



State Water Resources Control Board



Division of Water Rights

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NOTICE OF PETITION FOR TIME EXTENSION FOR PERMIT 10478 OF EAST BAY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT

PERMIT: 10478 (Application 13156)
DATE PETITION FILED: November 27, 2000

COUNTIES: Amador and San Joaquin
STREAM SYSTEM: Mokelumne River

Notice is hereby given that East Bay Municipal Utility District (EBMUD) has filed a petition for an extension of time for water right Permit 10478. The State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) will determine whether an order approving a time extension should be granted for the permit and, if so, whether conditions are needed in the order to protect the environment, the public interest, and downstream water users. This notice provides a description of the proposed project and also describes the procedure and time frame for submittal of protests against the petition. This notice may be viewed at the Division of Water Rights' (Division) website at www.waterrights.ca.gov. Any correspondence directed to the petitioner should be mailed to:

East Bay Municipal Utility District
c/o Jylana Collins, General Counsel
375 Eleventh Street
Oakland, CA 94607-4240

Description of Project

EBMUD was issued water right Permit 10478 on July 3, 1956. Under Permit 10478, EBMUD has diverted and stored water at Pardee and Camanche Reservoirs in Amador and San Joaquin Counties to provide municipal water supply to the East San Francisco Bay metropolitan area. Permit 10478 originally allowed EBMUD until December 1, 1980 to complete construction of facilities and December 1, 2000 for complete application of the water to its beneficial use. EBMUD has requested a 40-year extension of time to put the water under Permit 10478 to beneficial use to allow EBMUD to satisfy the water needs resulting from future population increases.

Summary of Permit 10478

Counties: Amador and San Joaquin
Source: Mokelumne River
Points of
Diversion: Pardee Reservoir: NW ¼ of SW ¼ of Section 26, T5N, R10E, MDB&M
Camanche Reservoir: SE ¼ of SE ¼ of Section 6, T4N, R9E, MDB&M
Amount: 194 cubic feet per second of direct diversion
353,000 acre-feet (af) per year of storage
* Combined diversion limit of 434,962 af per year
Season: December 1 through July 1 for direct diversion
December 1 through July 1 for storage
Purpose: Municipal
Place of Use: EBMUD's service area covering 360 square miles and comprising the cities of Alameda, Albany, Berkeley, El Cerrito, Emeryville, Oakland, Piedmont, Richmond, San Leandro, San Pablo, and the City of Brentwood and unincorporated areas in Alameda and Contra Costa Counties, and generally located within Township 1, 2, 3, 4, South and 1 and 2 North, Ranges 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 West and 2 East, MDB&M, as shown on maps on file at the office of the State Water Board.

Environmental Information

The lead agency will prepare the appropriate environmental documents for the project according to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and its guidelines, and will determine whether or not the project will cause a significant effect on the environment. If you are not filing a protest, but wish to submit information that indicates the project may cause a significant effect on the environment, please send this information to Steven Herrera; State Water Board, Division of Water Rights; P.O. Box 2000; Sacramento, CA 95812-2000. This information will be reviewed in accordance with CEQA.

Protest Requirements

A person may file a protest based on any of the following factors:

- Interference with prior water rights.
- Adverse environmental impact.
- Not in the public interest.
- Contrary to law.
- Not within the jurisdiction of the State Water Board.

Procedure for Submitting Protests

Protests should be submitted on standard protest forms available from the Division's website at http://www.waterrights.ca.gov/forms/pro_pet.pdf or upon request from the Division. Any requests or the submittal of the completed protest form should be directed to the individual listed as the contact person at the end of this notice. **A copy of the completed protest form must also be mailed to the petitioner.**

Protests submitted in response to this notice must be received by the Division by 3:00 p.m. on **February 9, 2007** (the close of the protest period). Protests may be submitted by any of the following methods:

1. Mailed to Division of Water Rights; P. O. Box 2000; Sacramento, CA 95812-2000
2. Faxed to the Division at (916) 341-5400
3. E-mailed to the engineer listed below under the heading "Contact Person"
4. Hand-delivered to the Division office located at 1001 "I" Street, 2nd Floor (File Room), Sacramento, CA

If you choose to fax or e-mail the protest, the fax or e-mail must be followed by timely delivery of an original signed copy to the Division in order for the protest to be accepted. **Protests not submitted by the close of the protest period will be subject to rejection.**

For good cause, the State Water Board may grant an extension of time to file a protest. It is the protestant's responsibility to contact the engineer listed below as "Contact Person" to request the extension prior to the end of the protest period.

Contact Person

To obtain additional information regarding this project, or to obtain copies of protest forms, or general information pamphlets, please contact Kate Gaffney by phone at (916) 341-5360 or by electronic mail at kgaffney@waterboards.ca.gov. Information and protest forms are also available at the Division's website: www.waterrights.ca.gov/forms/.

Date of Notice:

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