

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

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Corrected application filed.

Map filed. APR 19 1993

The applicant Esmeralda County, c/o Esmeralda County Board of Commissioners P.O. Box 536, of Goldfield, Nevada 89013, hereby make application for permission to appropriate the public waters of the State of Nevada, as hereinafter stated.

(If applicant is a corporation, give date and place of incorporation; if a copartnership or association, give names of members.)

1. The source of the proposed appropriation is Underground

2. The amount of water applied for is 0.5 c.f.s. second-feet

(a) If stored in reservoir give number of acre-feet

3. The water to be used for Fire Suppression & Domestic

4. If use is for:

(a) Irrigation, state number of acres to be irrigated

(b) Stockwater, state number and kinds of animals to be watered

(c) Other use (describe fully under No. 12. "Remarks")

(d) Power:

(1) Horsepower developed

(2) Point of return of water to stream

5. The water is to be diverted from its source at the following point E 1/2 NW 1/4 NE 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 7, T.4S., R.36E., M.D.B.&M. or at a point from which the NW Cor. of said Section 7 bears N 71° 19' 34" W a distance of 1969.40'

6. Place of use E 1/2 NW 1/4 NE 1/4 NW 1/4, SEC. 7, T.4S., R.36E., M.D.B.&M. 5 acres.

7. Use will begin about January 1 and end about December 31, of each year.

8. Description of proposed works. (Under the provisions of NRS 535.010 you may be required to submit plans and specifications of your diversion or storage works.) well, pump and distribution system

- 9. Estimated cost of works..... \$20,000
- 10. Estimated time required to construct works..... 2 Years
If well completed, describe works.
- 11. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use..... 3 Years

12. Remarks: For use other than irrigation or stock watering, state number and type of units to be served or annual consumptive use:

This well will be used to maintain water storage for fire suppression use in the Fish Lake Valley Fire Department trucks and to provide water for sanitary facilities at the fire station. Estimated annual use is totally dependent on the amount of water used for fire suppression and cannot be determined with accuracy at this time.

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Compared..... bc/bc jr/bk

Protested.....

APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application, and do hereby grant the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:

This permit is issued subject to existing rights. It is understood that the amount of water herein granted is only a temporary allowance and that the final water right obtained under this permit will be dependent upon the amount of water actually placed to beneficial use. It is also understood that this right must allow for a reasonable lowering of the static water level. This well shall be equipped with a two (2) inch opening for measuring depth to water. If the well is flowing, a valve must be installed and maintained to prevent waste. A totalizing meter must be installed and maintained in the discharge pipeline near the point of diversion and accurate measurements must be kept of water placed to beneficial use. The totalizing meter must be installed before any use of water begins, or before the Proof of Completion of Work is filed. This source is located within an area designated by the State Engineer, pursuant to NRS 534.030. The State retains the right to regulate the use of the water herein granted at any and all times.

This permit does not extend the permittee the right of ingress and egress on public, private or corporate lands.

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The amount of water to be appropriated shall be limited to the amount which can be applied to beneficial use, and not to exceed 0.5 cubic feet per second, but not to exceed 1.0 acre-feet annually.

- Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and be completed on or before June 22, 1996
- Proof of completion of work shall be filed before July 22, 1996
- Application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before June 22, 1998
- Proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before July 22, 1998
- Map in support of proof of beneficial use shall be filed on or before N/A

Completion of work filed OCT 07 1997
Proof of beneficial use filed SEP 16 1998
Cultural map filed
Certificate No. 15098 Issued JAN 05 1999

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, R. MICHAEL TURNIPSEED, P. E.
State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my
office, this 21st day of June
A.D. 1995
Michael Turnipseed PE.
State Engineer

(PERMIT TERMS CONTINUED)

The issuance of this permit does not waive the requirements that the permit holder obtain other permits from State, Federal and local agencies.

This permit is issued under the provisions of NRS 534.120(2) as a preferred use.