

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD

DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS

In the Matter of License 10627 (Application 23509)
James D. Yoakum

ORDER REVOKING LICENSE

SOURCE: Unnamed Spring tributary to Unnamed Stream thence South Branch Dog Creek thence
Dog Creek

COUNTY: Sierra

WHEREAS:

1. A revocation request form dated January 21, 2005 has been received from James D. Yoakum (Licensee) requesting revocation of the license by the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board), Division of Water Rights (Division).
2. The Division interprets the Licensee's request for revocation as a waiver of the notice and hearing requirements set forth in Water Code sections 1675 through 1675.2.

Therefore, it is ordered that License 10627 is hereby revoked by the State Water Board, and the water is declared to be subject to appropriation. This revocation may not result in additional water being available for new appropriations if there are applicable restrictions due to past State Water Board decisions regarding water availability.


Victoria A. Whitney, Chief
Division of Water Rights

Dated: JUL 06 2005



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License for Diversion and Use of Water

APPLICATION 23509

PERMIT 16246

LICENSE 10627

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That

JAMES D. YOAKUM
P. O. BOX 9098, UNIVERSITY STATION, RENO, NEVADA 89507

HAS *made proof as of* OCTOBER 16, 1975 *(the date of inspection)*
to the satisfaction of the State Water Resources Control Board of a right to the use of the water of
AN UNNAMED SPRING IN SIERRA COUNTY

tributary to AN UNNAMED STREAM THENCE SOUTH BRANCH DOG CREEK THENCE DOG CREEK

for the purpose of IRRIGATION AND FIRE PROTECTION USES
under Permit 16246 *of the Board and that the right to the use of this water has been perfected*
in accordance with the laws of California, the Regulations of the Board and the permit terms; that the
priority of this right dates from MAY 19, 1970 *and that the amount of water to which*
this right is entitled and hereby confirmed is limited to the amount actually beneficially used for the stated
purposes and shall not exceed FOUR THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED TWENTY (4320) GALLONS PER DAY,
TO BE DIVERTED FROM MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30 OF EACH YEAR. THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT DIVERTED
UNDER THIS LICENSE SHALL NOT EXCEED 2 ACRE-FEET PER YEAR.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION OF SUCH WATER IS LOCATED:

NORTH 1,100 FEET AND EAST 1,106 FEET FROM W¹/₄ CORNER OF SECTION 7, T19N, R18E,
MDB&M, BEING WITHIN S¹/₂ OF LOT 3 OF THE NW¹/₄ OF SAID SECTION 7.

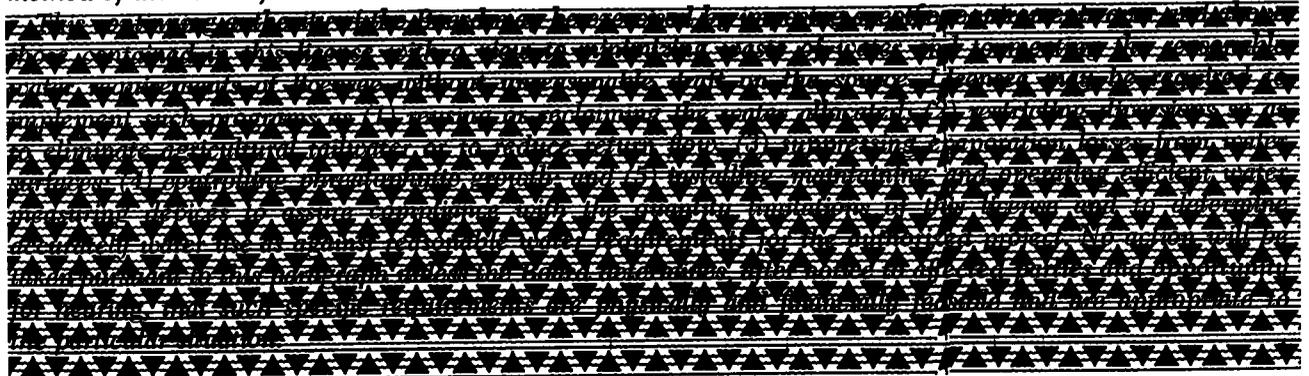
A DESCRIPTION OF LANDS OR THE PLACE WHERE
SUCH WATER IS PUT TO BENEFICIAL USE IS AS FOLLOWS:

FIRE PROTECTION USE AND IRRIGATION OF 3 ACRES WITHIN S¹/₂ OF LOT 2 OF THE
NW¹/₄ OF SECTION 7, T19N, R18E, MDB&M.

