

Summary

This is an application for an absolute water right and a plan for augmentation including exchange. Applicant seeks an absolute water right with an October 15, 1971 appropriation date for a well pond system where water will be stored in a structure that intercepts groundwater tributary to Snowmass Creek. Applicant also seeks to augment depletions directly or by exchange of water released downstream of the points of depletion. This application contains a claim under C.R.S. 37-92-102(3)(b) for uses in existence prior to instream flow water rights.

CWCB Appropriations

The CWCB holds the following instream flow water rights that could be injured by this application:

CWCB Case No.	Stream/Lake	Amount (cfs)	Approp. Date	Watershed	County
5-76W2943B	Snowmass Creek	11/12	1/14/1976	Roaring Fork	Pitkin
5-92CW281*	Snowmass Creek	10.5	9/15/1992	Roaring Fork	Pitkin
5-76W2943A	Snowmass Creek	12	1/14/1976	Roaring Fork	Pitkin
5-92CW280*	Snowmass Creek	3	9/15/1992	Roaring Fork	Pitkin
5-85CW646	Roaring Fork River	30/55	11/8/1985	Roaring Fork	Pitkin, Eagle

Potential for Injury

The proposed plan for augmentation and exchange may not replace depletions in the amount, timing or location at which they occur, which could injure the CWCB's instream flow water rights.

Other Objectors

Other Objectors include Snowmass Capitol Creek Caucus and Snowmass Water and Sanitation District.

