

THE STATE OF NEVADA

CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER

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WHEREAS, Mike Gregg, Agent has presented to the State Engineer of the State of Nevada Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use, from Thousand Creek for wildlife purposes. The point of diversion of water from the source is as follows:

SW¼ NW¼ Section 25, T.46N., R.26E., M.D.B.&M. situated in Humboldt County, State of Nevada.

NOW KNOW YE, That the State Engineer, under the provisions of NRS 533.425, has determined the date, source, purpose, amount of appropriation, and the place where such water is appurtenant, as follows:

Name of appropriator: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Source: Thousand Creek
Manner of Use: Wildlife
Amount of appropriation: 0.50 c.f.s., but not to exceed 150.0 acre-feet annually
Period of use: January 1st to December 31st of each year
Date of priority of appropriation: \*August 17, 1909

Description of the works of diversion, manner and place of use:

Water is diverted by means of the natural stream channel to wetlands and ponds for wildlife habitat located within the following:

50.0 acres in the S¼ SW¼ Section 24, T.46N., R.26E., M.D.B.&M., all within the Sheldon National Wildlife Refuge.

\*This certificate changes the manner of use of Permit 1406, Certificate 228, therefore, the date of priority remains the same as Permit 1406, Certificate 228.

This certificate is issued subject to the terms of the permit.

The right to water hereby determined is limited to the amount which can be beneficially used, not to exceed the amount above specified, and the use is restricted to the place and for the purpose as set forth herein.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, R. MICHAEL TURNIPSEED, State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, this 30th day of March, A.D. 1999.

[Handwritten signature]
State Engineer

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