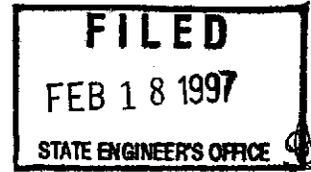


IN THE OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

In the Matter of Application Number 62439
Filed By U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service
On September 4, 1996, To Appropriate The
Waters of: Certificate 9159 an underground source



Comes Now See Attached
Printed or typed name of Protestant
Whose post office address is
Street No. Or P.O. Box, City, State and Zip Code
whose occupation is, and protests the granting
of Application Number 62439, filed on September 4, 1996
by United States Fish & Wildlife Service to appropriate the

waters of Certificate 9159 an under ground source situated in Pahranaagat Valley, Lincoln Co. ND
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:
USF & WS has proposed a recovery Plan for the Pahranaagat Valley Chub & other aquatic species that will infringe upon private property and water rights of the residents of the Valley. USF&WS proposal has been unanimously opposed by the owners of said property & water rights holders as well as residents of the community. This application is seen as a way to avoid settling the USF&WS disagreement with the citizens of Pahranaagat Valley. The use is to support and maintain wildlife, the current use, the change does not seem to make sense. The various recovery plans proposed will adversely affect the economy, custom and culture of Pahranaagat Valley Residents and the residents of Lincoln County. We protest the change of season of use, and the manner of beneficial use. We question federal ownership of water, NRS was added to in 1995 which allowed federal water holdings jointly with residents. The extended seasons of use, the change from previous uses for wildlife and then proposed use to be wildlife is redundant. If the USF&WS stops irrigating their noxious weed problem will grow and be a bigger threat to the agri-bussinesses in the valley. The change of season and extension of months of use can and will have negative impacts on the surrounding water rights holders. The proposal doesn't seem to be necessary in view of the fact that the USF&WS already has rights and the proposed change of customary uses can have a negative impact on the other water rights that use the water for irrigation. The USF&WS does not maintain their channel so water that could reach them does not. This lack of maintenance creates a flood hazard for private propertys adjacent to the channel. USF&WS has not proven to be a good neighbor and has not kept up with their agreements to allow cattle to use the water, they fenced it off after agreeing to allow continued use. This history along with other proposals the this agency is involved with is seen as a threat to property rights, economy and the culture of the valley. Stock water rights must not be stopped. It appears that these changes will allow USF&WS to 'take' water from others in times of drought.

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 as relief as the State Engineer deems just and proper.

Signed Shelley Wadsworth
Agent of Protestant

Shelley Wadsworth
Printed or typed name, if agent

Address Box 765
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Caliente, NV 89008
City, State and Zip Code No.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of February, 1997



Kristi Burgess
Notary Public

State Of Nevada

County Of Lincoln

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

In the Matter of Application Number 62440
Filed By U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service
On September 4, 1996, To Appropriate The
Waters of: Certificate 10019 an underground source

Comes Now see attached

Printed or typed name of Protestant

Whose post office address is

Street No. Or P.O. Box, City, State and Zip Code

whose occupation is, and protests the granting

of Application Number 62440, filed on September 4, 1996

by United States Fish & Wildlife Service to appropriate the

waters of Certificate 10019 an under ground source situated in Pahranaagat Valley

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:
USF & WS has proposed a recovery Plan for the Pahranaagat Valley Chub & other aquatic species that will infringe upon private property and water rights of the residents of the Valley. USF&WS proposal has been unanimously opposed by the owners of said property & water rights holders as well as residents of the community. This application is seen as a way to avoid settling the USF&WS disagreement with the citizens of Pahranaagat Valley. The use is to support and maintain wildlife, the current use, the change does not seem to make sense. The various recovery plans proposed will adversely affect the economy, custom and culture of Pahranaagat Valley Residents and the residents of Lincoln County. We protest change of season of use, and the manner of beneficial use. We question federal ownership of water, NRS was added to in 1995 which allowed federal water holdings jointly with residents. The change of season and extension of months of use can and will have negative impacts on the surrounding water rights holders. The proposal doesn't seem to be necessary in view of the fact that the USF&WS already has rights and the proposed change of customary uses can have a negative impact on the other water rights that use the water for irrigation. If USF&WS quit irrigating their noxious weed problem will endanger the agri-business in the valley. The USF&WS doesn't maintain their channel, thus they don't get all possible water, and they create a hazard for the private property users along the channel. USF&WS has not proven to be a good neighbor and has not kept up with their agreements to allow cattle to use the water, they fenced it off after agreeing to allow continued use. This history along with other proposals the this agency is involved with is seen as a threat to property rights, economy and the culture of the valley. Stock water rights must be preserved and the USF&WS cannot be allowed to 'take' additional water in times of drought.

