



## THE STATE OF NEVADA

### PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE WATER

**Name of Permittee:** USDA FOREST SERVICE  
HUMBOLDT-TOIYABE NATIONAL FOREST

**Source:** UNDERGROUND

**Basin:** WHITE RIVER VALLEY

**Manner of Use:** CONSTRUCTION

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1ST THROUGH DECEMBER 31ST

**Priority Date:** 02/06/2008

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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 well must be sealed with cement grout, concrete grout or neat cement from ground level to 100 feet.

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

The manner of use of this permit is limited to construction, including road maintenance.

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

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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 0.15 cubic feet per second or 20.0 acre-feet annually.**

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

September 18 2013

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

September 18 2015

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

N/A

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, JASON KING, P.E.,

State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, this 18th day of September, 2012

Jason King, P.E.  
for State Engineer

Completion of work filed \_\_\_\_\_

Proof of beneficial use filed \_\_\_\_\_

Cultural map filed \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate No. \_\_\_\_\_ Issued \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup>

AMENDED

Serial No. 76706

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

Amended

THIS SPACE FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	
Date of filing in State Engineer's Office.....	FEB 06 2008
Returned to applicant for correction.....	FEB 15 2008
Corrected application filed.....	FEB 26 2008, Map filed.....
	SEP 05 1996 under 62407
	MAR 06 2008

The applicant USDA Forest Service, Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest of 1200 Franklin Way, Sparks, Nevada 49431, hereby makes application for permission to appropriate the public waters of the State of Nevada, as hereinafter stated.

1. The source of the proposed appropriation is the Griffon Mine well (abandoned). ~~underground~~ ug MB
2. The amount of water applied for is 0.15 ~~acre-foot~~ c.f.s. REL per letter 11-21-2008
  - (a) If stored in reservoir give number of acre-feet
3. The water is to be beneficially used for road maintenance (also see number 12).
4. If use is for:
  - (a) Irrigation, state number of acres to be irrigated
  - (b) Stockwater, state number and kind of animals;
  - (c) Other use (describe fully "No. 12. Remarks")
  - (d) Power:
    - (1) Horse Power developed
    - (2) Point of return of water to stream
5. The water is to be diverted from its source at the following point; NE 1/4, SE 1/4, Section 31, T.14N., R.59E., M.D.B. &M. or at a point from which the Southwest corner Section 31, T.14N., R.59E., M.D.B. &M., bears S 65° 49' 23" W for a distance of 4653.44'.
6. Place of use; The Ely Ranger District located on the Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest, White Pine County NV; intends to use the water within the White ~~White~~ River Basin, # 207 and Jakes Valley Basin # 174 as defined by the State and as shown in the record.
7. Use will begin about January 1 and end about December 31, of each year
8. Description of proposed works: Using the existing drilled well and casing (sealed) by means of a solar/electric pump, water is transferred into multiple storage tanks located next to the well.

9. Estimated cost of works: \$15,000.00

10. Estimated time required to construct works: Six months

11. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use: One year

12. Remarks: The primary beneficial use of water from the Griffon Mine well will be road maintenance, as needed water may be use for fire suppression operations protecting public safety, and benefiting natural resources such as native vegetation, wildlife, soil productivity, and water quality. It is also expected that wildlife will use the water.

By Barbara Drake  
Barbara Drake Agent for

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**APPLICATION MUST BE SIGNED  
BY THE APPLICANT OR AGENT**

**\$250 FILING FEE MUST ACCOMPANY APPLICATION**

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