

THE STATE OF NEVADA  
PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR  
STOCK WATERING PURPOSES

(1) Name of claimant United States of America - Forest Service  
111 N. Virginia Rm. 601 of Reno,  
Street and No. or P.O. Box No. City or town  
Nevada 89501  
State and Zip Code No.

(2) Source of water Lava Spring No. 1  
Name of natural water source.

(3) The water is diverted by Headworks and pipe  
Dam, ditch, pipe line, natural channel, spring area, etc.

(4) The water is diverted at the following point(s) NW 1/4, SW 1/4, Sec. 30, T. 6 N., R. 29 E.,  
Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision of public survey, and by course and distance to a section corner. If on unsurveyed land it should  
MDB&M (unsurveyed), or at a point from which the southwest corner of sec. 7,  
be stated. Diversion over a channel reach must be described by course and distance to a section corner for both the beginning and end of such  
T. 6 N., R. 29 E., MDB&M bears N. 2° 45' W. at 14,000 feet.  
reach.

(5) The water is impounded in a trough  
Troughs, tanks, pools, reservoir, natural channel, etc.

(6) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun prior to 1900  
Date  
and completed prior to 1900  
Date

(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 land for National Forest  
Patented, deeded, public domain with grazing permit, etc.  
purposes on 3-2-1909, and remains so today.

(8) The claimant's water right was (was not) recorded in the office of the County Recorder of  
Mineral 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 during the first year.....1865, Date was 400 cattle.....horses.....sheep or 25 deer..... Other The watering was conducted during each of the following months. March through November.....

(10) The approximate number of animals watered by the claimant in subsequent years was as follows:

200 cattle currently use the water from Lava Spring No. 1 from June through October. About 50 deer also use this spring. 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.

(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 NW 1/4, SW 1/4, Sec. 30, T. 6 N., R. 29 E., 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 There were probably more cattle grazed, but at least 400 head were grazed by settlers who moved into the area from 1865 on. The use of this spring by livestock and deer has been continuous since that time.

\*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.

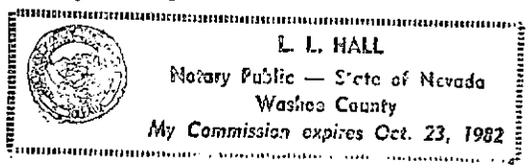
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United States of America - Forest Service  
Frank J. Ferrarelli, Forest Supervisor  
Claimant

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of August, 1981  
L. L. Hall

Notary Public in and for the County of Washoe

My commission expires 10/23/82



**\$50**  
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