THE QUANTITY OF WATER DIVERTED UNDER THIS LICENSE IS SUBJECT TO MODIFICATION
BY THE STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD, IF, AFTER NOTICE TO THE LICENSEE AND
AN OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING, THE BOARD FINDS THAT SUCH MODIFICATION IS NECESSARY
TO MEET WATER QUALITY OBJECTIVES IN WATER QUALITY CONTROL PLANS WHICH HAVE BEEN
OR HEREAFTER MAY BE ESTABLISHED OR MODIFIED PURSUANT TO DIVISION 7 OF THE WATER
CODE. NO ACTION WILL BE TAKEN PURSUANT TO THIS PARAGRAPH UNLESS THE BOARD FINDS
THAT (1) ADEQUATE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS HAVE BEEN PRESCRIBED AND ARE IN
EFFECT WITH RESPECT TO ALL WASTE DISCHARGES WHICH HAVE ANY SUBSTANTIAL EFFECT
UPON WATER QUALITY IN THE AREA INVOLVED, AND (2) THE WATER QUALITY OBJECTIVES
CANNOT BE ACHIEVED SOLELY THROUGH THE CONTROL OF WASTE DISCHARGES.

Licensee shall allow representatives of the Board and other parties, as may be authorized from time to time by the Board, reasonable access to project works to determine compliance with the terms of this license.

All rights and privileges under this license, including method of diversion, method of use and quantity of water diverted are subject to the continuing authority of the Board in accordance with law and in the interest of the public welfare to prevent waste, unreasonable use, unreasonable method of use or unreasonable method of diversion of said water.



Reports shall be filed promptly by licensee on appropriate forms which will be provided for the purpose from time to time by the Board.

The right hereby confirmed to the diversion and use of water is restricted to the point or points of diversion herein specified and to the lands or place of use herein described.

This license is granted and licensee accepts all rights herein confirmed subject to the following provisions of the Water Code:

Section 1625. Each license shall be in such form and contain such terms as may be prescribed by the Board.

Section 1626. All licenses shall be under the terms and conditions of this division (of the Water Code).

Section 1627. A license shall be effective for such time as the water actually appropriated under it is used for a useful and beneficial purpose in conformity with this division (of the Water Code) but no longer.

Section 1628. Every license shall include the enumeration of conditions therein which in substance shall include all of the provisions of this article and the statement that any appropriator of water to whom a license is issued takes the license subject to the conditions therein expressed.

Section 1629. Every licensee, if he accepts a license does so under the conditions precedent that no value whatsoever in excess of the actual amount paid to the State therefor shall at any time be assigned to or claimed for any license granted or issued under the provisions of this division (of the Water Code), or for any rights granted or acquired under the provisions of this division (of the Water Code), in respect to the regulation by any competent public authority of the services or the price of the services to be rendered by any licensee or by the holder of any rights granted or acquired under the provisions of this division (of the Water Code) or in respect to any valuation for purposes of sale to or purchase, whether through condemnation proceedings or otherwise, by the State or any city, city and county, municipal water district, irrigation district, lighting district, or any political subdivision of the State, of the rights and property of any licensee, or the possessor of any rights granted, issued, or acquired under the provisions of this division (of the Water Code).

Section 1630. At any time after the expiration of twenty years after the granting of a license, the State or any city, city and county, municipal water district, irrigation district, lighting district, or any political subdivision of the State shall have the right to purchase the works and property occupied and used under the license and the works built or constructed for the enjoyment of the rights granted under the license.

Section 1631. In the event that the State, or any city, city and county, municipal water district, irrigation district, lighting district, or political subdivision of the State so desiring to purchase and the owner of the works and property cannot agree upon the purchase price, the price shall be determined in such manner as is now or may hereafter be provided by law for determining the value of property taken in eminent domain proceedings.

Dated: APR 23 1976

STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD

R. J. Rosenberry
Chief, Division of Water Rights