

Water Administration Summary
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September 30, 2002

Water Division 1-A (Platte River above Columbus)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Action</u>	<u>Where</u>	<u>For</u>	<u>Daily Running Totals</u>	
				<u>Total No. Closed</u>	<u>Total No. Regulated</u>
11-13-2001	47 Closed	Above Duncan on Platte River	Instream Flow A-17004 Not Met	47	
12-4-2001	47 Opened	Above Duncan on Platte River	Instream Flow being Met	0	
4-13-2002	28 Closed	Lake McConaughy to Overton	Instream Flow A-17008a Not Met	28	
4-16-2002	26 Closed	Overton to Grand Island	Instream Flow A-17008a Not Met	54	
4-20-2002	80 Regulated	Platte River Below Kingsley	Legal Limit	54	80
4-20-2002	16 Closed	Platte River Below Kingsley	No Acreage Report	70	80
4-26-2002	12 Regulated	Above Lake McConaughy	Legal Limit	70	92
4-26-2002	2 Closed	Platte Basin	No Acreage Report	72	92
5-01-2002	27 Regulated	Above Lake McConaughy	Legal Limit	72	119
5-01-2002	2 Opened	Platte Basin	Received Acreage Report	70	121
5-1-2002	60 Regulated	Platte Basin	Legal Limit	70	181
5-2-2002	3 Opened	Overton to Odessa	Received Acreage Report	67	184
5-14-02	4 Opened	Odessa to Grand Island	Sufficient Flow for A- 17008a	63	188
5-24-02	4 Closed	Odessa to Grand Island	Insufficient Flow for A- 17004A	67	184
6-1-2002	10 Closed	Grand Island to Duncan	Insufficient Flow for A- 17329	77	174
6-7-2002	1 Opened	Overton to Odessa	Acreage Report Filed	76	175

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6-20-2002	4 Closed	Pumpkinseed Creek	Insufficient Flow for D-876, Priority 2-20-1893	80	171
6-24-2002	26 Closed	North Platte River and Tribs	Insufficient Flow for D-722, Priority 2-2-1894	106	145
6-26-2002	24 Closed	North Platte River and Tribs	Insufficient Flow for North Platte Canal, Priority 12-27-1893	130	121
6-26-2002	9 Closed	Platte River between Brady & Gothenburg	Insufficient Flow for Six Mile Canal Priority 10-22-1894	139	112
6-26-2002	2 Closed	Platte River Between Gothenburg & Cozad	Insufficient Flow for Orchard-Alfalfa, Priority 1-23-1895	141	110
6-26-2002	1 Closed	Platte River Between Brady & Gothenburg	Insufficient Flow for Gothenburg Canal, Priority 9-22-1894	142	109
6-27-2002	14 Closed	North Platte River Between Bayard and Lewellen	Insufficient Flow for North Platte Canal, Priority 1884 – closed to 1-20-1892	156	95
7-2-2002	8 Closed	North Platte River	Insufficient Flow for North Platte Canal, Priority 1884 – closed to 5-16-1890	164	87
7-3-2002	16 Closed	Platte River above Cozad	Insufficient Flow for Dawson County Canal, Priority 1894	180	71
7-8-2002	25 Closed	Buffalo Creek	Insufficient flow for A-1988, priority 3-5-1928	205	46
7-8-2002	5 Opened	North Platte River	More Flow for North Platte Canal	200	51
7-10-2002	22 Opened	Buffalo Creek	Additional flow for A-1988	178	73
7-12-2002	5 Closed	North Platte River	For North Platte Canal	183	68
7-15-2002	2 Opened	North Platte River	Additional flow	181	70
7-16-2002	6 Opened	North Platte River	Additional flow	175	76
7-18-2002	11 Closed	Strever Creek	Insufficient flow for A-2083, priority 6-3-1929	186	65