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 as relief as the State Engineer deems just and proper.

Signed Agent or Protestant

Printed or typed name, if agent

Address Street No. Or P.O. Box No.

City, State and Zip Code No.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of, 19

Notary Public

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On this the 24th day of JANUARY 1997,
before me, Sharon Marich,
Name of Notary Public
the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared

SHARON MARICH
Notary Public - Nevada
Lincoln County
My exp. exp. Jan. 27, 1999

- Name of Signer(s)
 Personally Known to me
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Sharon Marich
Signature of Notary Public

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Description of Attached Document

Title or Type of Document: Lincoln County Public Lands (Protect of U.S. Fish & Wildlife Water Filings)

Document Date: _____ Number of Pages: 2

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Thomas W. Steele, Lois Steele, Roger J. Hatch, Pearl H. Hatch
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Description of Attached Document

Title or Type of Document: Lincoln County Public Lands Protest to F.U.S. Fish & Wildlife Services Water Filings

Document Date: _____ Number of Pages: 2

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Wendy Rudder 1/4/97
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State of Nevada }
County of Linda } ss.

On this the 14th day of January 1997

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Susan M. Higbee, Vickie E. Higbee, James N. Christensen
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WENDY RUDDER
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Title or Type of Document: Application Protest US Lands Willby

Document Date: January 3, 1997 Number of Pages: 1

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State of Nevada }
County of Lincoln } ss.

On this the 14th day of January 1997
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Dennis T. Perkins, Alma Joe Wilkinson & Vera Dell Leavitt
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On this the 30 day of January 19 97
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Judy Knapp Robert Dunn
Edward Hansen Sharon
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My appt. exp. June 13, 2000
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Document Date: 1-30-97 Number of Pages: 1

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Clifford S. Lewis, Douglas Miller, Michael Lewis, Jerry S. Johnston
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WENDY RUDDER
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Document Date: January 3, 1997 Number of Pages: 1

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Mary Lou Sharp Dawn Marie Hamiter
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Title or Type of Document: Nevada Dept of Wildlife

Document Date: 1-16-97 Number of Pages: _____

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Annette Wadsworth, M. Walker, Rebecca Mackintosh, Sherry Perkins
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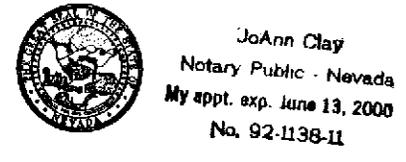
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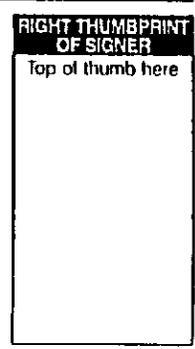
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Jo Ann Clay 1/9/97
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County of Lincoln } ss.

On this the 9th day of January 19 97
before me, Jo Ann Clay
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E Christine Haslem Evelyn Higbee Donna Peterson
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Title or Type of Document: Applicator Protest US Wildlife

Document Date: January 9, 1997 Number of Pages: 1

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JoAnn Clay 1/7/97
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County of Lincoln } ss.

On this the 7th day of January 19 97
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NORMA NELSON JAKE NELSON
ROY WALCH SALLY WALCH
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Notary Public - Nevada
My not. exp. June 13, 2000
No. 92-1138-11

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Description of Attached Document

Title or Type of Document: NEVADA DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES

Document Date: JANUARY 3, 1997 Number of Pages: _____

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INDIVIDUAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT

State of Nevada }
County of Lincoln } ss.

On this the 9th day of January 1997
before me, [Signature]
Name of Notary Public

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Sherry Spencer, Joe Higbee, Max Peterson & R.L. Hazlem
Name of Signer(s)

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JoAnn Clay
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My appt. exp. June 13, 2000
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Joseph R. Quinn
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LEROY LUTEY
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JoAnn Clay 1/10/97
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INDIVIDUAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT

State of Nevada }
 County of Jensen } ss.

On this the 10th day of January 1997
 before me, *JoAnn Clay*
 Name of Notary Public

the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared
JOSEPH QUINN; DON ANHDER; LEROY LUTEY; JOHN SAVAGE
 Name of Signer(s)

- Personally Known to me
- Proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence

to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged that he/she/they executed it.



