Interview:	Yes	■ No	Unk		
Observed during site visit:	Yes	■ No			
c. Are there any floodplains or wetlands?	•				

Record Search and/or Interview:			No 🛮 🗘 Unk			
Observed during site vis	Yes 1	No				
d. Are there any sinkholes?						
Record Search and/or Interview:			No Unk			
Observed during site vis	Observed during site visit:					
e. Are there any valuable minera	al resources?		I			
Record Search and/or Interview: Yes No Unk						
Observed during site vis	it:	Yes 1	No			
f. Is mold present in facilities on	the property?		-			
Record Search and/or In	terview:	Yes I	No Unk			
Observed during site vis	it:	Yes 1	No			
2.10 OTHER CONDITIONS.						
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3.11 ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:						
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4.0 GOVERNMENT RECORDS/HISTORICAL RESOURCES INQUIRY						
a. Do any of the following Federal Government record systems list the property or any property within the						
search distance noted below:						
Federal Government Source	Approximate Minimum Search Distance, miles (kilometers)	Resp	Response			
Federal NPL site list	1.0 (1.6)	Yes	■ No			
Federal CERCLIS list	0.5 (0.8)	Yes	■ No			
Federal <u>CERCLIS NFRAP</u> site list	property and adjoining properties	Yes	■ No			
Federal RCRA CORRACTS TSD facilities list	1.0 (1.6)	Yes	■ No			
Federal RCRA non-CORRACTS TSD facilities list	0.5 (0.8)	Yes	■ No			
Federal RCRA generators list	property and adjoining properties	Yes	■ No			
Federal ERNS list	property only	Yes	■ No			
b. Do any of the following state record systems list the property or any property within the search distance noted below:						
State lists of hazardous waste sites identified						
for investigation or remediation	Distance, miles (kilometers)	U <sub>22</sub>	■ Ma			
State – Equivalent NPL	1.0 (1.6)	Yes	■ No			

State – Equival	ent CERCLIS	0.5 (0.8)		Yes	■ No
State landfill ar	nd/or solid waste disposal lists	0.5 (0.8)		Yes	■ No
State leaking U	ST lists	0.5 (0.8)		Yes	■ No
State registered	State registered UST lists property and adjoining properties		Yes	■ No	
c. Based upon a review of fire insurance maps or consultation with the local fire department serving the property, are any buildings or other improvements on the property or on any adjoining property identified as having been used for industrial use or uses likely to lead to contamination of the property? Please state remarks below.  Remarks:					
Remarks.					
5.0 Interviews					
	Name		Position		
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					
6					
6.0 Records					
1	EPA Superfund National Priorities	List			
2	EPA RCRA list				
3	USACE CPtrack				
4	USACE, Files				
5					
6					
7.0 We have performed a Phase I Environmental Site Assessment in conformance with the scope and limitations of ASTM Practice E 1527 of as described in 2.0 the property. Any exceptions to, or deletions from this practice are described in Section [3] of this report. This assessment has revealed no evidence of recognized environmental conditions in connection with the property.  Environmental Professional (Print) Joshua Gormley					
Environmental Professional's Signature GORMLEY.JOSHUA Digitally signed by GORMLEY.JOSHUA.PAUL.1240146807 Date: 2020.11.17 09:48:53 -06'00'					
9.0 CEDTIFICATIONS:					
8.0 CERTIFICATIONS:  15.a. The Environmental Professional Completing this report:					
Name: Joshua Gormley					
Title: KC District Environmental Compliance Coordinator					
Organization: <sub>U.S.</sub> Army Corps of Engineers Address: 601 E. 12th St, Kansas City, MO 64106					
Phone number: 816-398-1268					
	Date: 11/17/2020				
Qualifications: GS-0028-12, Environmental Protection Specialist					

"[I, We] declare that, to the best of [my our] professional knowledge and belief, [I, we] meet the definition of Environmental professional as defined in 312.10 of 40 CFR 312 and [I, We] have the specific qualifications based on education, training, and experience to assess a property of the nature, history and setting of the subject property. [I, We] have developed and performed the all appropriate inquiries in conformance with the standards and practices set forth in 40 CFR Part 312."

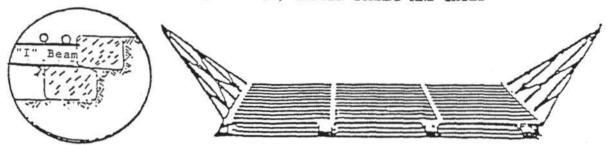
9.0 RECOMMENDATION:
I recommend that the proposed real estate outgrant be approved and that the action proceed.
I do not recommend that the proposed real estate outgrant be approved and recommend that no further review and
processing be done.

