

STATE OF NEVADA

**PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR STOCK WATERING OR WILDLIFE PURPOSES**

(1) Name of claimant James E. & Vera L. Baumann  
P.O. Box 308 of Eureka  
Street and No. or P.O. Box No. City or town  
Nevada 89316  
State and Zip Code No.

(2) Source of water China Canyon Spring  
Name of natural water source.

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

(4) The water is diverted at the following point(s)  
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 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 reach.

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

(6) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun \_\_\_\_\_  
and completed \_\_\_\_\_  
Date 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 Public domain with grazing permit  
Patented, deeded, public domain with grazing permit, etc.  
located in the Shannon Station and Spanish Gulch allotments

(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 1866  
Date  
was 100 cattle \_\_\_\_\_ horses \_\_\_\_\_ sheep or wildlife (describe) \_\_\_\_\_

The watering was conducted during each of the following months January 1st  
thru December 31st

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

about 100 hd. of Cattle more or less over  
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.  
the years; but this spring has been  
used continuously since 1866

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

30 cubic feet per second.  
448.83 gallons per minute equals 1 cubic feet per second.

(12) The works are located at NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 Sec: 31 TWN: 19N  
Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision, section, township and range of public survey. If on unsurveyed

Range 54E  
land, it should be stated.

Remarks SUPPORT documents for chain of title  
for SIMPSON CREEK RANCH/James E. & Vera L.  
Baumann are provided in Water Rights  
VOL. I filed with the Nevada Division of  
Water Resources.

Specific Support documents for China  
CANYON SPRING are provided in Vol II also  
filed with the Nevada Division of Water  
Resources.

Remarks \_\_\_\_\_  
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The undersigned, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that the facts relative to the appropriation of water by James E. + Vera L. Baumann 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.

James E. Baumann Vera L. Baumann  
Claimant

Telephone No. (775) 237-5452

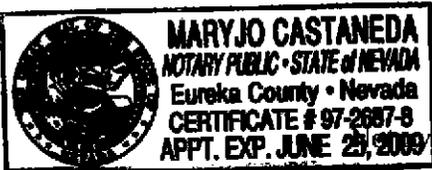
By \_\_\_\_\_

Street and No., or P.O. Box No.

City, State, Zip Code No.

Telephone No. ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this seventh day of September, 2008



Maryjo Castaneda  
Eureka

Public in and for the County of \_\_\_\_\_

My commission expires June 25, 2009

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