
State Water Resources Control Board

Notice of Water Right Application A032535

Palisades Tahoe 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 Placer County and would divert water from the Truckee River stream system.

The application was filed with the State Water Board on November 9, 2015. On December 1, 2015, the federal watermaster began implementation of the Truckee River Operating Agreement (TROA) and the interstate allocations under the 1990 Truckee-Carson Pyramid Lake Water Rights Settlement Act (Settlement Act) took effect. The diversion, storage, and use of water from the Truckee River stream system under water rights issued by the State Water Board, including any right issued for Application A032535, will be conditioned in accordance with the provisions of TROA and the Settlement Act.

Summary of Water Right Application A032535

Date of Filing: The application was filed with the State Water Board on November 9, 2015.

Source of Water: The source of water is an Unnamed Stream, which is tributary to Squaw Creek thence the Truckee River.

Amount: The maximum amount of water requested for diversion is 24 acre-feet per year.

Season of Diversion: The season for diversion of water is from January 1 to December 31 of each year.

Point of Diversion: The point where water will be diverted is Gold Pond located at North 2,199,363 feet and East 7,052,892 feet by California Coordinate System, Zone 2, North American Datum 1983, within the Southeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 36, Township 16 North, Range 15 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Purpose of Use: The purpose of use for water is snowmaking.

Place of Use: The place of use for water is 110 acres within portions of the following sections: Section 2, Township 15 North, Range 15 East; Section 6, Township 15 North, Range 16 East; sections 25, 35, and 36, Township 16 North, Range 15 East; and, sections 30, 31, and 32, Township 16 North, Range 16 East; Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

E. JOAQUIN ESQUIVEL, CHAIR | ERIC OPPENHEIMER, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Application Documents

Documentation related to applications was previously available through the State Water Board's electronic Water Rights Information Management System (eWRIMS) database, but that system is currently unavailable. For access to the application documents, please contact Amin Afshar at Amin.Afshar@waterboards.ca.gov or (916) 322-8568 (email is the preferred means of communication).

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 or (916) 341-5300 to make an appointment. Protests must be received by the Division of Water Rights or postmarked by **April 13, 2026**, 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 Amin.Afshar@waterboards.ca.gov or (916) 322-8568 (email is the preferred means of communication). Written correspondence should be addressed to:

State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Water Rights
Attn: Amin Afshar, P.O. Box 2000, Sacramento, CA 95812-2000

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

Palisades Tahoe, c/o Taggart and Taggart, Ltd
c/o Timothy O'Connor, 108 N Minnesota St, Carson City, NV, 89703

Date of Notice: The date that this public notice was issued is March 4, 2026.