OPM/ECC Signature GORMLEY.JOSHUA.PAUL.1	2 Digitally signed by	Date 11/17/20
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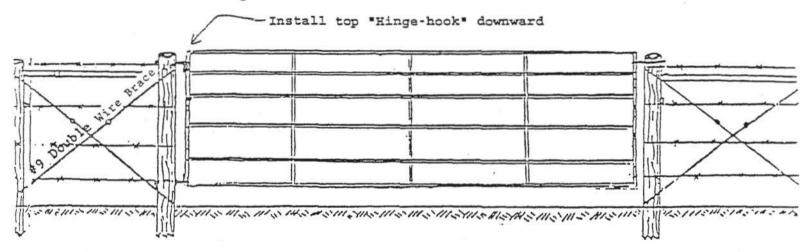
# Appendix A Aerial Photographs

Aerial Photo Date	Flight Date	Source	Item or Feature Observed

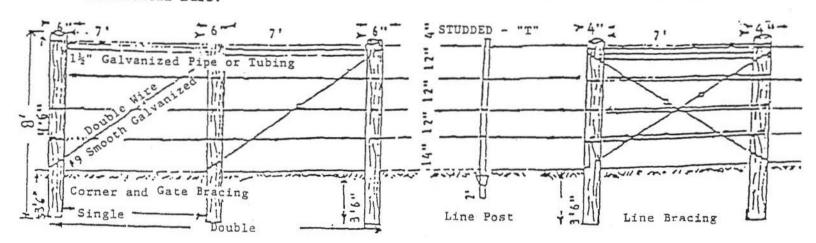
#### MINIMUM STANDARDS NEW FENCE, CATTLE GUARDS AND GATES



Cattle guards shall be similar to above, 6 feet by 14 feet wide, as specified. They shall be installed flush with the road surface in a pit not less than 15 inches deep, with railroad cross-ties used for abutments. All guards will be new materials, of welded construction, with 2-inch inside diameter, standard weight (3.65 lb/ft) black iron pipe on 6-inch center spacing (or 3-inch used well pipe in sound condition on 8-inch centers), and not less than 7 cross trusses of pipe in sound condition on 8-inch centers), and not less than 7 cross trusses of 5-inch "I" beam, 5I10 American Standard Beam (5" x 3" = 10 lb/ft). Strap Braces (1/4" x 1 1/2") shall be welded to each pipe above each truss. Triangular wings shall be angle iron and strap steel. The structure shall receive one coat of primer and one coat of aluminum pigmented exterior enamel after welding.



Gates shall be 4 foot x 16 foot, 14 gauge heavy duty welded tube (round or square) construction. Round tube minimum is 1 5/8 OD. Square tube minimum is 1 1/2 on all sides. Gates shall conform to the design shown above with 6 horizontal bars.



All fence materials shall be new. Barbed wire shall be 2-point (spaced 4\* apart), 12 1/2 gauge, galvanized, American made. Brace post shall be round 6\* x 8' pressure treated. Line post will be 4\* x 8' wooden post or Commercial Standard 185-51, studded-T steel post set 16 1/2 feet apart (1.33 lb/ft), American made, with two coats of aluminum pigmented (any color) baked enamel. Single bracing may be used when the run is less than 650 feet between corners and/or gates. When fence is more than 650 feet between corner post, braced line post assemblies should be located every 650 feet in the fence line. A braced line assembly is the same as a single span braced corner except that a second diagonal brace wire is used to take fence pull in the opposite direction. Line braces shall be used on breaks in ground elevation, or every quarter of a mile. No wire gaps are authorized.

Attach wire to the side of the post closest to the livestock being fenced except where appearance is important.

Use 1 1/2 to 2 inch galvanized staples to fasten wire to wooden post or the wire clips which come with steel post to attach wire to the steel post.

Wooden post sizes are usually given in inches top diameter, then length in feet. A 7-inch top diameter post, 8-feet long would be referred to as a 7" by 8' or 7" x 8'.

Post length will be determined by the combination of fence height and depth of setting. Add together the depth of setting, the height of the top wire, and an additional 6 inches to obtain post length. For example, a post set 3 1/2 feet deep for a 4 foot high fence would have to be 8 foot long.

Crossing low spots require special precautions to prevent post withdrawal or washout. In locations not subject to frequent flooding, use extra length post set to a minimum of 2 feet 6 inches deep or set post in concrete to prevent withdrawal (figure 4). A hinged floodgate may be used in low spots which flood or when crossing streams with fences (figure 5).

