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## State Water Resources Control Board

### Notice of Water Right Application A033286

Central California Irrigation District 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 Stanislaus County and would involve diversion of water from Orestimba Creek for groundwater recharge.

#### Summary of Water Right Application A033286

**Date of Filing:** The application was filed with the State Water Board on March 23, 2022.

**Source of Water:** The source of water is Orestimba Creek, which is tributary to San Joaquin River thence Sacramento-San Joaquin River Delta.

**Amount:** The maximum amount of water requested for diversion is 3,500 acre-feet per year, which would be diverted at a rate not to exceed 35 cubic feet per second.

**Season of Diversion:** The season for diversion of water is from December 1 of each year through March 31 of the succeeding year.

**Point of Diversion:** The point where water will be diverted is located at North 1,943,520 feet and East 6,386,028 feet by California Coordinate System, Zone 3, North American Datum 1983, within the NW quarter of the NW quarter of Section 16, Township 7 South, Range 8 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

**Purpose of Use:** Recharged water would be extracted for irrigation within the place of use.

**Location and Type of Infiltration:** Water would be diverted from the point of diversion and conveyed through a pipeline to approximately 80 acres of percolation ponds. The percolation ponds are located within Section 15, Township 7 South, Range 8 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

**Place of Use:** The place of use for irrigation use is 209,210 acres of lands within the boundaries of Del Puerto Water District and Central California Irrigation District.

**Use Accounting:** Water stored underground would be extracted by recovery wells and measured with flowmeters for irrigation use within the place of use for irrigation during the following years. A 10 percent loss of the recharged waters is anticipated due to evaporation, conveyance loss, and migration of recharged water.

## 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
- 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

## Procedure for Filing Protests

Pursuant to Water Code section 1330, any interested person may file a protest against the approval of the subject application. Protests should be submitted via email to the staff contact listed below but may also be submitted via regular mail or hand delivered. If protests are sent by mail or hand delivered, please provide a courtesy email to the staff contact listed below. For hand delivery, please contact the State Water Board's Water Rights Records Room at [dwr@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:dwr@waterboards.ca.gov) or (916) 341-5300 to make an appointment. Protests must be received by the Division of Water Rights or postmarked by **August 19, 2024**, with a 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](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 Greg Brown at [greg.brown@waterboards.ca.gov](mailto:greg.brown@waterboards.ca.gov) or (916) 323-7705 (email is the preferred means of communication). Written correspondence should be addressed to:

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All written correspondence directed to the applicant should be addressed to:

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**Date of Notice:** The date that this public notice was issued is June 19, 2024.