

THE STATE OF NEVADA

PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES

(1) Name of claimant United States of America, Forest Service
1200 Franklin Way of Sparks, Nevada 89431

(2) Source of water Upper Scuffe's Spring

(3) The water is diverted by spring area

(4) The water is diverted at the following point(s) SE1/4 SE1/4, Sec. 31, T.11N., R.48E., MDB&M (unsurveyed), or at a point from which the SW corner, Sec. 31, T.11N., R.48E. bears S78°00'W at 4,600 feet.

(5) The water is impounded in natural spring

(6) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun and completed

(7) The nature of the claimant's title to the land upon which the source of water and place of use are located is reserved from the public domain for National Forest purposes on 4-15-1907, and remains so today.

(8) The claimant's water right was (was not) recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Nye County, at Page of Book of

NOTE--Failure to record in the county in no way invalidates a water right, but if water right was so recorded, supply full information under (8).

(9) The approximate number of animals watered by the ~~claimant~~ <sup>original user</sup> during the first year.....1870  
Date  
was.....200 cattle.....horses.....sheep or.....50 deer.....  
The watering was conducted during each of the following months.....April<sup>Other</sup> through October

(10) The approximate number of animals watered by the claimant in subsequent years was as follows:  
About 15 horses per month and 250 cattle currently use the water from Upper Scuffe's Spring from May through October. About 50 deer and 50 elk also use this spring.

(11) The amount of water which has been necessary to be diverted for this purpose has been .015\* cubic feet per second.

(12) The works are located at SE1/4 SE1/4, Sec. 31, T.11N., R.48E., MDB&M (unsurveyed)  
Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision, section, township and range of public survey. If on unsurveyed land, it should be stated.

Remarks This spring is located in Scuffe's Administrative Site pasture and is used there by Forest Service horses. Cattle have use of this water below the pasture fence. The use of this spring by livestock and deer has been continuous since 1870.

\*This includes water used for consumption by and propagation of wildlife.

Remarks.....  
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The undersigned, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that the facts relative to the appropriation of water by United States of America, Forest Service.  
are full and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

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If proof is not made by claimant, deponent should state on this line by virtue of what authority he represents the claimant.  
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United States of America, Forest Service  
R.M. "JIM" NELSON, Forest Supervisor.

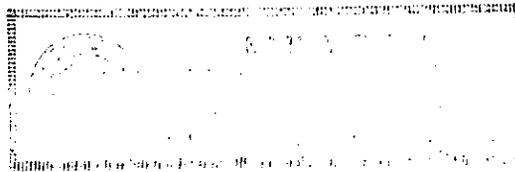
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Claimant

By B.M. Nelson  
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1200 Franklin Way  
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Street and No., or P.O. Box No.  
Sparks, NV 89431  
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City, State, Zip Code No.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1984.  
Marcia Joseph

Notary Public in and for the County of Washoe

My commission expires October 29, 1985



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original user

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(11) The amount of water which has been necessary to be diverted for this purpose has been.....

.015\* cubic feet per second: 448.83 gal. per min. equals 1 cubic foot per second.

(12) The works are located at SE 1/4, SE 1/4, Sec. 31, T.11N., R.48E., MDB&M (unsurveyed), downstream to the NE 1/4, SW 1/4, Sec. 7, T.10 N., R.48 E. land, it should be stated.

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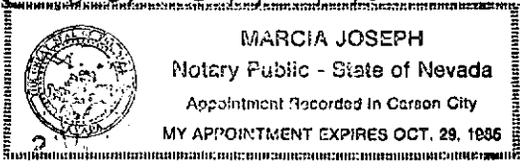
United States of America - Forest Service  
Frank J. Ferrarelli, Forest Supervisor  
Claimant

By F. J. Ferrarelli  
111 N. Virginia St., Rm. 601  
Street and No., or P.O. Box No.  
Reno, Nevada 89501  
City, State, Zip Code No.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of February, 1982  
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