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7-20-2002	24 Closed	Buffalo Creek	Insufficient Flow for A-1985, priority 2-20-1928	210	41
7-20-2002	6 Closed	Buffalo Creek	Insufficient Flow for A-1988, priority 3-5-1928	216	35
7-22-2002	4 Closed	North Platte River	Insufficient Flow for North Platte Canal	220	31
7-23-2002	2 Opened	Strever Creek	Increased Flow	218	33
7-23-2002	1 Closed	North Platte River	Insufficient Flow for North Platte Canal	219	32
7-26-2002	4 Opened	Strever Creek	Increased Flow	215	36
7-27-2002	4 Opened	North Platte River	Increased Flow	211	40
7-28-2002	2 Opened	North Platte River	Increased Flow	209	42
7-29-2002	2 Opened	North Platte River & Tribs	Increased Flow	207	44
7-31-2002	14 Opened	Buffalo Creek	Sufficient Flow for A-1988	193	58
7-31-2002	4 Opened	North Platte River	Increased Flow for North Platte Canal	189	62
8-3-2002	5 Opened	North Platte River	Increased Flow for North Platte Canal	184	67
8-5-2002	9 Opened	North Platte River	Increased Flow	175	76
8-9-2002	13 Closed	North Platte River	Decreased Flow for North Platte Canal	188	63
8-9-2002	1 Opened	Platte Basin	Filed Acreage Report	187	64
8-21-2002	3 Closed	North Platte River	Insufficient flow for Paxton-Hershey Canal, Priority 2-12-1894	190	61
8-23-2002	1 Closed	Blue Creek	Insufficient Flow for North Platte Canal	191	60
8-26-2002	1 Closed	Blue Creek	Insufficient Flow for Paxton Hershey	192	59
8-29-2002	41 Opened	North Platte River	Increased Flows	151	100

Water Division 1-B (Republican River)

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1-10-2002	141 Closed	Republican River Basin	Failure to file Water Use Report	141	
1-31-2002	48 Opened	Republican River Basin	Water Use Report Filed	93	48
3-1-2002	11 Opened	Republican River Basin	Water Use Report Filed	82	59
4-2-2002	3 Opened	Republican River Basin	Water Use Report Filed	79	62
4-19-2002	20 Regulated	Above Swanson Reservoir	Legal Limit	79	82
4-30-2002	1 Opened	Republican River Basin	Water Use Report Filed	78	83
5-20-2002	1 Opened	Republican River Basin	Water Use Report Filed	77	84
6-11-2002	130 Regulated	Below Harlan County Reservoir	Legal Limit	77	214
6-18-2002	1 Opened	Below Harlan County Reservoir	Water Use Report Filed	76	215
6-25-2002	2 Opened	Red Willow Creek	Water Use Report Filed	74	217
6-29-2002	21 Closed	Frenchman Creek	Insufficient Flow for D-24R, Priority 5-16-1890	95	217
6-29-2002	2 Closed	Republican River	Insufficient Flow for A-3869DR, Priority 4-3-1946	97	217
6-29-2002	22 Closed	Red Willow Creek	Insufficient Flow for A-3869, Priority 4-3-1946	119	217
6-29-2002	36 Closed	Medicine Creek	Insufficient Flow for A-3869E, Priority 4-3-1946	155	217
6-29-2002	3 Closed	Republican River	Insufficient Flow for A-3869E, Priority 4-3-1946	158	217

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6-29-2002	111 Closed	Republican River and Tribs	Insufficient Flow for A-2691A & A-2691BR, Priority 4-3-1946	269	217
6-29-2002	1 Closed	Sacramento Creek	No Permit	270	217
6-29-2002	1 Closed	Trib to Blakely Creek	No Permit	271	217
6-29-2002	1 Regulated	Frenchman Creek, Culbertson Canal	Legal Limit	271	218
6-29-2002	1 Regulated	Red Willow Creek, Red Willow Canal	Legal Limit	271	219
6-29-2002	1 Regulated	Republican River, Bartley Canal	Legal Limit	271	220
6-29-2002	1 Regulated	Republican River, Cambridge Canal	Legal Limit	271	221
6-29-2002	1 Regulated	Republican River, Franklin Canal	Legal Limit	271	222
7-2-2002	7 Regulated	Red Willow Creek	Legal Limit	271	229
7-2-2002	13 Regulated	Medicine Creek	Legal Limit	271	242
7-2-2002	19 Regulated	Republican River and Tribs between Cambridge Diversion and Franklin Canal	Legal Limit	271	261
7-2-2002	6 Regulated	Sacramento Creek	Legal Limit	271	267
7-10-2002	5 Opened	Below Harlan County Dam	Report Filed	266	272
7-16-2002	1 Closed	Cambridge Canal	Insufficient flow for A-3629	267	272
7-22-2002	1 Opened	Cambridge Canal	Sufficient Flow for A-3629	266	273
7-22-2002	1 Closed	Enders Reservoir Must Pass Inflow	D-24R	267	273
7-24-2002	1 Closed	Cambridge Canal	Insufficient Flow for A-3629	268	273
7-26-2002	22 Opened	Red Willow Creek	Frenchman Cambridge removed call	246	295

