

THE STATE OF NEVADA

PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR IRRIGATION

From SMITHERS CREEK (sometimes called Smith Creek)
Name of natural water source

Through North Ranch ditches
Name of ditch, flume, or pipe line

Roger Smith, the undersigned, being first
duly sworn, deposes and says that the facts relative to the appropriation of water by

Roger Smith are full and correct to the best of his
knowledge and belief.

If proof is not made by claimant, deponent should state on this line by virtue of what authority he represents the claimant

(1) Name of claimant ROGER SMITH
Address Arthur Route, Wells, County of Eiko
State of Nevada

(2) The means of diversion employed dams, ditches & natural channel
Dam and ditch, pipe line, flume, etc.

(3) The date of the survey of ditch, canal, or pipe line was Oct. 21st & Nov. 25th, 1961

(4) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun 1870
and completed 1895

(5) The dimensions of the ditch or canal as originally constructed were: Width on bottom Varies
feet, width on top Varies feet, depth Varies feet, on a grade of Varies feet per thousand feet.

(6) The conduit ~~has~~ (has not) been enlarged.
Note--If enlargement or extension of ditch was made, supply information under (7) and (8)

(7) The work of enlargement of the ditch or canal was begun
and completed

(8) The dimensions of the ditch or canal as enlarged are: Width on bottom _____ feet, width on
top _____ feet, depth _____ feet, on a grade of _____ feet per thousand feet.

(9) The claimant is (is not) an owner in the above-described conduit.

If claimant is an owner in the conduit, state interest held on this line

(10) The nature of the title to the land for which the water right is claimed is Potentiated land

(11) Crops of grass hay, grain, alfalfa and pasture
have been grown upon the land irrigated.

(12) The water has been used for irrigation from Jan 1 to Dec 31
Day of month Day of month
of each year.

(13) The water was first used for irrigation by claimant or his grantors in the year 1870
when 40 acres were irrigated in the NW⁴SE⁴ of Sec. 13
T. 32 N., R. 59 E., M.D.B. & M.; 9 acres NW⁴SW⁴
Sec. 13 T. 32 N., R. 59 E., M.D.B. & M.; 40 acres
NE⁴SW⁴ Sec. 13 T. 32 N., R. 59 E., M.D.B. & M.

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(14) The additional number of acres first irrigated in subsequent years was as follows:

1871	40	acres in the	NE ⁴ SE ⁴	of Sec.	13	T. 32N	R. 59 E.
1873	11	acres in the	SW ⁴ SW ⁴	of Sec.	13	T. 32N	R. 59 E.
1873	40	acres in the	SE ⁴ SW ⁴	of Sec.	13	T. 32N	R. 59 E.
1874	80	acres in the	S ² SE ⁴	of Sec.	13	T. 32N	R. 59 E.
1874	40	acres in the	SW ⁴ SW ⁴	of Sec.	18	T. 32N	R. 60 E.
1889	320	acres in the	N ²	of Sec.	24	T. 32N	R. 59 E.
1889	40	acres in the	NE ⁴ NE ⁴	of Sec.	23	T. 32N	R. 59 E.
1892	63	acres in the	E ² SE ⁴	of Sec.	23	T. 32N	R. 59 E.
1893	150	acres in the	SW ⁴	of Sec.	24	T. 32N	R. 59 E.
1893	62	acres in the	W ² SE ⁴	of Sec.	24	T. 32N	R. 59 E.
1895	160	acres in the	NW ⁴	of Sec.	19	T. 32N	R. 60 E.
1895	80	acres in the	W ² NE ⁴	of Sec.	19	T. 32N	R. 60 E.
1895	40	acres in the	SE ⁴ NE ⁴	of Sec.	19	T. 32N	R. 60 E.
1895	80	acres in the	W ² SW ⁴	of Sec.	20	T. 32N	R. 60 E.
1895	40	acres in the	NE ⁴ SW ⁴	of Sec.	20	T. 32N	R. 60 E.

Remarks:
Append a sheet if necessary
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(15) The maximum acreage irrigated in any year was 1335 acres.

(16) The water claimed has (~~has not~~) been used for irrigation each and every year since the right was initiated.
Strike out one not wanted

(17) The years during which no water was used for irrigation or during which the full water right was not used were.....
If water was not used, or used in reduced quantity at any time, full information as to causes and duration of non-use should be given, appending a sheet if necessary

(18) The claimant's water right was (~~was not~~) recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Elko County, said record being at page 213 of Book 3 of Water rights, and being a claim for ALL acres of land in the following legal subdivisions: "NORTH RANCH"

NOTE—Failure to record in the county in no way invalidates a water right, but if ditch or right was so recorded, supply full information under (19)

(19) The map provided by the State Engineer and attached hereto as a part of this proof is hereby accepted as correctly showing the ditch lines or irrigation works diverting or conveying the water claimed and the lands irrigated.

(20) Water from the source given and through the works described is also used for the following purposes other than irrigation: stockwatering, and domestic

(21) The character of the soil is gravelly The soil needs 5.0 acre-feet
(Sandy, gravelly, loam)
per annum to properly irrigate the crops. A continuous flow of 3.0 cubic feet of water per second, during the irrigation season of 9 months, is needed to irrigate each 100 acres of land.

(22) Remarks:

Roger Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of December, 1961

Mrs. Heda Sherwood

Notary Public in and for the County of Osage

My commission expires July 1, 1965

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Water Source.....

Through.....

Claimant.....

Filed in the office of the State Engineer on

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State Engineer.

Certificate No. issued hereunder

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STATE ENGINEER