

BEFORE THE STATE ENGINEER OF THE STATE OF UTAH

IN THE MATTER OF EXCHANGE

APPLICATION NUMBER E3363 (35-9946)

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MEMORANDUM DECISION

Exchange Application Number E3363 (35-9946), in the name of Randy L. Moss, was filed on January 3, 1995, to exchange 1.0 acre-foot of water as evidenced by a contract with Weber Basin Water Conservancy District under Water Right Number 35-828 (A27609). The 1.0 acre-foot of water is to be released into the Weber River and, in lieu thereof, 1.0 acre-foot of water will be diverted from a six inch well, 100 feet to 400 feet deep, located South 100 feet and East 1850 feet from the W $\frac{1}{4}$  Corner of Section 5, T2N, R7E, SLB&M, and used for the irrigation of 0.15 acre, the stockwatering of four cattle or equivalent, and the domestic purposes of one family.

The application was advertised in The Summit County Bee from February 3, 1995, to February 17, 1995, and was not protested.

It appears that this exchange can be made provided certain precautions are observed.

It is, therefore, **ORDERED** and Exchange Application Number E3363 (35-9946) is hereby **APPROVED** subject to prior rights and the following conditions:

- 1) The basis for this exchange right is a contract between the applicants and Weber Basin Water Conservancy District. This contract must be maintained for this exchange to remain valid. No water may be withdrawn from the well if a contract is not in effect.
- 2) Total diversion under this exchange application for all uses applied for is limited to 1.0 acre-feet of water per year. These uses are limited to irrigation of 0.15 acre, stockwatering of four cattle or equivalent and the domestic needs of one family. For the purpose of regulating this exchange, the applicants shall install a permanent totalizing meter to measure withdrawals from the well, which meter shall be available for inspection by representatives of the Division of Water Rights at any reasonable time.
- 3) The water being exchanged shall be released from Wanship Reservoir into the Weber River as called for by the river commissioner.
- 4) Under the authority of Section 73-3-20 of the Utah Code, the applicant is required to submit a proof diversion and beneficial use of water upon 60 days notification by the State Engineer. The proof shall be in the same form and contain the same elements as required for appropriation or permanent change of water under Section 73-3-16 of the Utah Code Annotated.

This Decision is subject to the provisions of Rule R655-6-17 of the Division of Water Rights and to Sections 63-46b-13 and 73-3-14 of the Utah Code Annotated,

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1953, which provide for filing either a Request for Reconsideration with the State Engineer or an appeal with the appropriate District Court. A Request for Reconsideration must be filed with the State Engineer within 20 days of the date of this Decision. However, a Request for Reconsideration is not a prerequisite to filing a court appeal. A court appeal must be filed within 30 days after the date of this Decision, or if a Request for Reconsideration has been filed, within 30 days after the date the Request for Reconsideration is denied. A Request for Reconsideration is considered denied when no action is taken 20 days after the Request is filed.

Dated this 10th day of May, 1995.

  
Robert L. Morgan, P.E., State Engineer

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Mailed a copy of the foregoing Memorandum Decision this 10th day of May, 1995,  
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