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Amended Application No. V02845  
STATE OF NEVADA  
PROOF OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER FOR IRRIGATION

Source Telegraph Canyon  
Name of natural water source (use separate proofs for each major source)

The water is diverted from its source Open Ditches  
Name of ditch, flume or pipe line

at the following point(s) (List all points of diversion from this source, appending a sheet if necessary. Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision of public survey, and by course and distance to a section corner. If on unsurveyed land, it should be stated.)

NW¼ NW¼ Section 2, T.23N., R.54E., MDB&M, or at a point from which the NW corner of said Section 2 bears N.18°15'00"W a distance of 924.00 feet.

(1) Name of claimant Daniel S. Venturacci

Address 8500 Schurz Highway, Fallon, NV, County of Churchill

State of Nevada Telephone No. 775-426-0918

(2) The means of diversion employed Earth and Rock Dam  
Dam and ditch, pipe line, flume, etc.

(3) The date of the survey of ditch, canal, or pipe line was 1974, 2013

(4) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun 1901

and completed 1901

(5) The dimensions of the ditch or canal as originally constructed were: Width on bottom 2 feet, width on top 5 feet, depth 1.5 feet, on a grade of 20 feet per thousand feet.

(6) The conduit has not been enlarged. Note - If enlargement or extension of ditch was made, supply information under (7) and (8)

(7) The work of enlargement of the ditch or canal was begun \_\_\_\_\_

and completed \_\_\_\_\_

(8) The dimensions of the ditch or canal as enlarged are: Width on bottom \_\_\_\_\_ feet, width on top \_\_\_\_\_ feet, depth \_\_\_\_\_ feet, on a grade of \_\_\_\_\_ feet per thousand feet.

(9) The claimant is the owner in the above-described conduit.

Sole owner and user \_\_\_\_\_

If claimant is an owner in the conduit, state interest held on this line.

(10) The nature of the title to the land for which the water right is claimed is  
Fee Simple

(11) Crops of Hay and diversified pasture

have been grown upon the land irrigated. (e.g. alfalfa, native hay, grain, orchard, meadow or diversified pasture)

(12) The water has been used for irrigation from January 1 to December 31 of each year.  
Day of month Day of month

(13) List the year of priority for acreages irrigated prior to March 1, 1905, from all points of diversion previously described, with corresponding subdivisions, appending extra sheets if necessary.

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(14) The maximum acreage irrigated in any year was 344.89 acres.

(15) The water claimed \_\_\_\_\_ has \_\_\_\_\_ been used for irrigation each and every year since the right was initiated.

(16) The years during which no water was used for irrigation or during which the full water right was not used were (If water was not used, or used in reduced quantity at any time, full information as to causes and duration of non-use should be given, appending a sheet if necessary.)

Due to the overappropriation of the groundwater basin the springs and seeps have disappeared. By 1993 all of the resources fully ceased to exist.

(17) The claimant's water right ~~was~~ (was not) recorded in the office of the County Recorder of \_\_\_\_\_  
County, said record being at page \_\_\_\_\_ of Book \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, and being a claim for  
\_\_\_\_\_ of water for the irrigation of  
\_\_\_\_\_ acres of land in the following legal subdivisions:

Note - Failure to record in the county in no way invalidates a water right, but if ditch or right was so recorded, supply full information under (17)

(18) Water from the source given and through the works described is also used for the following purposes other than irrigation:

Stockwatering of 100 head of horses and 500 head of cattle, and domestic uses.

(19) The character of the soil is Sandy Loam. A continuous flow of varies cubic feet  
Sandy, gravelly, loam  
of water per second has been used to irrigate 344.89 acres of land and four (4)  
acre-feet per acre per annum have been used to irrigate the crops.

(20) Remarks

This application is being amended to represent the full historic use of the water right and its commingled nature with other sources on the place of use. Due to the difficulty in quantifying the separate sources, the full irrigated acreage from all sources is listed herein to represent the full extent of the overall water right and the vested claim in being amended to reflect this combined use.

The water from Telegraph Canyon generally only runs in the Spring of the year. The flow rate varies depending on precipitation and snow melt rates.

Water from Telegraph Canyon is commingled and supplemental with with other sources on the place of use, including multiple seeps and springs within the place of use and water from Cox Canyon. Spring flow has been declining since the onset of heavy development of groundwater rights in the basin. The entire flow of the appurtenant springs is diverted and used to irrigated lands, Domestic Use and water livestock when available.

The diversified pasture areas include Red Top Fescue, Timothy, and Johnson Grasses.

See supporting documentations supplied with this filing for additional information and historic uses.

The undersigned, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that the facts relative to the appropriation of water by

Daniel S. Venturacci

are full and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

I am the Claimant's Agent

If proof is not made by claimant, deponent should state on this line by virtue of what authority he represents the claimant.

Name

George M Thiel P.E., S.W.R.S.

