

Highlights of Water Year 2003

■ Administrative Regulation Activities

District	Stream System	Date of Call	Extent of Regulation	Calling Party
1	Beaver Creek	6/9/2003	1886	Yellowstone Ranches Inc.
1	Middle Fork Popo Agie River	7/21/2003	1882	Cemetery Ditch Co.
1	Baldwin Creek	7/21/2003	1875	Don Greene
1	Little Popo Agie River	7/29/2003	Res. Delivery	Robert McClurg
5	Owl Creek	4/10/2003	1868	Owl Ck. Irr. Dist.
6	Nowood River	8/11/2003	12/17/1900	John Joyce
7	Shell Creek	7/15/2003	6/11/1904	Shell Canal Board
7	Trapper Creek	4/22/2003	6/11/1904	Irvin Flora
8	Greybull River (lower division)	4/17/2003	1890	Farmers Canal Board et al.
9	Jim Creek	4/18/2003	1890	Gene Lansing
10	Bennett & Little Rocky Creek	4/23/2003	4/19/1901	Carol Bell
11	Medicine Lodge Creek	8/5/2003	4/16/1900	Paint Rock Angus Ranch
13	Gooseberry Creek	4/8/2003	1901 then dry	Barry Richardson
14	Cottonwood Creek	4/24/2003	1904	ER Ranch
16	Greybull River (upper division)	*See dist. 8		

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- Weekly Accounting on Shoshone River, District 10
- Daily Accounting on Wind/Bighorn River above Worland, District 3

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- **Greybull River Leveling Program**
 - Highly Variable Diurnal Snowmelt Stream flow
 - Gage & Divert majority of flow into Roach Gulch Reservoir today and Release it at even rate tomorrow.
- Benefits include administrative manageability, informed user decisions, efficient use of storage, smoothes the whole river

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- Hamilton Dome By-product water issue.
- Challenge in Shell area to Newest Statute WS. 41-5-111, dealing with the removal of un-authorized obstructions placed in canals.
- Efforts to get un-recorded exchange agreements legalized. Primarily on Greybull River system and Upper Wind River system

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- Discontinued Conveyance water credits
- Effort to reduce backlog of proof inspections.
 - Inherited a backlog of 700 – 800 inspections. Dating back to 1985.
 - Have trained two additional staff to work on these.
 - 35 Inspections completed this fall

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- Increase use of available technologies
 - GIS, GPS, Gage Records reduction
- Databases
 - New Permits – tracking
 - Diversion records
- Email, Web presence
 - Most Hydrographers have email now.

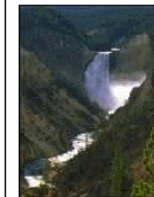
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- State Engineer's Home page
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Welcome to the Wyoming State Engineer's Office



Welcome to the new Wyoming State Engineer's Office website! In an effort to improve our service to our Public we have enhanced the capabilities, updated information, upgraded the technology used to present our agency's web offerings. You are encouraged to give us feedback on ways we can improve the site, provide more information, or just comment on the "look and feel" of the newly updated site. We here to serve you!

Among the enhancements you will find:

- Improved electronic forms for printing and filing (be sure to follow instructions for paper requirements)
- Initial access to our Water Rights Database (note the disclaimer for use of all database products)
- Availability of some scanned images in the near future -- we are working hard to make these more completely available over time
- Increased ease of access, better organization, and updated document postings

Thanks for your visit to this site!

Wyoming Water Rights Database

Search for water rights information by

- Drainage Facility
- Permit Number
- Subdivision (Ground/Surface Water)
- Township, Range, Section and Quarter
- Well Applicant
- Well Location

Mission

The mission of the Wyoming State Engineer's Office and Board of Control is to provide for the general supply and protection of both inter- and intra-state waters of this state. This includes the appropriation, distribution and application to beneficial use of water as provided under the prior appropriation doctrine, and to maintain the flexibility within that framework to meet the changing needs of the citizens of Wyoming. The State Engineer's Office collects, analyzes, maintains and provides water-related information for ensuring the appropriate management and regulation of Wyoming's water resources.

Goals and Objectives

Goal: To provide the proper regulation, administration, management, and protection of the waters of the state of Wyoming (Wyoming Constitution, Article 9 and W.S. Title 41).


- Objective 1: Water being put to beneficial use in the state is permitted and is applied to beneficial use in accordance with state law.
- Objective 2: Aggressively protect Wyoming's apportionments provided through various interstate compacts and decrees to which Wyoming is a party.
- Objective 3: Gather, analyze and publish data regarding Wyoming water resources for administration, registration and management purposes.
- Objective 4: Educate the public and agency personnel in water resource issues and make information from the SEO available to the public.


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- Wyoming Water Rights Database
 - Permit Number
 - Legal Description
 - Drainage Facility
 - Subdivision
 - Applicant Name
- Documents and Downloadable Forms



Search By Permit Number

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