
State Water Resources Control Board

Notice of Water Right Application A033334

Palomino Estates Mutual Water Company has filed an application to appropriate water by permit with the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board), Division of Water Rights. The project associated with the application is in Humboldt County and would divert water from the South Fork Eel River stream system.

Summary of Water Right Application A033334

Date of Filing: The application was filed with the State Water Board on October 26, 2022.

Source of Water: The source of water is the East Branch South Fork Eel River tributary to the South Fork Eel River thence the Eel River.

Amount: The maximum amount of water requested for diversion is 8.6 acre-feet per year to be diverted at a maximum rate of 0.025 cubic feet per second.

Season of Diversion: The season for diversion of water is from January 1 through December 31 of each year.

Point of Diversion: The point of diversion is located at North 1,913,161 feet and East 6,068,446 feet by California Coordinate System, Zone 1, North American Datum 1983, within the Northeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 32, Township 4 South, Range 4 East, Humboldt Base and Meridian.

Purpose of Use: The purposes of use for water are domestic and stockwatering.

Place of Use: The places of use for water are 70 acres for domestic and stockwatering uses within the Palomino Estates Mutual Water Company service area. All of the places of use are within Section 32, Township 4 South, Range 4 East, Humboldt Base and Meridian.

Water Rights Records Database

Documentation related to the 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

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- 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 Protests

Pursuant to Water Code section 1330, any interested person may file a protest against the approval of the subject application. Protests should be submitted via email to the staff contact listed below but may also be submitted via regular mail or hand delivered. If protests are sent by mail or hand delivered, please provide a courtesy email to the staff contact listed below. Protests must be received by the Division of Water Rights or postmarked by **4:30 p.m. on June 6, 2023**, with copy provided to the applicant. The State Water Board may, for good cause shown, allow additional time to file a protest. For more information regarding protests, please refer to the following web page:

https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water_issues/programs/applications/docs/protests.pdf

Contact Information

Please direct all requests and inquiries regarding this notice to Mark Matranga at mark.matranga@waterboards.ca.gov or (916) 327-3112 (email is the preferred means of communication). Written correspondence should be addressed to:

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

All written correspondence directed to the applicant should be addressed to:

Palomino Estates Mutual Water Company, c/o Brelje and Race Consulting
Engineers, Attn: John S. Locey, 475 Aviation Blvd, Santa Rosa, CA 95403

Date of Notice: The date that this public notice was issued is April 27, 2023.