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DESIGNATING AND DESCRIBING THE  
INDEPENDENCE VALLEY (PEQUOP VALLEY)  
(BASIN NUMBER 188) GROUND WATER BASIN  
IN ELKO COUNTY, NEVADA

The State Engineer finds that conditions warrant the designation of the Independence Valley (Pequop Valley) Ground Water Basin, Elko County, Nevada, and by this Order designates the following described area of land as a ground water basin coming under the Provisions of NRS Chapter 534 (Conservation and Distribution of Underground Waters).

**T.31N., R.63E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Sections 1, 11, 12 and 13 and that portion of Sections 2, 3, 10, 14, 23 and 24 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.31N., R.64E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 23 and that portion of Sections 13, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.31N., R.65E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Section 6 and that portion of Sections 5, 7, 8 and 18 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.32N., R.63E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Sections 24, 25 and 36 and that portion of Sections 1, 12, 13, 14, 23, 26 and 35 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.32N., R.64E., M.D.B.&M.**

All Sections.

**T.32N., R.65E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 and that portion of Sections 2, 10, 11, 13, 14, 23, 24, 26, 27 and 33 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.33N., R.63E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Sections 1 and 12 and that portion of Sections 2, 11, 13, 14, 23, 24, 25 and 36 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.33N., R.64E., M.D.B.&M.**

All Sections.

**T.33N., R.65E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 and that portion of Sections 1, 2, 12, 13, 24, 25, 26 and 35 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.34N., R.63E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Sections 1, 2, 3, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 23, 24, 25, 26, 35 and 36 and that portion of Sections 4, 9, 16, 21, 22, 27 and 34 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.34N., R.64E., M.D.B.&M.**

All Sections.

**T.34N., R.65E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 and that portion of Sections 2, 11, 12, 13, 23, 24, 26 and 35 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.35N., R.63E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Sections 1, 2, 11, 12, 13, 14, 23, 24, 25, 26, 34, 35 and 36 and that portion of Sections 3, 10, 15, 22, 27 and 33 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.35N., R.64E., M.D.B.&M.**

All Sections.

**T.35N., R.65E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 and 35 and that portion of Sections 1, 12, 13, 24, 25 and 36 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.36N., R.63E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Sections 1, 2, 11, 12, 13, 24, 25, 26, 34, 35 and 36 and that portion of Sections 3, 10, 14, 15, 22, 23, 27, 28 and 33 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.36N., R.64E., M.D.B.&M.**

All Sections.

**T.36N., R.65E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 and that portion of Sections 2, 11, 12, 13, 23, 24, 26, 35 and 36 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.37N., R.63E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Sections 12, 13, 23, 24, 25, 26, 35 and 36 and that portion of Sections 1, 11, 14, 15, 22, 27 and 34 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.37N., R.64E., M.D.B.&M.**

All Sections.

**T.37N., R.65E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 and that portion of Sections 1, 12, 24, 25, 35 and 36 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.37N., R.66E., M.D.B.&M.**

That portion of Sections 6, 7, 18 and 19 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.38N., R.63E., M.D.B.&M.**

That portion of Sections 1, 12, 13, 14, 24 and 25 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.38N., R.64E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 and that portion of Sections 1 and 31 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.38N., R.65E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Sections 7, 17, 18, 19, 20, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 and that portion of Sections 6, 8, 9, 16, 21, 22, 27, 35 and 36 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.39N., R.63E., M.D.B.&M.**

That portion of Section 36 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

**T.39N., R.64E., M.D.B.&M.**

All of Section 34 and that portion of Sections 21, 22, 26, 27, 28, 31, 32, 33, 35 and 36 lying within the natural drainage basin of Independence Valley.

A public hearing, as required under NRS 534.030, in the matter of the designation of Independence Valley (Pequop Valley) Ground Water Basin was held in Wells, Nevada on July 18, 1985.

The designated Independence Valley Basin is depicted and defined on Nevada Division of Water Resources, State Engineer's Office Maps.



Peter G. Morros  
State Engineer

Dated at Carson City, Nevada, this  
24th day of JULY, 1985.