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7-26-2002	7 Opened	Republican River	Futile Call for A-3869E	239	302
7-29-2002	73 Opened	Republican River and Tribs above Franklin Canal to A-3629	Futile Call	166	375
8-2-2002	1 Opened	Trib to Prairie Dog Creek	Franklin Canal A-2691A&B	165	376
8-6-2002	37 Opened	Republican River and Tribs above A-3629 to Cambridge Canal	Futile Call	128	413
8-6-2002	1 Closed	Republican River	Exceeded 3 af	129	413
8-7-2002	1 Closed	Frenchman Creek	Illegal Pump	130	413
8-12-2002	22 Opened	Frenchman Creek	Futile Call for Riverside Canal	108	435
8-21-2002	50 Opened	Medicine Creek & Republican River	Cambridge Canal quit diverting	58	485
9-3-2002	1 Closed	Medicine Creek	Bypass for Cattle	59	484

Water Division 1-C (Little Blue River)

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7-18-2002	187 Juniors Closed	Little Blue Basin	Blue Compact Flows	187	
7-18-2002	127 Storage Closed	Little Blue Basin	Blue Compact Flows	314	
7-18-2002	160 Regulated	Little Blue Basin	Blue Compact Flows	314	160
7-29-2002	314 Opened	Little Blue Basin	Increased Flows	0	474
8-6-2002	187 Juniors Closed	Little Blue Basin	Blue Compact Flows	187	287
8-6-2002	127 Storage Closed	Little Blue Basin	Blue Compact Flows	314	160

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8-19-2002	All Opened	Little Blue Basin	Increased Flows	0	474
9-9-2002	187 Juniors Closed	Little Blue Basin	Blue Compact Flows	187	287
9-9-2002	127 Storage Closed	Little Blue Basin	Blue Compact Flows	314	160
9-16-2002	314 Opened	Little Blue Basin	Sufficient Flows	0	474

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7-5-2002	1 Closed	Big Indian Creek Reservoir 7-A	No permit	1	
7-11-2002	41 Closed	Big Blue River Near Seward	Insufficient flow for A-10883	41	
7-11-2002	14 Regulated	Big Blue River Near Seward	Insufficient flow for A-10883	41	14
7-15-2002	4 Opened	Big Blue River Near Seward	More flow	37	18
7-16-2002	7 Opened	Big Blue River Near Seward	More flow	30	25
7-17-2002	3 Opened	Big Blue River Near Seward	More flow	27	28
7-18-2002	1 Opened	Big Blue River Near Seward	More flow	26	29
7-22-2002	All Opened	Big Blue River Near Seward	More Flow	0	55
7-30-2002	41 Closed	Big Blue River Near Seward	Insufficient Flow for A-10883	41	14
8-5-2002	547 Juniors Closed	Big Blue Basin	Blue River Compact	588	14
8-5-2002	328 Storage Closed	Big Blue Basin	Blue River Compact	916	14

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8-5-2002	475 Regulated	Big Blue Basin		916	475
8-13-2002	915 Opened	Big Blue Basin	Sufficient Flow	1	1,390
8-16-2002	1 Opened	Big Indian Creek Reservoir 7-A	Permit Obtained	0	1,391
9-25-2002	1 Closed	Big Blue	No Permit	1	1,391

Water Division 2-A (Loup River)

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6-6-2002	1365 Regulated	Loup Basin	Legal Limit		1,365
6-6-2002	160 Closed	Loup Basin	Insufficient Flow for Instream Flow A-17331	160	
6-12-2002	160 Opened	Loup Basin	Sufficient Flow for Instream Flow A-17331	0	1,525
6-25-2002	4 Closed	Platte River & Tribs	Insufficient Flow for A-17331	4	1,521
6-25-2002	58 Closed	Loup & Platte Basin	Insufficient Flow for A-17331	62	1,463
6-25-2002	65 Closed	Loup Basin	Insufficient Flow for A-17331	127	1,398
8-31-2002	127 Opened	Loup Basin, Platte River & Tribs	Sufficient Flow for A-17331	0	1,525
9-6-2002	60 Closed	Beaver Creek, Shell Creek and Lower Platte River	Insufficient Flow for A-17332	60	1,465
9-6-2002	4 Closed	Platte River & Tribs	Insufficient Flow for A-17332	64	1461
9-6-2002	65 Closed	Loup Basin	Insufficient Flow for A-17332	129	1396

