

STATE OF NEVADA

CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER

WHEREAS, Oscar H. Wichman, Agent, has presented to the State Engineer of the State of Nevada, Proof of Application of Water to Beneficial Use, from an underground source, through a drilled well, pump and distribution system for quasi-municipal (Amargosa public facilities) purposes. The point of diversion of water from the source is as follows:

SW¹/₄ SE¹/₄ Section 9, T.16S., R.49E., M.D.B.&M., or at a point from which the N¹/₄ corner of said Section 9 bears N. 11°16'31" W., a distance of 5,044.34 feet situated in Nye 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:	Board of Nye County Commissioners
Source:	Underground
Manner of use:	Quasi-Municipal (Amargosa public facilities)
Amount of appropriation:	*0.20 c.f.s., but not to exceed 15.0 acre-feet annually
Period of use:	January 1st to December 31st of each year
Date of priority of appropriation:	December 8, 2003

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

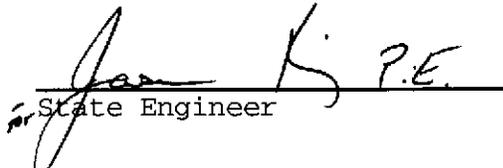
Water is developed by means of a drilled well, 300 feet deep, 10-inch diameter casing, equipped with 15 H.P. submersible pump through a totalizing meter to a 12,000 gallon storage tank and a 3,000 gallon pressure tank, thence through a distribution system for quasi-municipal water service to various Amargosa public facilities located within the SE¹/₄ SW¹/₄ SE¹/₄, SW¹/₄ SE¹/₄ Section 9, T.16S., R.49E., M.D.B.&M., being further described as Assessor's Parcel Numbers 019-151-09 and 019-151-11, Nye County, Nevada.

The Amargosa public facilities include a library, Nye County Sheriff's Office Substation, Fire Department with ambulance bay building, community center, clinic, Nye County Road Department and the Amargosa Cemetery with associated landscaping and other ancillary maintenance purposes within the place of use.

*The total combined duty of water under 70679, Certificate 17398 and any certificate issued under Permit 74013 shall not exceed 30.0 acre-feet annually.

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, TRACY TAYLOR, P.E., State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my office, this 4th day of September, 2009.



State Engineer

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