

# 2016 Kansas Statutes

**82a-703c. Minimum streamflows established.** In accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 82a-703a, and amendments thereto, the legislature hereby establishes the following minimum desirable streamflows:

Table—MINIMUM DESIRABLE STREAMFLOWS (cfs)

Watercourse	Month											
	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D
Marais des Cygnes Ottawa....	15	15	15	15(40)	20(50)	25(50)	25	25	20	15	15	15
LaCygne...	20	20	20	20(50)	20(150)	25(150)	25	25	20	20	20	20
Neosho Americus..	5	5	5	5(20)	5(30)	5(30)	5	5	5	5	5	5
Iola.....	40	40	40	40(60)	40(200)	40(200)	40	40	40	40	40	40
Parsons...	50	50	50	50(100)	50(300)	50(300)	50	50	50	50	50	50
Cottonwood Florence..	10	10	10	10(30)	10(60)	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Plymouth..	20	20	20	20(60)	20(150)	20(150)	20	20	20	20	20	20
Little Arkansas Alta Mills	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
Valley Center..	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
Arkansas River Kinsley (b)	2	2	3	3	5	5	3	1	1	1	2	2
Great Bend (b)	3	3	3	3	10	10	5	3	2	2	2	3
Hutchinson	80	80	100	100	100	100	100	80	80	60	60	80
Rattlesnake Creek Macksville (b)	5	5	10	10	10	10	5	1	1	1	5	5
Zenith.....	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
North Fork Ninescah Above Cheney....	40	50	50	50	40	30	10	5	5	10	40	40
South Fork Ninescah Pratt.....	10	10	10	8	8	8	5	5	5	10	10	10
Murdock....	80	90	90	90	90	90	90	50	30	30	50	80
Ninescah Peck.....	100	100	100	100	100	100	70	30	30	30	50	100
Saline Russell...	5	5	15	15	15	15	12	2	2	2	5	5
Smoky Hill Ellsworth(c)	20	20	25	30	35	45	35	15	15	15	20	20
Medicine Lodge Kiowa.....	50	55	60	60	40	30	6	1	1	4	40	50
Chikaskia Corbin....	30	45	50	45	40	30	16	5	5	8	30	30
Big Blue Marysville	100	100	125	150	150	150	150	80	90	65	80	80
Little Blue Barnes....	100	100	125	150	150	150	150	80	80	60	80	80
Republican Concordia (e)	100	125	150	150	150	150	150	80	65	80	100	100
Clay Center	125	150	200	250	250	250	250	200	200	200	200	200
Mill Creek Paxico.....	8	8	8	25	30	35	10	5	5	2	5	8
Delaware Muscotah... 10	10	20	20	20	20	20	20	5	3	3	2	10
Walnut River Winfield... 30	35	40	65	100	100	100	30	25	20	20	20	30
Whitewater River Towanda.... 10	15	15	20	25	25	25	10	5	5	5	6	10
Spring River Baxter Springs (f)	175	200	250	300	450	350	200	160	120	150	175	175
Chapman Creek Chapman.... 10	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	10	10	10	10	10
Solomon River Niles..... 40	50	60	60	90	90	90	50	50	40	40	40	40

- (a) Spawning flows to be managed if reservoirs in flood pool; otherwise use lower flows.
- (b) Subject to subsequent assessment of lagged effects of extensive groundwater appropriations in regional aquifer.
- (c) Subject to subsequent assessment of lagged effects of upstream depletions.
- (d) Subject to the stateline flows contained in the Blue River Compact.
- (e) Subject to subsequent assessment of Harlan County reservoir operations, development of compact stateline flows and lagged effects of upstream depletions.
- (f) Flows measured at Quapah, Oklahoma; may need review if a new station is established.

**History:** L. 1985, ch. 338, § 2; L. 1987, ch. 402, § 1; L. 1989, ch. 309, § 1; April 13.