

STATE OF NEVADA
Department of Conservation and Natural Resources
Joe Lombardo, Governor
James A. Settelmeyer, Director
Adam Sullivan, P.E., State Engineer

September 7, 2023

CORRECTED NOTICE

Re: IN THE MATTER OF THE DETERMINATION OF THE RELATIVE RIGHTS IN AND TO THE WATERS OF BUENA VISTA VALLEY HYDROGRAPHIC BASIN NO. 10-129, PERSHING AND CHURCHILL COUNTIES, NEVADA

The original notice had a typographical error in the last sentence where the year of a deadline was 2018 instead of 2023.

To Whom It May Concern:

In lieu of serving copies of the Abstract of Proofs of Appropriation and Preliminary Order of Determination, Nevada Revised Statute (NRS) § 533.140(3) provides that the State Engineer may provide notice that the Abstract of Proofs of Appropriation and Preliminary Order of Determination are available on the Internet website of the Office of the State Engineer.

Notice of Abstract of Proofs of Appropriation and Preliminary Order of Determination

The Abstract of Proofs of Appropriation and Preliminary Order of Determination are available on the Internet website of the Nevada Division of Water Resources and are available to download online at http://water.nv.gov. If you do not have internet access or otherwise require a hard copy, a copy will be provided upon request at cost of \$7.74. To obtain a copy, please complete and return the attached Copy Request Form with payment.

Notice Setting Time and Place for Inspection of Proofs of Claims

Nevada Revised Statute § 533.140(2)(a) provides that the notice for the period for inspection must be at least 30 days before the first date of the inspection period, which is required by law to be open for not less than 20 days. Based on the issuance of the Abstract of Proofs of Appropriation and Preliminary Order of Determination, the period of inspection is set as October 6, 2023 through November 6, 2023.

Objections to Preliminary Order of Determination

Nevada Revised Statute § 533.145 provides that any person claiming any interest in the water source, whether claiming under a vested right or under a permit from the State Engineer, may object to any finding, part or portion of the preliminary order of determination made by the State Engineer by filing objections with the State Engineer within 30 days after the evidence and proofs, as provided in NRS 533.140, shall have been opened to public inspection, or

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within such further time as for good cause shown may be allowed by the State Engineer upon application. Such objections shall be verified by affidavit of the objector, or the objector's agent or attorney, and shall state with reasonable certainty the grounds of the objection. Any objections to the Preliminary Order of Determination are ordered to be file-stamped in the Nevada Division of Water Resources no later than November 6, 2023.

Sincerely,

Adam Sullivan, P.E. State Engineer

AS/jm

cc: Division of Water Resources, E-mail

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of <u>Buena Vista Valley Notice of Abstract of Proofs of Appropriation and Preliminary Order of Determination; Notice Setting Time and Place for Inspection of Proofs of <u>Claims; and Deadline for filing objections</u> was served by U.S. certified mail, postage prepaid, on <u>September 7, 2023</u>, on the following:</u>

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