

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

(1) Name of claimant Jack W. Estill Trust 40%, Jewell Trust 40%,  
Roger K. Vehrs 20% dba Rawhide Ranch  
14296 E. Bullard of Glovis  
Street and No. or P.O. Box No. City or town  
California 93612  
State and Zip Code No.

(2) Source of water Rabbit Spring Water resources basin 10-122  
Name of natural water source.

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

(4) The water is diverted at the following point(s) in the NE 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 35, T. 10N.,  
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  
R. 33E., MDB and M or at a point 25300 feet east 5° North from the  
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  
southwest corner of Section 31, T. 9N., R. 33E. MDB and M. (Approximate  
reach.  
location in unsurveyed area projected on Win Wan Flat quadrangle map)

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

(6) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun before 1905  
Date  
and completed before 1905 (See remarks)  
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 Possessory use of public domain followed by permitted grazing  
Patented, deeded, public domain with grazing permit, etc.  
in conjunction with base waters and properties of predecessors of the  
Claimant.

(8) The claimant's water right ~~was~~ (was not) recorded in the office of the County Recorder of  
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).

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(9) The approximate number of animals watered by the claimant during the first year <sup>about 1880</sup> <sub>Date</sub> was 300 cattle 50 horses            sheep or            Other           . The watering was conducted during each of the following months           

January 1 through December 31 of each year

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

	Prior to 1905 and up to 1923	Up to Cattle	Horses	Sheep	Goats
	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.				
	1) T.J. Bell, George Dieringer, George and Charles Keough, B.H. Donnelly, et. al.	2000	50	2000	
1923-1945	2) T.O. McKinnon, Bracian Eroz, Peter Elia, et. al.	200	30	2000	2000
1945-1976	3) Magnusen, Carpenter, Stinson, Brown, Elsner	1000	20	2000	
1976 to present	4) Elsner, McKay, Estill	1000	12		

Records show that livestock numbers varied from year to year. Cattle use from about 1880 to the present has been mainly in the winter. 2000 sheep were run in 1910 and this use changed to 1000-2000 angora goats beginning in 1923 and continuing until 1942. Sheep and cattle were run until 1976. Since then cattle have used the area.

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

0.02 cubic feet per second.  
448.83 gal. per min. equals 1 cubic foot per second.

(12) The works are located at N $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 35, T. 10N., R. 33E., MDB and M.

Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision, section, township and range of public survey. If on unsurveyed

Unsurveyed.  
land, it should be stated.

Remarks Rabbit Spring is located on the Luning to Wadsworth road which appears on the 1884 GLO survey map. The spring was first developed to serve travel associated livestock and grazing animals belonging to predecessors of the Claimant. Rawhide Ranch owns <sup>acres</sup> 360 of deeded land to the north and east of Rabbit Spring.

Remarks Please send copies of all correspondence and notices relating to this  
proof to:  
Jack W. Estill  
Box 67  
Likely, CA 96116

The undersigned, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that the facts relative to the appropri-  
ation of water by Jack W. Estill Trust, Jewell Estill Trust,  
Roger K. Vehrs dba Rawhide Ranch  
are full and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

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

Jack W. Estill Trust, Jewell Estill Trust  
Roger K. Vehrs dba Rawhide Ranch

Claimant

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of November, 1993

*Carol L. Walton*

Notary Public in and for the County of Carson City



Commission expires November 6, 1994

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