

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

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 80829T
FILED BY Bentley Family Trust, James W. Bentley, Trustee
ON May 6, 20 11



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PROTEST

Comes now Thomas J. Hall, Esq., as agent for the parties listed below,
Printed or typed name of protestant
whose post office address is Post Office Box 3948, Reno, Nevada 89505
Street No. or PO Box, City, State and ZIP Code
whose occupation is attorney and protests the granting
of Application Number 80829T, filed on May 6, 20 11
by Bentley Family Trust, James W. Bentley, Trustee for the
waters of Stutler Creek situated in Douglas County

an underground source 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 Application proposes that the use of the water will remain "Irrigation." However, the water being diverted under this Application will be used for filling ponds located on the Bentleys' property to raise fish, rather than to irrigate. The following parties protest this Application: Donald S. Forrester, Kristina M. Forrester, Hall Ranches, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, Thomas J. Scyphers, Kathleen M. Scyphers, Frank Scharo, Sheridan Creek Equestrian Center, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, Ronald R. Mitchell and Ginger G. Mitchell.

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

Agent or protestant

Thomas J. Hall, Esq.

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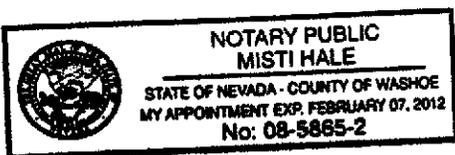
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of May, 20 11



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