

From: Saxton, Craig
Sent: Wednesday, May 11, 2011 1:22 PM
To: Price, Fred (BLM)
Cc: Padilla, Cherie
Subject: FW: Water Right Permits 74-7353, 74-7354, and 74-7355

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Hello Fred,

We are looking at issuing a couple of licenses for BLM stockwater permits and were hoping to gather some information (see below). I contacted the regional office by phone and e-mail and did receive a call sometime last week from the field office telling me that they didn't have any of that information and that I should contact you.

So I thought I would drop you a line and see if you were the right person to talk to about gathering some diversion rate information on the springs identified below.

Are you the right person to talk to? Could you let me know if I should speak with someone else.

Thanks for your time,

Craig Saxton

From: Saxton, Craig
Sent: Friday, April 22, 2011 10:46 AM
To: 'narave@blm.gov'
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Hey Nate,

This e-mail is a follow up to the voice mail I left you earlier this morning.

The permits I have questions about are:

74-7353 – Source is identified as a spring, but comments state that source is locally known as **Meadow Creek Spring**.
74-7354 - Source is identified as a spring, but comments state that source is locally known as **Cope Spring**.
74-7355 - Source is identified as a spring, but comments state that source is locally known as **Willow Spring**.

Bob Foster conducted a field exam in 2008, but did not identify anything that would show the capacity or diversion rate of the individual systems. 74-7354 and 74-7355 both have other water rights that share the same point of diversion.

I was wondering if there are some design plans or measurement data that could help us figure out how much each system can produce so we can accurately license a diversion rate. In addition, do you have any information in the number of cattle that use these troughs? We have numbers on the applications, but, again, the field exam doesn't give us any idea how much water is being put to beneficial use.

Any information you can provide would be greatly appreciated. Or, if there is someone else I should speak with, could you let me know or forward this e-mail to that person.

Thanks,

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