



# Application for Shoreline Improvement or Use

## Johnson County Lake DeSmet Operating Department

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### Section 1: Applicant Information (please print):

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

### Section 2: Lake DeSmet Property Information (location of shoreline improvement or use):

Property Address: \_\_\_\_\_

GPS Coordinates for Location of Improvement or Use:

Latitude: \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude: \_\_\_\_\_

Is High Water Level at the 4620 feet elevation clearly marked at this location?  Yes  No

### Section 3: Shoreline Improvement or Use

I, the undersigned, hereby requests permission to enter upon Johnson County property adjacent to my deeded property at the Lake DeSmet Reservoir below the 4620 feet elevation of the following use(s) or improvement(s) listed below. Check all that apply, then complete all additional requirements for each item as listed on page 2.

- Property Maintenance: Trimming Trees, Scrubs, or Woody Plants
- Property Maintenance: Spraying Weeds
- Temporary Irrigation Pump
- Temporary Boat Dock
- Shoreline Improvement: General Shoreline Modification
- Shoreline Improvement: Erosion Control
- Shoreline Improvement: Landscaping

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Section 4: Brief Description of Proposed Improvement or Use:

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Please return the completed application with all additional plans and fees to the Lake DeSmet Operating Department. **Application processing will not begin until all additional application requirements have been received.** If you have any questions, please call (307)425-6539, or (307)620-1924, or email [lakedesmet@johnsoncowy.us](mailto:lakedesmet@johnsoncowy.us).

### Section 5: Property Maintenance Additional Requirements

Please complete Section 4 with a brief description of the work to be performed. If spraying weeds, include the type of weed(s), their location, and the herbicide to be used. No application fee or additional fees are required. **Applicant must reapply annually for property maintenance uses.**

### Section 6: Temporary Irrigation Pump Additional Requirements

Please complete Section 4 with a description of the pump, its capacity, and its location, as well as a general irrigation timeframe and any other relevant information to the specific location. No application fee is required. **Applicant must reapply annually for temporary irrigation pump use.**

The following items are required after completion of irrigation:

- Record of Water Usage: including dates pump was turned on and off and amount of water being pumped during those periods.
- Water Usage Fee: determined by the total amount of water used and based upon current Johnson County domestic/municipal water rates. To be paid within 30 days of invoicing from the Lake DeSmet Operating Department.

### Section 7: Temporary Boat Dock Additional Requirements

The following items are required at the time of submittal of a temporary boat dock application:

- Temporary Boat Dock Application Fee: \$500.00
- Detailed plans of the boat dock including, but not limited to, the following:
  - Temporary boat dock type, dimensions, and dock material(s).
  - Type and size of boat(s) to be docked.
  - Temporary boat dock anchoring system (only temporary systems allowed).
  - Any other plans or information that may be relevant to the specific dock and/or location.
- Temporary boat dock seasonal installation/removal procedure keeping with all regulations as laid out by the "Lake DeSmet Reservoir and Shoreline Protection Public Use Regulations."

The following item may be required after processing of the application:

- All costs associated with an engineer's review performed by an engineer selected by Johnson County to be paid within 30 days of invoicing from the Lake DeSmet Operating Department, if such a review is needed.

The following item is required annually after approval of a temporary boat dock application:

- Annual Boat Dock Renewal Fee: \$50.00

### Section 8: Shoreline Improvement Additional Requirements

The following items are required at the time of submittal of a shoreline modification application:

- Shoreline Improvement Application Fee: \$500.00
- Plans of proposed shoreline improvement drafted and stamped by a professional engineer.
- Completion of Section 5 with a description of the work to be performed.

The following items are required after processing of the application:

- All costs associated with an engineer's review performed by an engineer selected by Johnson County to be paid within 30 days of invoicing from the Lake DeSmet Operating Department.