
State Water Resources Control Board

Notice of Water Right Application A032923

George S. Arata Sr. has filed an application to appropriate water by permit with the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board), Division of Water Rights. The project associated with the application is located in Contra Costa County and would divert water from the Marsh Creek stream system.

Summary of Water Right Application A032923

Date of Filing: The application was filed with the State Water Board on April 3, 2018.

Source of Water: The source of water is Marsh Creek tributary to the San Joaquin River.

Season of Diversion: The season for diversion of water is from December 1 of each year through June 1 of the succeeding year.

Amount: The maximum amount of water requested for diversion is 51.04 acre-feet per year, which would be diverted by direct diversion or diversion to storage in two off-stream reservoirs at a rate not to exceed 1.56 cubic feet per second.

Point of Diversion: The point where water will be diverted is located at North 2,144,645 feet and East 6,195,556 feet by California Coordinate System, Zone 3, North American Datum 1983, located within the Southwest quarter of Northwest quarter of Section 5, Township 1 South, Range 2 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Purposes of Use: The purposes of use for diverted water are irrigation, frost protection, incidental recreational, incidental fish and wildlife preservation and enhancement, and incidental fire protection.

Places of Use: The place of use for diverted water consists of 60 acres located within the Northwest quarter of Section 4, Township 1 South, Range 2 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Water Rights Records Database

Documentation related to this application is available by accessing the State Water Board's electronic Water Rights Information Management System (eWRIMS) database:

- Go to <https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/ewrims/>
- Select "eWRIMS Database System" to open the eWRIMS Database

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- Select “Accept” to accept the Public Records Act notice
- Select “Water Rights Records Search”
- Enter the application number in the “Application ID” field, then select “Search”
- Select the application number on the left side of the results to open the record
 - Select “View Document” to see the application and related documentation
 - Select “View Map” to see the application map
 - Select the “Map It” button to open the record in the eWRIMS GIS viewer

Procedures for Filing Protests

Pursuant to Water Code section 1330, any interested person may file a protest against the approval of the subject application. Protests must be received by the Division of Water Rights by **4:30 p.m.** on **October 30, 2023** with copy provided to the applicant. The State Water Board may, for good cause shown, allow additional time to file a protest. For more information regarding protests, please refer to the following web page:

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water_issues/programs/applications/docs/protests.pdf

Contact Information

Please direct all requests and inquiries regarding this notice to Amin Afshar at (916) 322-8568 or amin.afshar@waterboards.ca.gov. Written correspondence should be addressed to:

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Date of Notice: The date that this public notice was issued is September 19, 2023.