Address

2801 Tamara Court, Minden, NV 89423

Telephone Number

775-722-5380

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County of

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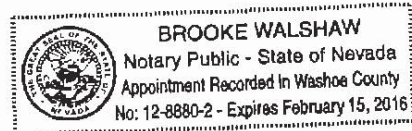
Subscribed and sworn to before me on

2/25/13

by

GEORGE THIEL

*[Signature]*  
Signature of Notary Public Required



Notary Stamp or Seal Required

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Section	Subdivision		Township	Range	Diversified Pasture	Hay	Total
27	NW¼	NW¼	T.24N.	R.54E.	0.97		0.97
27	NE¼	NW¼	T.24N.	R.54E.	0.34		0.34
27	SW¼	SW¼	T.24N.	R.54E.	40		40
27	SE¼	SW¼	T.24N.	R.54E.	40		40
27	SW¼	SE¼	T.24N.	R.54E.	3.3		3.3
28	NE¼	SE¼	T.24N.	R.54E.	0.1		0.1
28	SE¼	SE¼	T.24N.	R.54E.	1.55		1.55
34	NW¼	NW¼	T.24N.	R.54E.	13.65		13.65
34	NE¼	NW¼	T.24N.	R.54E.	40		40
34	SE¼	NW¼	T.24N.	R.54E.	36.02	3.98	40
34	NW¼	NE¼	T.24N.	R.54E.	13.91		13.91
34	SW¼	NE¼	T.24N.	R.54E.	2.96	10.94	13.9
34	NE¼	SW¼	T.24N.	R.54E.	35.93	4.07	40
34	SE¼	SW¼	T.24N.	R.54E.	38.62	1.38	40
34	NW¼	SE¼	T.24N.	R.54E.		28.74	28.74
34	SW¼	SE¼	T.24N.	R.54E.	4.72	23.71	28.43
Totals					272.07	72.82	344.89

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Source Telegraph Canyon
Name of natural water source
The water is diverted from its source Through Open Ditches
Name of ditch, flume or pipe line
at the following point(s) in the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 2, T.23 N., R.54 E., M.D.B. & M.
whence the N.W. Corner of said Section 2 bears N. 18° 15' 00" W. 924.0 feet distant.

(1) Name of claimant Theodore M. Thompson & Olive M. Thompson
Address Diamond Valley Ranch, County of Eureka
State of Nevada

(2) The means of diversion employed Earth and rock dam
Dam and ditch, pipe line, flume, etc.

(3) The date of the survey of ditch, canal, or pipe line was

(4) The construction of the ditch or other works was begun 1901
and completed 1901

(5) The dimensions of the ditch or canal as originally constructed were: Width on bottom 2 feet, width on top 5 feet, depth 1.5 feet, on a grade of 20 feet per thousand feet.

(6) The conduit has (has not) been enlarged.
NOTE—If enlargement or extension of ditch was made, supply information under (7) and (8)

(7) The work of enlargement of the ditch or canal was begun
and completed

(8) The dimensions of the ditch or canal as enlarged are: Width on bottom feet, width on top feet, depth feet, on a grade of feet per thousand feet.

(9) The claimant is (is not) an owner in the above-described conduit.

If claimant is an owner in the conduit, state interest held on this line
(10) The nature of the title to the land for which the water right is claimed is
Fee Simple
Fee simple, public domain, etc.

(11) Crops of Pasture Grasses
have been grown upon the land irrigated.

(12) The water has been used for irrigation from 1st of April to 15th of September
of each year. Day of month Day of month



(13) List the year of priority for acreages irrigated prior to March 1, 1905, from all points of diversion previously described, with corresponding subdivisions, appending extra sheets if necessary.

- ✓ 1901, 20.91 acres in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 34, T. 24, R. 54 E.  
Year
- ✓ 1901, 1.49 acres in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 34, T. 24, R. 54 E.
- ✓ 1901, 21.65 acres in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 34, T. 24, R. 54 E.
- ✓ 1901, 3.97 acres in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 34, T. 24, R. 54 E.
- ✓ 1901, 3.14 acres in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 34, T. 24, R. 54 E.
- ✓ 1901, 7.02 acres in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 34, T. 24, R. 54 E.
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(14) The maximum acreage irrigated in any year was 58.18 acres.

(15) The water claimed has ~~has not~~ been used for irrigation each and every year since the right was initiated. Strike out one not wanted

(16) The years during which no water was used for irrigation or during which the full water right was not used were.....

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(19) The character of the soil is Sandy Four acre-feet per acre per annum have been used to irrigate the crops. A continuous flow of varies cubic feet of water per second has been used to irrigate 58.18 acres of land.  
(Sandy, gravelly, loam)  
(See Remarks)

(20) Remarks: The water flow from this creek varies depending on the amount of rain and snow received during that year.

The undersigned, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that the facts relative to the appropriation of water by Theodore M. Thompson & Olive M. Thompson are full and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief. I am the claimants Agent.

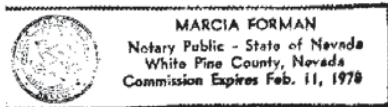
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claimant

Richard W. Forman  
Richard W. Forman, Agent  
P. O. Box 150, Ely, Nevada 89301

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1974

Marcia Forman



Notary Public in and for the County of White Pine  
My commission expires Feb 11, 1978

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