

IN THE OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

FILED  
JAN 17 1995  
STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 59928  
U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service  
FILED BY of Portland State of Oregon  
ON April 12 1994, TO APPROPRIATE THE  
WATERS OF an underground source

PROTEST of Board of County Commissioners,  
County of Elko,  
State of Nevada

Comes now GEORGE R.E. BOUCHER, FOR THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
Printed or typed name of protestant

whose post office address is 569 COURT STREET, ELKO, NEVADA 89801  
Street No. or P.O. Box, City, State and Zip Code

whose occupation is COUNTY MANAGER, and protests the granting

of Application Number 59928, filed on April 12, 1994

by U.S. FISH & WILDLIFE SERVICE OF PORTLAND STATE OF OREGON  
Printed or typed name of applicant to appropriate the

waters of an underground source situated in Elko  
Underground or name of stream, lake, spring or other source

County, State of Nevada, for the following reasons and on the following grounds, to wit:

The Board of County Commissioners protest the abovenoted application relating to the Ruby Lake  
National Wildlife Refuge on the grounds the Shanty Town development is not being considered,  
grazing rights have not been considered, and Elko County water usage has not been determined  
to the beneficial use for all of the Elko County citizens.

THEREFORE the protestant requests that the application be DENIED  
(Denied, issued subject to prior rights, etc., as the case may be)

and that an order be entered for such relief as the State Engineer deems just and proper.

Signed George R.E. Boucher  
Printed or typed name, if agent  
GEORGE R.E. BOUCHER

Address 569 COURT STREET  
Street No. or P.O. Box No.  
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of January 1995.

 JODIE STEELEY  
Notary Public  
State of Nevada  
Elko County, Nevada  
My appointment expires July 14, 1998.

Jodie Steeley  
Notary Public  
State of NEVADA  
County of ELKO

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