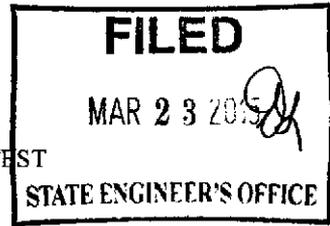


IN THE OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION NUMBER 84895
FILED BY Douglas E. and Donna Hogan
ON March 3, 20 15



PROTEST

Comes now Gary L. Steinman

Printed or typed name of protestant

whose post office address is 251 Wash O'Neil Creek Road, Winnemucca, NV 89445

Street No. or PO Box, City, State and ZIP Code

whose occupation is teacher

and protests the granting

of Application Number 84895

, filed on March 3

, 20 15

by Douglas E. and Donna Hogan

for the

waters of Wash O'Neal Creek

situated in Humboldt

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:

Mr. Hogan maintained two unpermitted ponds on his property for several years, fed by the waters of Wash O'Neal Creek in the same manner in which he now requests legal diversion. These ponds and diversion ditch severely affected water flow down the creek and the use of my water rights (permits #50392 and #50394). Based on my experience with these same ponds prior to Mr. Hogan's application for permitting and change of diversion, and his propensity for diverting water where he so chooses, I request denial of this application. After Mr. Hogan put in his ponds, we lost water prematurely. Seepage, evaporation and ice damming caused the creek to stop flowing several weeks early in the summer and in the winter to freeze solid, thus affecting irrigation, stock water and the value of my property. In his calculations, Mr. Hogan did not provide for water loss due to seepage from either diversion ditch or pond, which would increase annual consumption.

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

[Handwritten signature of Gary L. Steinman]

Agent or protestant

Gary L. Steinman

Printed or typed name, if agent

Address

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County of Humboldt

Subscribed and sworn to before me on

3-19-2015

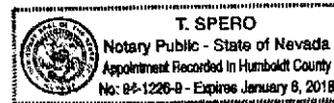
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Notary Stamp or Seal Required

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