

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

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 Map filed JUL 10 1996

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The applicant **Midas Joint Venture**, hereby makes application for permission to appropriate the public waters of the State of Nevada, as hereinafter stated.

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1. The source of the proposed appropriation is **underground**
2. The amount of water applied for is **.0178 cfs (8 gpm)** second-feet
  - (a) If stored in reservoir give number of acre-feet.
3. The water to be used for **mining, exploration and 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 **NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 21, T39N, R46E** or a point which bears **N 58°25'21" W** a distance of **1820.70 feet** to the corner common to Sections 16, 17, 20 and 21 T39N, R46E MDB&M (N2365939.50 E465974.50)
6. Place of Use **NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 21, T39N, R46E, MDB&M**
7. Use will begin about **January 1** and end about **December 31**, of each year.
8. Description of proposed works **well with pump and flow meter, generator and pump to produce 10 gpm and 40 gallon storage tank**
9. Estimated cost of works **\$2,780 for equipment and \$23/ foot drilling expense (est. 300 feet)**
10. Estimated time required to construct works **2 weeks**
11. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use **one exploration season**
12. Remarks: **Estimate annual consumptive use at 100,000 gallons. Applicant is constructing a core shed on site and water will be used in the process of analysis or core drilled from surrounding area. Some use will include bathroom and related facilities for geologists engaged in core analysis**

By **s/Andre J. Douchane**  
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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 permit does not extend the permittee the right of ingress and egress on public, private or corporate lands.

The manner of use of water under this permit is by nature of its activity a temporary use and any application to change the manner of use granted under this permit will be subject to additional determination and evaluation with respect to the permanent effects on existing rights and the resource within the ground water basin.

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

The total combined duty of water under Permits 60669, 61888, 62063-T, and 62114 shall not exceed 9.8 acre-feet annually.

Monthly records shall be kept of the amount of water pumped from this well and the records submitted to the State Engineer on a quarterly basis within 15 days after the end of each calendar quarter.

The amount of water to be appropriated shall be limited to the amount which can be applied to beneficial use, and not to exceed 0.0178 cubic feet per second, but not to exceed 0.3 acre-feet annually.

Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and be completed on or before:

September 15, 1997

Proof of completion of work shall be filed before:

October 15, 1997

Application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

September 15, 1999

Proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

October 15, 1999

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

N/A

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 18th day of November, A.D. 1996

[Signature of R. Michael Turnipseed, P.E.]  
State Engineer

Completion of work filed OCT 23 1997

Proof of beneficial use filed NOV 15 1999

Cultural map filed

Certificate No. 15681 Issued JAN 30 2001

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