JoAnn Clay
 Notary Public - Nevada
 My appt. exp. June 13, 2000
 No. 92-1138-11

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

JoAnn Clay
 Signature of Notary Public

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 Document Date: January 10, 1997 Number of Pages: 1
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JoAnn Clay 1-16-97
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State of NEVADA }
County of LINCOLN } ss.

On this the 16 day of Jan 1997,
before me, JoAnn Clay
Name of Notary Public

the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared
Cortney Dahl Lonny Walch
Dean Turley Wyvonn Rounsiville
Name of Signer(s)

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1-16-97
Date

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JIM PERKINS
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Ruby Perkins
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Ruby Perkins
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State of Nevada }
County of Lincoln } ss.

On this the 16 day of Jan. 1997
before me, JO ANN CLAY
Name of Notary Public

The undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared
Leek Stewart Delores Stewart
Jim Perkins Ruby Perkins
Name of Signer(s)

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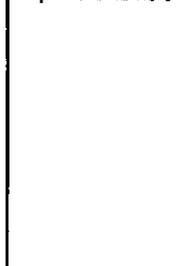
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Mary Higbee
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Address ALAMO, NV 89001

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State of Nevada }
County of Leno } ss.

On this the 16 day of January 19 97
before me, Jo Ann Clay
Name of Notary Public

the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared
Kathleen Perkins Mary Higbee
Tami S Perkins Robert D Hansen
Name of Signer(s)

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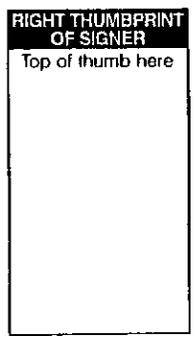
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Brian Gardner

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Jo Ann Clay 1-16-97

Date

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State of Nevada }
County of Lincoln } ss.

On this the 16th day of Jan 19 97
before me, Jo Ann Clay
Name of Notary Public

the undersigned, Notary Public, personally appeared
Marcia Gardner, Robin Summers, Floyd Summers, Brian Gardner
Name of Signer(s)

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County of Lincoln } ss.

On this the 16th day of January 19 97,
before me, JoAnn Clay
Name of Notary Public

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Quenton Perkins Shelley Wadsworth
Name of Signer(s)

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No. 92-1138-11

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Michael John March
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JoAnn Clay 1/30/97
Notary Date

MICHAEL JOHN MARCH
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Mable Johnston
Signature

JoAnn Clay 1/30/97
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County of Lincoln } ss.

On this the 30 day of January 19 97
before me, JoAnn Clay
Name of Notary Public

the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared
Michael J. March Mable Johnston
Name of Signer(s)

- Personally Known to me
- Proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence

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Notary Public - Nevada
My appt. exp. June 13, 2000
No. 92-1138-11

JoAnn Clay
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Name printed

JoAnn Clay 1/30/97
Notary Date

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Address Richardsonville Rd. 89001

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MICHAEL L. PERKINS
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JoAnn Clay 1/30/97
Notary Date

P.O. Box 415
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Alamo, NV 89001

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State of Nevada }
County of Lambton } ss.

On this the 30 day of January 19 97
before me, JoAnn Clay
Name of Notary Public

the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared
Suzanne A. Wilkinson Angie Wright
Susan Amos Michael Perkins
Name of Signer(s)

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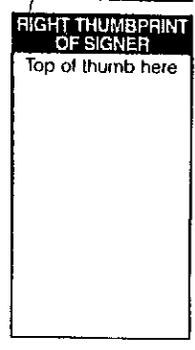
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Sharon March 1-30-97
Notary Date

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Lawrence E. Stewart
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Sharon March 1-30-97
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Pauline M. Broadhead
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Sharon March 1-30-97
Notary Date

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Lori Gull
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Sharon March 1-30-97
Notary Date

Lori Gull
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INDIVIDUAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT

State of NEVADA }
County of LINCOLN } ss.

On this the 30th day of JANUARY 1997,
before me, Sharon March
Name of Notary Public

the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared
Deborah S. Stewart, Lawrence E. Stewart, Pauline M. Broadhead
Name of Signer(s)

SHARON MARCH
Notary Public - Nevada
Lincoln County
My appl. exp. Jan. 27, 1999

Personally Known to me
 Proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence

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Sharon March
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WATER Filings

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