
State Water Resources Control Board

Notice of Water Right Application T033287

Central California Irrigation District filed a temporary water right permit application with the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board), Division of Water Rights, pursuant to Water Code section 1433 et seq. The project associated with the application is located in Stanislaus County and would divert water from the Orestimba Creek. The Applicant requests authorization to appropriate surface water for underground storage as described below. Any correspondence directed to the Applicant should be mailed to:

Central California Irrigation District
Attn: Ben Fenters
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Summary of Water Right Application T033287

Type of Temporary Permit: 5-Year

Date of Filing: The application was filed with the State Water Board on November 16, 2022.

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

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 5-year temporary permit application requests diversion commencing December 1, 2023, for a five-year period. The annual season for diversion of water would be from December 1 to March 31.

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.

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.

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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.

Use Accounting: Water stored underground would be extracted by four overlying District wells and measured with flowmeters for irrigation use within the Applicant's service area for irrigation use during the following years.

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 Objections

Pursuant to Water Code section 1428, any interested person may file an objection against the approval of the subject application. Objections should be submitted via email to the staff contact listed below but may also be submitted via regular mail or hand delivered. If objections are sent by mail or hand delivered, please provide a courtesy email to the staff contact listed below.

Objections must be received by the Division of Water Rights or postmarked by **4:30 p.m.** on **January 25, 2023**, with copy provided to the applicant. The State Water Board may, for good cause shown, allow additional time to file an objection.

Pursuant to Water Code section 1428, the board may issue a temporary permit in advance of public notice. Consequently, a temporary permit may be issued on the application before the end of the noticing period.

Contact Information

Please direct all requests and inquiries regarding this notice to Julian Storelli at (916) 323-0064 or Julian.Storelli@waterboards.ca.gov. Written correspondence should be addressed to:

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

Date of Notice: The date that this public notice was issued is December 21, 2022.