

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

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IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 68810
FILED BY High Rock Holdings, LLC
ON May 13th, 2002
WATERS OF Underground

PROTEST

Comes now U.S.D.L., Bureau of Land Management, Winnemucca Field Office
whose post office address is 5100 East Winnemucca Blvd, Winnemucca, NV 89445
whose occupation is Federal Land Management Agency, and protests the granting
of Application Number 68810, filed on May 13th, 2002
by High Rock Holdings, LLC
waters of Underground situated in Washoe
County, State of Nevada, for the following reasons and on the following grounds, to wit:

Please refer to the attached "exhibit A" incorporated herein by reference.

THEREFORE the protestant requests that the application be Please refer to "exhibit A".
and that an order be entered for such relief as the State Engineer deems just and proper.

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Signed Rodger Bryan
Rodger Bryan, Acting AFM Renewable Resources
Address 5100 East Winnemucca Blvd
Winnemucca, NV 89445

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of September, 2002.

Brigitte Lea Baslee
Notary Public

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Notary Public - State of Nevada
Humboldt County
My appointment expires July 16, 2006
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State of Nevada
County of Humboldt

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EXHIBIT A

Applications 68807 through 68811, as applied for, are located on public lands managed by the Bureau of Land Management, Winnemucca Field Office (WFO). The applicant, High Rock Holdings, LLC does not presently have authorization to conduct surface disturbing activities at these locations, nor have they sought approval for a right of way to convey water to another location where beneficial use could be proven. Once the applicant has submitted an application for right of way, to this office, an environmental analysis will be conducted to consider whether or not these activities will cause any significant environmental impacts. Therefore, the Bureau of Land Management protests the granting of these applications until such time that a right of way application can be submitted and considered by this office.