

**NO. 62281**  
**APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO CHANGE POINT OF**  
**DIVERSION, MANNER OF USE AND PLACE OF USE OF THE**  
**PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA**  
**HERETOFORE APPROPRIATED**

Date of filing in State Engineer's Office JUL 01 1996  
Returned to applicant for correction JUL 19 1996  
Corrected application filed \_\_\_\_\_  
Map filed SEP 3 1993 under 58882

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The applicant CITY OF SPARKS BY AND THROUGH SIERRA PACIFIC POWER COMPANY, hereby make application for permission to change the point of diversion, place of use and manner of use of a portion of water heretofore appropriated under Claim #431 of the Truckee River Decree, said Decree entered by the District Court of the United States in and for the District of Nevada in that certain action entitled "The United States of America, Plaintiff, vs. Orr Water Ditch Company, et.al., Defendants" in Equity Docket A-3.

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1. The source of water is Truckee River
2. The amount of water to be changed 0.0035 CFS not to exceed 0.89 acre feet annually
3. The water to be used for Municipal and Domestic
4. The water heretofore permitted for as Decreed
5. The water is to be diverted at the following point See Exhibit "A" attached hereto and map supporting Application #58882 on file with the State Engineer
6. The existing permitted point of diversion is located within NW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 11, T.19N., R.19E., M.D.B.&M., or at a point from which the Southwest corner of said Section 11 bears S.69°15' W., a distance of 3640.0 feet (Cochran Ditch)
7. Proposed place of use See Application #61742 and supporting map for SPPCo place of use
8. Existing place of use Section 13, T.19N., R.19E., M.D.B.&M NE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  - 0.208 acres
9. Use will be from as Decreed to of each year.
10. Use was permitted from as Decreed to of each year.
11. Description of proposed works Water will be diverted by existing Sierra Pacific facilities, treated and placed into Sierra's existing Distribution System
12. Estimated cost of works in excess of \$50 million
13. Estimated time required to construct works existing
14. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use ten years
15. Remarks:

By Robert E. Firth  
s/ Robert E. Firth  
360 East Riverview Cr.  
Reno, NV 89509

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Protested \_\_\_\_\_

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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 to change the point of diversion, manner of use and place of use of a portion of the waters of the Truckee River as heretofore granted under Claim 431, Truckee River Final 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.

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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 0.0035 cubic feet per second, but not to exceed 0.89 acre-feet as decreed

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

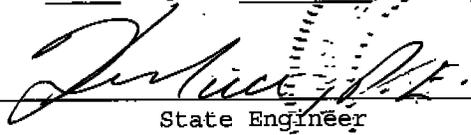
Proof of completion of work shall be filed on or before:  
N/A

Water must be placed to beneficial use on or before:  
October 21, 2015

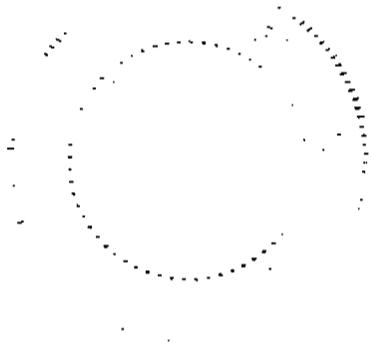
Proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before:  
November 21, 2015

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

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, HUGH RICCI, P.E.,  
State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set  
my hand and the seal of my office;  
this 21st day of October, A.D. 2005

  
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State Engineer

Completion of work filed March 12, 1997 under 60929  
Proof of beneficial use filed \_\_\_\_\_  
Cultural map filed N/A  
Certificate No. \_\_\_\_\_ Issued \_\_\_\_\_



**EXHIBIT "A"**

The following describes the multiple points of diversion for Sierra Pacific Power Company Water Treatment Plants, which are shown on the map accompanying Application No. 58882 on file with the State of Nevada, Division of Water Resources, more particularly described as follows:

**STEAMBOAT CANAL (HUNTER CREEK RESERVOIR):**

The existing point of diversion is situate within the Northeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter (NE1/4 SW1/4) of Section 31, T.19N., R.18E., M.D.B.&M., Washoe County, Nevada, from said point of diversion, the Southeast corner of said Section 31 bears South 62°04' East, a distance of 3,195.00 feet.

**HIGHLAND DITCH (HIGHLAND RESERVOIR):**

The existing point of diversion is situate within the Southwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter (SW1/4 SE1/4) of Section 9, T.19N., R.18E., M.D.B.&M., Washoe County, Nevada, from said point of diversion, the Southeast corner of said Section 9 bears South 75°16' East, a distance of 1,650.00 feet.

**IDLEWILD TREATMENT PLANT:**

The existing point of diversion is situate within the Southeast one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter (SE1/4 SE1/4) of Section 10, T.19N., R.19E., M.D.B.&M., Washoe County, Nevada, from said point of diversion, the Southeast corner of said Section 10 bears South 69°57'58" East, a distance of 842.34 feet.

**NORTH TRUCKEE DITCH (GLENDALE TREATMENT PLANT):**

The existing point of diversion is situate within the Southwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter (SW1/4 NE1/4) of Section 7, T.19N., R.20E., M.D.B.&M., Washoe County, Nevada, from said point of diversion, the Northeast corner of said Section 7 bears North 39°28' East, a distance of 3,015.00 feet.

**ORR DITCH PUMP STATION (CHALK BLUFF TREATMENT PLANT):**

The point of diversion is situate within the Northeast one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter (NE1/4 SE1/4) of Section 17, T.19N., R.19E., M.D.B.&M., Washoe County, Nevada from said point of diversion the Northeast corner of said Section 17 bears North 15°39'36" East, a distance of 3,264.77 feet.

**ORR DITCH (CHALK BLUFF TREATMENT PLANT):**

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., M.D.B.&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.



EXHIBIT "A" B  
PROPOSED PLACE OF USE

<u>DIVISION</u>	<u>SECTION</u>	<u>T-N</u>	<u>R-E</u>	
ALL	1 - 5	18	18	M.D.B. & M.
E 1/2	6 & 7	18	18	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	8 - 17	18	18	M.D.B. & M.
E 1/2	18 & 19	18	18	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	20 - 29	18	18	M.D.B. & M.
E 1/2	30 & 31	18	18	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	32 - 36	18	18	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	1 - 5	19	18	M.D.B. & M.
E 1/2	6 & 7	19	18	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	8 - 17	19	18	M.D.B. & M.
E 1/2	18 & 19	19	18	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	20 - 29	19	18	M.D.B. & M.
E 1/2	30 & 31	19	18	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	32 - 36	19	18	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	1 - 5	20	18	M.D.B. & M.
E 1/2	6 & 7	20	18	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	8 - 17	20	18	M.D.B. & M.
E 1/2	18 & 19	20	18	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	20 - 29	20	18	M.D.B. & M.
E 1/2	30 & 31	20	18	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	32 - 36	20	18	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	1 - 5	21	18	M.D.B. & M.
E 1/2	6 & 7	21	18	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	8 - 17	21	18	M.D.B. & M.
E 1/2	18 & 19	21	18	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	20 - 29	21	18	M.D.B. & M.
E 1/2	30 & 31	21	18	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	32 - 36	21	18	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	1 - 36	18	19	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	1 - 36	19	19	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	1 - 36	20	19	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	1 - 36	21	19	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	2 - 35	18	20	M.D.B. & M.
W1/2	36	18	20	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	1 - 12	19	20	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	14 - 23	19	20	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	26 - 35	19	20	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	1 - 36	20	20	M.D.B. & M.
ALL	1 - 36	21	20	M.D.B. & M.



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