
State Water Resources Control Board

Notice of Minor Change to Water Right Application A030698

The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) has initiated a minor change under Water Code section 1700.4, seeking to make changes to pending water right application A030698 of Sydney Apartments, Inc. The project associated with the application and minor change is in Napa County and would divert water from the Wooden Valley Creek stream system.

Summary of Water Right Application A030698

Date of Filing: The application was filed with the State Water Board on April 21, 1998.

Sources of Water: The sources of water are two unnamed streams, which are tributary to Wooden Valley Creek thence Suisun Creek thence Chadbourne Slough thence Wells Slough thence Suisun Slough thence Suisun Bay.

Amount: The maximum amount of water requested for diversion is 288 acre-feet per year, as follows:

- Point of Diversion 1: Water would be collected to onstream storage in a reservoir with a capacity of 128 acre-feet and diverted to storage at point 2 at a maximum rate of 10 cubic feet per second.
- Point of Diversion 2: Water would be collected to onstream storage in a reservoir with a capacity of 125 acre-feet.
- Point of Diversion 3: Water would be collected to onstream storage in a reservoir with a capacity of 15 acre-feet.
- Point of Diversion 4: Water would be collected to onstream storage in a reservoir with a capacity of 15 acre-feet.
- Point of Diversion 5: Water that is diverted at point 6 would be stored in a reservoir with a capacity of 5 acre-feet.
- Point of Diversion 6: Water would be diverted to point 5 for storage at a maximum rate of 10 cubic feet per second.

Season of Diversion: The season for diversion of water is from October 1 of each year through May 31 of the succeeding year.

Points of Diversion: Water will be diverted from six points:

- Point of Diversion 1 is located North 2,400 feet and East 2,700 feet from the Southwest corner of projected Section 9, within the Northwest quarter of the Southeast quarter of projected Section 9, Township 6 North, Range 3 West, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.
- Point of Diversion 2 is located South 2,500 feet and East 3,850 feet from the Northwest corner of projected Section 9, within the Southwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of projected Section 9, Township 6 North, Range 3 West, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.
- Point of Diversion 3 is located South 100 feet and East 2,300 feet from the Northwest corner of projected Section 9, within the Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter of projected Section 9, Township 6 North, Range 3 West, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.
- Point of Diversion 4 is located North 600 feet and East 3,350 feet from the Southwest corner of projected Section 4, within the Southwest quarter of the Southeast quarter of projected Section 4, Township 6 North, Range 3 West, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.
- Point of Diversion 5 is located South 2,450 feet and East 3,100 feet from the Northwest corner of projected Section 4, within the Southwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of projected Section 4, Township 6 North, Range 3 West, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.
- Point of Diversion 6 is located South 2,300 feet and East 1,200 feet from the Northwest corner of projected Section 4, within the Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of projected Section 4, Township 6 North, Range 3 West, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Purposes of Use: The purposes of use for water are irrigation, frost protection, heat control, and recreational.

Places of Use: The places of use for recreational use is at the reservoirs. The place of use for irrigation, frost protection, and heat control is 153 acres as follows: 58 acres within projected Section 4 and 95 acres within projected Section 9, all within Township 6 North, Range 3 West, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Summary of Minor Change

Sources of Water: The sources of water have not changed.

Season of Diversion: The season for diversion of water has changed from October 1 of each year through May 31 of the succeeding year to October 1 of each year through March 31 of the succeeding year.

Amount: The maximum amount of water requested for diversion has been reduced to 93.7 acre-feet per year, as follows:

- Point of Diversion 1: The onstream reservoir has been removed. The maximum rate of diversion would be changed to 0.65 cubic foot per second. Water would still be diverted to onstream storage at point 2, but a new (proposed) offstream reservoir A and a new (existing) storage tank are added as destinations for storage of diverted water.
- Point of Diversion 2: The reservoir capacity has been changed to 49 acre-feet. A new (proposed) offstream reservoir A and a new (existing) storage tank are added as destinations for storage of diverted water at a maximum rate of 1 cubic foot per second.
- Point of Diversion 3: The reservoir capacity has been changed to 5 acre-feet.
- Point of Diversion 4: The reservoir capacity has been changed to 3.7 acre-feet.
- Point of Diversion 5: This point of diversion has been removed.
- Point of Diversion 6: This point of diversion has been removed.

Points of Diversion: Points of diversion 5 and 6 have been removed.

Purposes of Use: The purposes of use for water have not changed.

Places of Use: The place of use for recreational use at the reservoirs has not changed. The place of use for irrigation, frost protection, heat control has been changed to 85.9 acres as follows: 3.9 acres within projected Section 4 and 82 acres within projected Section 9, all within Township 6 North, Range 3 West, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Water Rights Records Database

Documentation related to the application and minor change 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 Geographic Information System viewer

Procedure for Filing Comments

Pursuant to Water Code section 1700.4, any interested person may submit comments regarding the proposed minor change. Comments must be received by the Division of Water Rights by **4:30 p.m. on June 3, 2024**.

Contact Information

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Date of Notice: The date that this public notice was issued is May 17, 2024.