

September 12, 1969

A meeting was held at 2:00 p.m., September 10, 1969, on the diversion dike of the Newcastle Reservoir that diverts water from Pine Valley, Water Canyon, Ash Creek and Grass Valley Creeks into the Pinto Creek drainage and thence into Newcastle Reservoir.

Those in attendance were:

Bill Snow
Claude Brazwell
Reed Mathis
E. S. Gardner
Albert Holt
Wilford Holt
Dale Gubler
Irwin Gubler
Cecil Blake
Richard Jones
Chester Behring
Gordon Kneill
Charles Hart
Norman Hulet
Donald C. Norseth
Gerald W. Stoker

The discussion centered around the installation of control structures by the Newcastle Reservoir Company. The specific purpose for this meeting was to have a control gate put in the diversion dike. During the meeting it was brought out that there formerly had been a pipe through the dike in the southwest corner, but it had been removed because it had rusted out which caused problems.

The dike had been constructed prior to 1910. It was not subject to forest control because the easement had been obtained before the forest was regulating the area.

There were two sites discussed and two types of gate structures discussed. These are described below:

1. Sites for installation of gate structures
 - a. Installation in the southwest corner of the dike where the former pipe had been located.
 - b. Installation in the southeast corner near the ditch which leads from Water Canyon.
2. The gate structures discussed:
 - a. Square-type gate with dimensions of 3 by 4 feet.
 - b. Installation of pipe controlled by a headgate.

The parties did not reach a definite conclusion concerning the location or type of gate to be installed. The State Engineer was directed to make final decision.

Donald C. Norseth stated that any type of gate would have to be locked, and regulated only by direction of the State Engineer. An order by the State Engineer directing Newcastle Reservoir Company as to the location and type of gate will be issued upon return of Mr. Norseth to Salt Lake City.