



State of Utah

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS

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Dear Water User:

RE: Uintah River Storage Schedule - ORDER

On April 27, 1990 a hearing was held in Roosevelt, Utah concerning the proposed Uintah River Storage Schedule dated March 30, 1990. After careful consideration of the information presented at the hearing and another review of the water rights on record, the storage schedule has been modified as shown below.

As stated on the proposed schedule mailed on March 30, the purpose of this schedule is to resolve questions regarding storage rights on the Uintah River. The following schedule does not list all of the diversion rights on the river but only those associated with the major storage facilities.

Therefore, in accordance with Sections 73-2-1 and 73-5-3 of the Utah Code Annotated, 1953, as Amended, it is hereby ORDERED that the flows of the Uintah River be diverted to storage according to the following priority schedule:

PRIORITY

DATE

10/31/1905	43-3042 A644 Cert. 1738 a10983	<b>WHITEROCKS IRRIGATION COMPANY</b> Diversion of 49.953 cfs (limited to 10,509.63 AF annually) from Whiterocks River between 4/01 and 11/01. Diversion to irrigation and/or storage in Lapoint Reservoir.
1/16/1906	43-3053 A769 Cert.1739 a10982	<b>WHITEROCKS IRRIGATION COMPANY</b> Diversion of 32.953 cfs (limited to 6,925.38 AF annually) from Whiterocks River between 4/01 and 11/01. Diversion to irrigation and/or storage in Lapoint Reservoir.
11/07/1908	43-503 A1947 Cert. 1740 a10984	<b>WHITEROCKS IRRIGATION COMPANY</b> Diversion of 8.93 cfs (limited to 2013.48 AF annually) from Whiterocks River between 4/01 and 11/01. Diversion to irrigation and/or storage in Lapoint Reservoir.

3/11/1910	43-3093 A3093 Cert. 2261 a4598	<b>MOON LAKE WATER USERS ASSOCIATION</b> Diversion of 42 cfs and from Uinta River between 03/01 and 11/01. Storage in Brown's Draw Reservoir.
NOTE: Storage allowed at this priority if the flow diverted to storage could be beneficially used for irrigation.		
2/16/1933	43-3197 A9670 a7300	<b>OURAY PARK IRRIGATION COMPANY</b> Diversion of 10,000 ac/ft from Whiterocks River between 1/01 and 12/31. Diversion to irrigation and/or storage in Pelican Lake and Brough Reservoir.
2/16/1933	43-3198 A9670a	<b>OURAY PARK IRRIGATION COMPANY</b> Diversion of 10,000 ac./ft. from Uintah River between 1/01 and 12/31. Diversion to irrigation and/or to storage in Pelican Lake and Cottonwood Reservoir.
NOTE: Storage allowed at this priority is limited to 4,000 ac./ft.		
1/27/1936	43-3215 A11930	<b>OURAY PARK IRRIGATION COMPANY</b> Diversion of 2500 ac./ft. from Uinta River between 11/01 to 3/31. Storage in Pelican Lake.
3/5/1963	43-3721 A35508	<b>DRY GULCH IRRIGATION COMPANY</b> Diversion of 5 cfs. (1200 ac/ft.) from Uintah River between 1/01 and 12/31. Storage in Montez Creek Reservoir.
8/08/1963	43-3720 A35504	<b>WHITEROCKS IRRIGATION COMPANY</b> Diversion of 5 cfs (3260 ac/ft.) from Whiterocks River between 1/01 and 12/31. Storage in Lapoint Reservoir.
11/27/1964	43-3093 A3093 Cert. 2261 a4598	<b>MOON LAKE WATER USERS ASSOCIATION</b> Diversion of 42 cfs from Uinta River between 03/01 and 11/01. Storage in Brown's Draw Reservoir.
NOTE: Storage allowed at this priority anytime between 03/01 and 11/01.		

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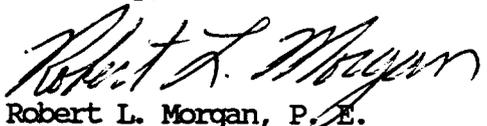
**OURAY PARK IRRIGATION COMPANY**  
Diversion of 10,000 ac/ft. from Uintah  
River between 1/01 and 12/31.  
Diversion to irrigation and/or storage  
in Pelican Lake and Cottonwood  
Reservoir.

NOTE: 6,000 ac/ft. of storage is allowed at this  
priority. This is part of the total 10,000 ac/ft.  
allowed under A9670a.

This order does not include Bullock Draw Reservoir because there are no storage rights in it from either the Uinta or Whiterocks Rivers. Its source of water for storage is Deep Creek (43-720, A11550, a9880). Bullock Draw Reservoir was purchased by the Division of Wildlife Resources and the Ouray Park Irrigation Company indicated their storage rights had been moved into Cottonwood Reservoir. However, we have no record of such a change application being filed or approved.

This Order is subject to the provisions of Rule R625-6-17 of the Division of Water Rights and to Sections 63-46b-13 and 73-3-14 of the Utah Code Annotated, 1953 as amended, 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 Order. However, a Request for Reconsideration is not a prerequisite for a court appeal. A court appeal must be 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.

Sincerely,

  
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