How to Be Made Agent of a Water Right in CalWATRS

- 1. Create a CalWATRS account. If you need help with this step, please review this guide: waterboards.ca.gov/upward/calwatrs/resources/creating-an-account.pdf.
- 2. Log in to your CalWATRS account.
- 3. Use the following link to access the "Change of Ownership or Agent" page: calwatrs.waterboards.ca.gov/portal/s/coolandingpage.*
- 4. Click the "Start Change of Ownership or Agent" button.



5. Agree to the notice.

Notice Pursuant To Information Practices Act of 1977 (Civ. Code, § 1798.17)

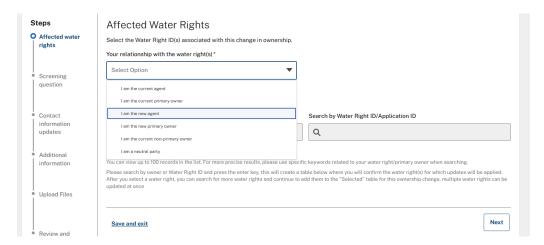
The State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Water Rights, is requesting personal information on this form. This form shall become a public record upon receipt by the State Water Resources Control Board. The submission of personal information designated with an asterisk (*) is mandatory. Please note that a post office box may be used as a mailing address in place of a physical address. Failure to provide mandatory personal information can result in rejection of the form. Submission of all other personal information is voluntary, but omission of the requested voluntary personal information may delay the State Water Resources Control Board's processing of the form.

The State Water Resources Control Board is authorized to collect and maintain this personal information by Water Code section 1260. The personal information is collected to comply with statutory requirements under Water Code sections 1250 et seq. and 1425 et seq., and to facilitate processing of this application. The State Water Resources Control Board is required by Water Code sections 1300 et seq. and 1428 to provide a notice of the application that contains the designated mandatory information on this form. The State Water Resources Control Board may post the application to its internet website and will mail the application upon the request of any person.

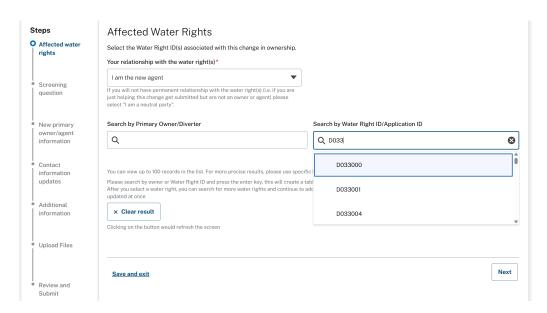
The State Water Resources Control Board official responsible for this system of records is Matthew Jay, Associate Governmental Program Analyst, whose business address is 1001 | Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814 and whose business telephone is (916) 341-5300. Upon request, the State Water Resources Control Board official shall inform an individual regarding the location of his or her records and the categories of any persons who use the information in these records. Any member of the public may inspect the information collected in this form by contacting the State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Water Rights by mail at P.O. Box 2000, Sacramento, CA 95812-2000, by fax at (916) 341-5400, by telephone at (916) 341-5300 or by e-mail at dur@waterboards.ca.gov, or by appearing in person at the State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Water Rights records room located at 1001 | Street, 2nd Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814 during normal business hours.



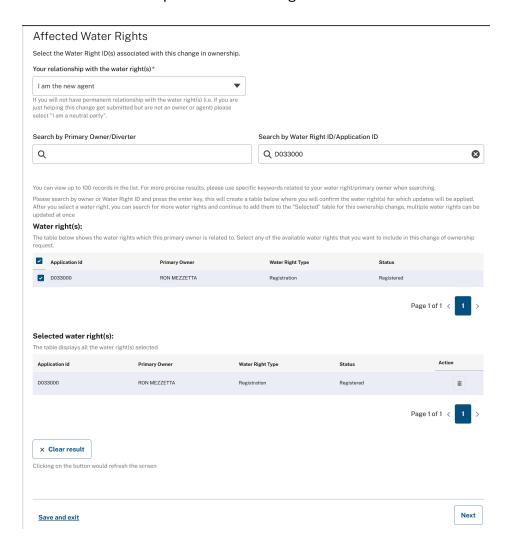
6. Under "Your relationship with the water right(s)", indicate "I am the new agent".



7. Search by either "primary owner" or "water right ID" to find the water right you want to become agent for.



8. Select the checkbox next to the water right. You can search for more water rights if needed. Once you check the box next to all the rights you want to become agent for, click "Next" and complete the remaining instructions.



- 9. Your request will be reviewed by State Water Board staff. This can take two to six weeks depending on the complexity of the request. There can only be one agent for each water right, so if one has already been designated in CalWATRS, State Water Board staff will contact you.
- 10. Once your request is approved, the water right(s) will appear on your "My Water Rights" and "My Annual Reports" pages and you will be able to manage and report for them.
- * You can also access the "Change of Ownership or Agent" page by clicking the "Online Services" button at the top of your CalWATRS dashboard. From there, select the "Water Rights Request" tab and click "Next" on the "Change of Ownership" tile. (See the two screenshots below)

