



## THE STATE OF NEVADA

### PERMIT TO CHANGE THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA HERETOFORE APPROPRIATED

**Name of Permittee:** PYRAMID LAKE PAIUTE TRIBE  
**Source:** STREAM (TRUCKEE RIVER)  
**Basin:** TRUCKEE CANYON SEGMENT  
**Manner of Use:** WILDLIFE  
**Period of Use:** AS DECREED  
**Priority Date:** AS DECREED

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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, place and manner of use of the waters of the Truckee River as heretofore granted under Permit 66161, which changed the point of diversion, place and manner of use of Permit 23072, Certificate 6453, which changed the point of diversion and place of use of Claim 319, 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 is subject to the continuing jurisdiction and regulation by the Federal Water Master and State Engineer.

This permit abrogates 552.0 acre-feet annually from the base right, as requested. However, pursuant to NRS 533.3703, only the net consumptive use amount being, 371.25 acre-feet as decreed can be diverted.

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.

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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 2.375 cubic feet per second or 371.25 acre-feet as decreed.**

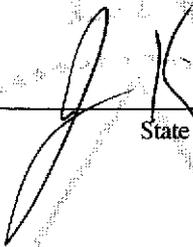
Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and proof of completion of work shall be filed on or before: **Filed Under 82371 on April 25, 2014**

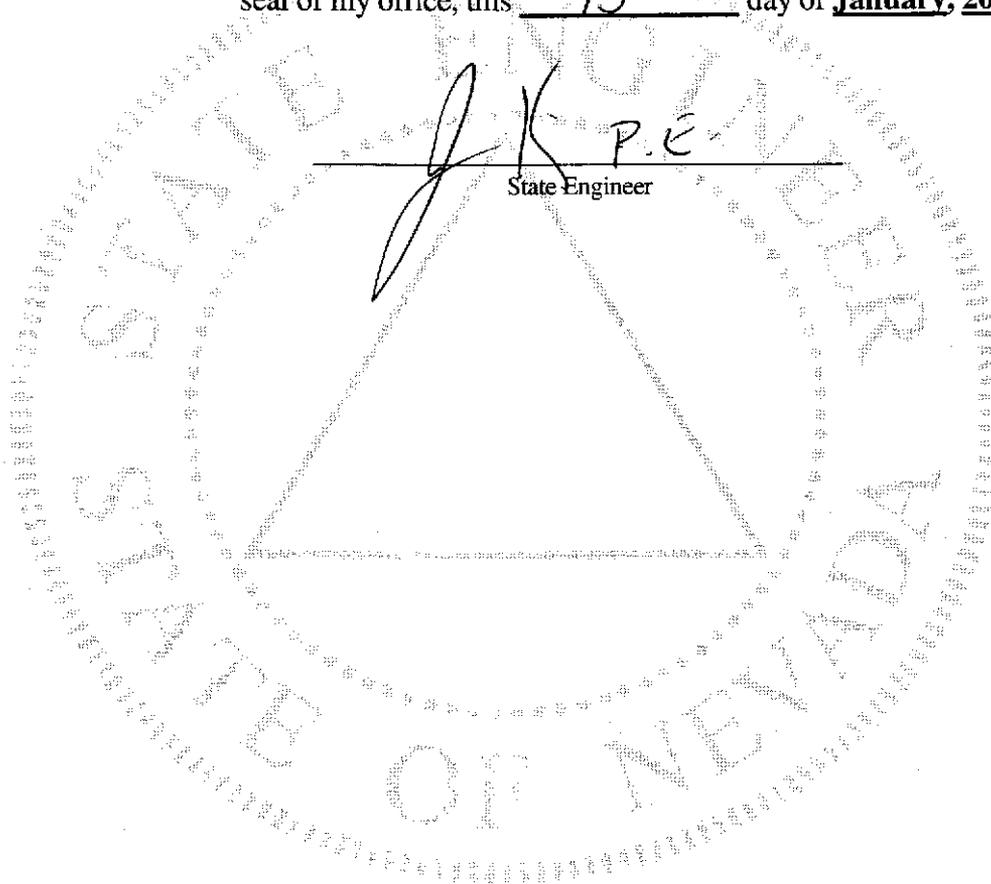
Water must be placed to beneficial use and proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before: **January 13 2019**

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 13<sup>th</sup> day of **January, 2016**

