



THE STATE OF NEVADA

**PERMIT TO CHANGE POINT OF DIVERSION,
MANNER OF USE AND PLACE OF USE OF THE
PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA
HERETOFORE APPROPRIATED**

Name of applicant: CITY OF SPARKS
Source: TRUCKEE RIVER
Basin: TRUCKEE MEADOWS
Manner of Use: INSTREAM & NATURAL FLOW PURPOSES
Period of Use: AS DECREED
Priority Date: AS DECREED

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 to change the point of diversion, place and manner of use of a portion of the waters of the Truckee River as heretofore granted under Claims 313, 333/334 and 337/338, Truckee River Decree, is issued subject to the terms and conditions imposed in said decree and with the understanding that no other rights on the source will be affected by the change proposed herein. A suitable measuring device must be installed and accurate measurements of water placed to beneficial use must be kept.

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

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

The point of diversion and place of use are as described on the submitted application to support this permit.

The amount of water to be appropriated shall be limited to the amount which can be applied to beneficial use, **and not to exceed 1.978 cubic feet per second or 534.50 acre-feet as decreed.**

Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and proof of completion of work shall be filed on or before:

N/A

Water must be placed to beneficial use and proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

August 15, 2011

Map in support of proof of beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

N/A

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, TRACY TAYLOR, P.E.,

State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, this 15th day of August, A.D. 2008

State Engineer

Completion of work filed March 12, 1997 under 60929

Proof of beneficial use filed _____

Cultural map filed _____

Certificate No. _____ Issued _____

NO.62042

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Date of filing in State Engineer's
Office APR 18 1996

Returned to applicant for
correction _____

Corrected application
filed _____

Map
filed APR 18 1996

The applicant City of Sparks, hereby make application for permission to change the Point of Diversion, manner and place of use of a portion of water heretofore appropriated under Claims #313,333,334, 337 and 338 of the Truckee River Decree, said decree entered by the District Court of the United States for Nevada in that certain action entitled, "The United States of Amercia Plaintiff vs. Orr Water Ditch Company, etal, Defendants," in Equity Docket A-3

1. The source of water is Truckee River
2. The amount of water to be changed 545.32 acre feet - 3.486 cfs
3. The water to be used for Instream and natural flow purposes
4. The water heretofore permitted for as decreed
5. The water is to be diverted at the following point see attached remarks
6. The existing permitted point of diversion is located within (Orr Ditch existing POD) The point of diversion is situate within the Northeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter (NE1/4 SW1/4) of Section 17, T.19N., R.19E., MDB&M., Washoe County, Nevada from said point of diversion the Southwest corner of said Section 17 bears South 44° 40' West, a distance of 3,211.00 feet.
7. Proposed place of use See attached remarks
8. Existing place of use See Exhibit "B"
9. Use will be from as decreed to as decreed of each year.
10. Use was permitted from as decreed to as decreed of each year.
11. Description of proposed works See attached remarks
12. Estimated cost of works see attached remarks
13. Estimated time required to construct works see attached remarks
14. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use see attached remarks
15. Remarks: See attached remarks under exhibit A

By
s/Michael D. Buschelman
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RENO, NEVADA 89523

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Protested _____

_____ 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:

SERIAL NO. _____

EXHIBIT "A"
ITEM NO. 15 REMARKS
CITY OF SPARKS

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The City of Sparks has completed the design of an effluent reuse project which will remove effluent from the Truckee River for the irrigation of existing public parks, sport complexes and golf courses. The Truckee River water rights currently being used to irrigate these existing public facilities or a satisfactory replacement water right will remain in the Truckee River to replace the effluent removed for this reuse project. Historically, decreed agricultural water rights from the Truckee River have been converted to supply municipal water demands. Treated effluent originating as municipal surface water diversions has satisfied downstream water rights as return flows to the Truckee River.

SUPPORT SECONDARY APPLICATION NO. 29973-S-1

This application is being filed in accordance with Article V of the May 31, 1994 Agreement Concerning Applications to Appropriate the Waters of the Truckee River and its Tributaries, the permit terms under Permit No. 29973 and to support the approval of Application No. 29973-S-1. Water under this application to change will remain in the Truckee River to provide the surface water component return flow previously satisfied by the discharge of treated effluent into the Truckee River near the Vista USGS gauging station.

PROPOSED POINT OF DIVERSION

Truckee River water under this application to change will remain in the River and will not be diverted between the existing point of diversion and the Vista USGS gauge. After the Vista USGS gauge, this water may be utilized to satisfy existing downstream water right allocations.

PROPOSED PLACE OF USE

Instream Flows Between Existing Point of Diversion and Vista: Treated effluent will be utilized under Application No. 29973-S-1 to irrigate existing public facilities within the existing place of use noted on this application to change. Truckee River Decreed water removed from the existing place of use under this application to change will remain in the Truckee River as instream flows from the existing point of diversion to the Truckee Meadows Water Reclamation Facility located near the Vista USGS gauging station. This water must remain in the Truckee River and not be diverted between the existing point of diversion and the Vista USGS gauge.

Natural Flows Past Vista: After the Vista USGS gauging station, this same Truckee River water may be utilized by downstream water users as natural flow to satisfy existing water right allocations.

CONVERSION TO STORAGE UNDER CONDITIONS FOR GROUNDWATER COMPONENT

If the Truckee River Operating Agreement is approved in accordance with Article V of the May 31, 1994 Agreement, the water under this application to change will no longer be utilized to satisfy the return flow conditions of the surface water component. This water may be stored or retained in storage as Instream Flow and Water Quality Credit Water as a condition for the utilization of the groundwater component.

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EXHIBIT "B"

CLAIM	SEC	TN	RE	ACREAGE	1/4 1/4	ACRE FEET	CFS
313	30	20	20	2.70	SE SE	10.80	
	29	20	20	7.50	SW SW	30.00	
	32	20	20	29.50	SE NW	118.00	
	32	20	20	33.32	SW NW	133.28	
	32	20	20	29.60	NW NW	118.40	
	32	20	20	7.10	NE NW	28.40	
	31	20	20	2.50	SE NE	10.00	
TOTAL FOR CLAIM 313				112.22		448.88	3.110
333/334	34	20	20	4.01	NW SE	16.04	
TOTAL FOR CLAIM 333/334				4.01		16.04	0.100
337/338	34	20	20	12.23	NW NE	48.92	
	34	20	20	2.34	SW NE	9.36	
	34	20	20	2.74	SE NW	10.96	
	34	20	20	2.79	NE NW	11.16	
TOTAL FOR CLAIM 337/338				20.10		80.40	0.276
GRAND TOTAL				136.33		545.32	3.486

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