

FILED  
JAN 17 1995  
NEVADA  
STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

IN THE OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER OF THE STATE OF

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 59982,  
U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service  
FILED BY of Portland State of Oregon,  
ON April 12 1994, TO APPROPRIATE THE  
WATERS OF Spring No. 135

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 59982, filed on April 12, 1994

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

waters of Spring No. 135 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.

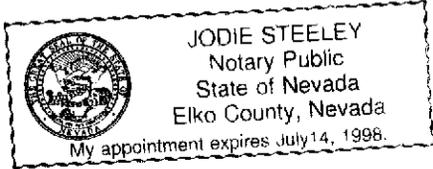
Signed George R. E. Boucher  
Agent or protestant  
GEORGE R.E. BOUCHER

Address 569 COURT STREET  
Printed or typed name, if agent  
ELKO, NEVADA 89801  
Street No. or P.O. Box No.  
City, State and Zip Code No.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12<sup>th</sup> day of January 1995

Jodie Steeley  
Notary Public

State of NEVADA  
County of ELKO



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