
State Water Resources Control Board

**NOTICE OF PETITIONS FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
FOR WATER RIGHT PERMITS 21189, 21190, 21183, 21178, 21184, 21191, 21179,
21180, 21181, AND 21182
(APPLICATIONS 30325, 30326, 30327, 30328, 30329, 31043, 31044, 31045, 31046,
AND 31048) OF TEJON RANCH COMPANY**

COUNTY: Kern

STREAM SYSTEM: El Paso Creek, Grapevine Creek, Liveoak Creek, Pastoria Creek, Tecuya Creek, Tejon Creek, and Tunis Creek

On December 24, 2014, Tejon Ranch Company filed petitions for water right Permits 21189, 21190, 21183, 21178, 21184, 21191, 21179, 21180, 21181, and 21182 (Applications 30325, 30326, 30327, 30328, 30329, 31043, 31044, 31045, 31046, and 31048), with a request for a 10-year time extension on the remaining portions of the permits, with the State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Water Rights (Division).

Subsequently, on December 30, 2025, July 16, 2026, and July 22, 2026, Tejon Ranch Company filed petitions amending its original request for each of the ten water rights identified above. The amended petitions request a 22-year time extension, from December 31, 2014 to December 31, 2036, to complete construction and apply the full amount of water authorized under each permit to beneficial use. The Division is consolidating the 2025 and 2026 filings as amendments to the original petitions filed on December 24, 2014, which retain their original filing date of December 24, 2014, for purposes of this proceeding.

Permits 21189, 21190, 21183, 21178, 21184, 21191, 21179, 21180, 21181, and 21182 allowed development until December 31, 2014, to complete application of the water for mining, irrigation, and stockwatering uses.

Below please find a summary of each of the ten subject permits associated with the petitions for extension of time.

Summary of Permit 21189

Source: Tejon Creek, Unnamed Stream

Season: January 1 to December 31

Amount: 8 cubic feet per second (cfs), direct diversion;

Storage: 3,900 acre-feet per annum (afa)

Place of use: 3,913 acres

Purpose of use: Irrigation, Stockwatering

Summary of Permit 21190

Source: El Paso Creek, Unnamed Stream

Season: January 1 to December 31

Amount: 40.3 cfs, direct diversion;

Storage: 3,900 afa

Place of use: 8,910 acres

Purpose of use: Irrigation, Stockwatering

Summary of Permit 21183

Source: Tunis Creek, Unnamed Stream

Season: December 1 to May 31

Amount: 7.8 cfs, direct diversion;

Storage: 700 afa

Place of use: 8,342 acres

Purpose of use: Irrigation, Stockwatering

Summary of Permit 21178

Source: Pastoria Creek

Season: November 1 to May 31

Amount: 10 cfs, direct diversion;

Storage: 6 afa

Place of use: 758 net acres within a gross area of 861 acres

Purpose of use: Mining

Summary of Permit 21184

Source: Grapevine Creek

Season: January 1 to December 31

Amount: 5.7 cfs, direct diversion;

Storage: 13 afa

Place of use: 861 acres

Purpose of use: Irrigation, Stockwatering

Summary of Permit 21191

Source: El Paso Creek
Season: January 1 to December 31
Amount: 8.5 cfs, direct diversion;
Storage: 88 afa
Place of use: 665 acres
Purpose of use: Irrigation

Summary of Permit 21179

Source: Tecuya Creek
Season: January 1 to December 31
Amount: 1.2 cfs, direct diversion
Place of use: 60 acres
Purpose of use: Irrigation

Summary of Permit 21180

Source: Liveoak Creek
Season: January 1 to December 31
Amount: 35 cfs, direct diversion
Storage: 2,800 afa
Place of use: 14,508 acres
Purpose of use: Irrigation

Summary of Permit 21181

Source: Pastoria Creek
Season: January 1 to December 31
Amount: 34 cfs, direct diversion
Storage: 2,800 afa
Place of use: 14,508 acres
Purpose of use: Irrigation

Summary of Permit 21182

Source: Grapevine Creek
Season: January 1 to December 31
Amount: 29.5 cfs, direct diversion
Storage: 2,800 afa
Place of use: 14,508 acres
Purpose of use: Irrigation

Time to Complete Beneficial Use:

Existing: December 31, 2014

Extension Requested with Amended Petitions: December 31, 2036 (22-year extension from the original permit deadline)

Pursuant to California Water Code section 1703.1, any interested person may file a protest to the proposed changes. Protests filed in response to this notice should be submitted to the persons listed below and must be received by the Division by 4:30 p.m. on **November 2, 2026**. Protests may be provided via email prior to the deadline; however, a copy of the original signed letter of protest must be subsequently filed with the Division. Protest requirements and submittal information can be found here: https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water_issues/programs/applications/docs/protestsubmittalinfo.pdf

Send protests to both:

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Date of Notice: **October 2, 2026**