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Good morning Scott,

I appreciate your response. Are you aware of when the use of that system for the village buildings stopped, and the use for misters began? Some evidence reflecting when the use was changed from supplying water to the village buildings to the misters will be needed, as well as where the misters supplied are located. The original system diverted water from the creek to each building through 6" pipelines. Those diversion works would likely provide far too much water and pressure for a mister system. Can you please provide any details about the current diversion works and their capacity?

Keep in mind that 5 years of nonuse would constitute forfeiture of a water right, and the adjudication does not prevent the acquisition of new water rights there in the future. If a water right is needed in the future for snow making, an Application for Permit can be submitted for that purpose when that time comes.

Thanks,

~ Evan

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Hi Evan:

I spoke with the folks at Schweitzer Water Company (SWC), and they let me know that the point of diversion for the above referenced water right is still in place. Please see the attached placemark in Google Earth for the approximate location.

The source is no longer utilized for supply to the village buildings, but they do still use it periodically for running misters in the summer at the base of the chair lift. SWC would like to keep the water right in place for anticipated future needs, which may include using it as a source for snowmaking. Is this an option, and if yes, how would they go about keeping it active?

Thank you.



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