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Water Division 2-B (Elkhorn River, Salt Creek, & Lower Platte)

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6-6-2002	830 Regulated	Salt Basin, Elkhorn Basin & Lower Platte	Legal Limit		830
6-6-2002	96 Closed	Salt Basin, Elkhorn Basin and Lower Platte	Insufficient Flow for Instream Flow A-17331	96	
6-12-2002	96 Opened	Salt Basin, Elkhorn Basin and Lower Platte	Sufficient Flow for Instream Flow A-17331	0	926
6-18-2002	1 Closed	Branched Oak Reservoir	Pass inflow for A-10767	1	925
6-25-2002	93 Closed	Salt Basin, Elkhorn Basin & Lower Platte	Insufficient Flow for A-17331	94	830 (2 Cancelled)
8-14-2002	1 Opened	Branched Oak Reservoir	Sufficient Flow for A-10767	93	831
8-23-2002	39 Opened	Salt Basin & Lower Platte below North Bend	Sufficient Flow for A-17331	54	885
8-23-2002	54 Opened	Elkhorn Basin & Lower Platte below North Bend	Sufficient Flow for A-17331	0	939
8-27-2002	56 Closed	Elkhorn Basin	Insufficient Flow for A-17331	56	883
8-27-2002	39 Closed	Salt Basin & Lower Platte below North Bend	Insufficient Flow for A-17331	95	844
8-31-2002	95 Opened	Salt & Elkhorn Basins	Sufficient Flow for A-17331	0	939
9-6-2002	56 Closed	Elkhorn River Basins	Insufficient Flow for A-17331	56	883
9-6-2002	39 Closed	Salt Basin & Lower Platte	Insufficient Flow for A-17331	95	844

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Water Division 2-C (Niobrara River)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Action</u>	<u>Where</u>	<u>For</u>	<u>Daily Running Totals</u>	
				<u>Total No. Closed</u>	<u>Total No. Regulated</u>
4-20-2002	2 Regulated	Niobrara River	Legal Limit		2
4-25-2002	1 Regulated	Niobrara River	Legal Limit		3
5-2-2002	11 Regulated	Niobrara River	Legal Limit		14
5-4-2002	2 Regulated	Niobrara River	Legal Limit		16
5-9-2002	1 Regulated	Niobrara River	Legal Limit		17
5-17-2002	4 Regulated	Niobrara River	Legal Limit		21
5-25-2002	9 Regulated	Niobrara River	Legal Limit		30
6-15-2002	7 Closed	Niobrara River	Insufficient Flow for D-566	7	23
6-20-2002	2 Closed	Niobrara River	Insufficient Flow for D-554	9	21
6-27-2002	19 Closed	Niobrara River	Insufficient Flow for Mirage Flats	28	2
7-11-2002	9 Closed	Niobrara River	Insufficient Flow for McLaughlin Canal, priority 5-1-1888	37	2
7-11-2002	1 Closed	Niobrara River	Insufficient Flow for McLaughlin Canal, priority 5-1-1888	38	2
7-26-2002	9 Opened	Niobrara River	Increased Flow	29	11
7-26-2002	6 Opened	Niobrara River	Increased Flow	23	17

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8-22-2002	19 Opened	Niobrara River	Mirage Flats quit diverting	4	36
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Water Division 2-D (White River)

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11-2-2001	9 Closed	Above Whitney Reservoir	Whitney Reservoir	9	
11-3-2001	9 Opened	Above Whitney Reservoir	Whitney Reservoir	0	

Water Division 2-E (Hat Creek)

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1-3-2002	11 Closed	Sow Belly Creek	Riparian Right	11	
2-22-2002	11 Opened	Sow Belly Creek	Sufficient Flow	0	
7-4-2002	53 Closed	Hat Creek	Riparian Rights	53	
8-7-2002	53 Opened	Hat Creek	Futile Call	0	
8-10-2002	53 Closed	Hat Creek	Riparian Rights	53	
8-24-2002	53 Opened	Hat Creek	Futile Call	0	
9-11-2002	42 Closed	Hat Creek	Riparian Rights	42	