 P.E.  
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State Engineer



**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**

THIS SPACE FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Date of filing in State Engineer's Office OCT 08 2015

Returned to applicant for correction \_\_\_\_\_ March 26 1997 Under 62879

Corrected application filed \_\_\_\_\_ Map filed \_\_\_\_\_

The applicant PYRAMID LAKE PAIUTE TRIBE, a federally recognized Indian Tribe

P.O. Box 256 of Nixon

Street Address or PO Box City or Town

Nevada 89424 hereby make(s) application for permission to change the

State and ZIP Code

- Point of diversion       Place of use       Manner of use       of a portion

of water heretofore appropriated under (Identify existing rights by Permit, Certificate, Proof or Claim Nos. If Decreed, give title of Decree and identify right in Decree.)

Permit No. 66161, being a portion of the water heretofore appropriated under Claim No. 319, Truckee River Decree.

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- The source of water is Truckee River  
Name of stream, lake, underground, spring or other sources.
- The amount of water to be changed 552.0 acre-feet  
Second feet, acre-feet. One second foot equals 448.83 gallons per minute.
- The water to be used for Wildlife purposes, including instream flows for fish (cui-ui and Lahontan cutthroat trout)  
Irrigation, power, mining, commercial, etc. If for stock, state number and kind of animals. Must limit to one major use
- The water heretofore used for Municipal and Domestic  
If for stock, state number and kind of animals.

5. The water is to be diverted at the following point (Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision of public survey and by course and distance to a found section corner. If on unsurveyed land, it should be stated.)

There will be no diversion. The water is to remain in the stream channel of the Truckee River from an existing, permitted point of diversion (Steamboat Canal) to the inlet of Pyramid Lake. NE1/4 SW1/4, Sec. 31, T19N, R18E, MDB&M, or at a point from which the SE corner of said Sec. 31 bears S. 62° 04' E. a distance of 3195 ft.

*SEE EXHIBIT 'A'*

6. The existing point of diversion is located within (If point of diversion is not changed, do not answer.)

The points of diversion for Sierra Pacific Power Company's existing Water Treatment Plants as described in Exhibit "A" attached to Permit No. 66161 and as shown on the map supporting Permit No. 58882 on file with the State of Nevada, Division of Water Resources.

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7. Proposed place of use (Describe by legal subdivisions. If for irrigation, state number of acres to be irrigated.)

The proposed place of use is the Truckee River stream channel downstream to the Pyramid Lake inlet as shown on the map accompanying Application No. 67182.

8. Existing place of use (Describe by legal subdivisions. If changing place of use and/or manner of use of irrigation permit, describe acreage to be removed from irrigation.)

The existing places of use are as described in Exhibit "B" attached to Permit No. 66161 and shown on the map accompanying Permit No. 62141 on file with the State of Nevada, Division of Water Resources.

9. Proposed use will be from January 1 to December 31 of each year.  
Month and Day Month and Day

10. Existing use permitted from January 1 to December 31 of each year.  
Month and Day Month and Day

11. Description of proposed works. (Under the provision of NRS 535.010 you may be required to submit plans and specifications of your diversion or storage works.) (State manner in which water is to be diverted, i.e., diversion structure, ditches, pipes and flumes or drilled well, pump and motor, etc.)

No new diversion or storage works will be constructed.

12. Estimated cost of works N/A

13. Estimated time required to construct works N/A  
If well completed, describe well.

14. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use As soon as approved

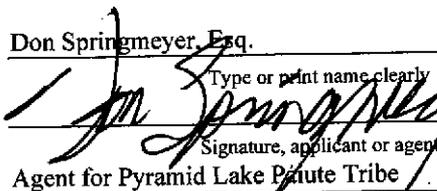
15. Provide a detailed description of the proposed project and its water usage (use attachments if necessary): (Failure to provide a detailed description may cause a delay in processing.)

There are multiple (six) permitted points of diversion associated with the base water rights being changed by this application. This application identifies one of the permitted points of diversion (Steamboat Canal) for the proposed point of diversion. However, there will be no diversion of water. The water is to remain in the Truckee River stream channel from the Steamboat Canal to the Pyramid Lake, for wildlife, including instream flows for fish (cui-ui and Lahontan cutthroat trout).

16. Miscellaneous remarks:

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APPLICATION MUST BE SIGNED  
BY THE APPLICANT OR AGENT

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Signature, applicant or agent  
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