

Form No.  
GWS-25

**OFFICE OF THE STATE ENGINEER**  
**COLORADO DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES**  
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**WELL PERMIT NUMBER** 80936 -F -  
DIV. 1 WD 2 DES. BASIN MD

APPLICANT

BRANNAN SAND & GRAVEL COMPANY LLC  
2500 BRANNAN WY  
DENVER, CO 80229-

(303) 534-1231

APPROVED WELL LOCATION

WELD COUNTY

1/4 1/4 Section 20  
Township 1 N Range 66 W Sixth P.M.

DISTANCES FROM SECTION LINES

Ft. from Section Line

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UTM COORDINATES (Meters, Zone: 13, NAD83)

Easting:

Northing:

**PERMIT TO EXPOSE WATER IN A PIT**

ISSUANCE OF THIS PERMIT DOES NOT CONFER A WATER RIGHT

**CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL**

- 1) This well shall be used in such a way as to cause no material injury to existing water rights. The issuance of this permit does not assure the applicant that no injury will occur to another vested water right or preclude another owner of a vested water right from seeking relief in a civil court action.
- 2) The construction of this well shall be in compliance with the Water Well Construction Rules 2 CCR 402-2, unless approval of a variance has been granted by the State Board of Examiners of Water Well Construction and Pump Installation Contractors in accordance with Rule 18.
- 3) Approved pursuant to CRS 37-90-137 (2) and (11) for the construction and operation of a well (gravel pit) in accordance with the substitute water supply plan (SWSP) approved by the State Engineer on May 5, 2017, for the for the Valley's Edge Resource Gravel Pit, Division of Reclamation Mining and Safety Permit Number M-16-030. The well (pond) shall not be operated unless it is included in an SWSP approved by the State Engineer or a plan for augmentation approved by the Water Court. The SWSP for this pit is currently valid through April 30, 2018 and if it is not extended or if a court decree is not entered for a plan for augmentation, diversion of ground water from this well must cease immediately.
- 4) The average annual amount of ground water to be appropriated shall not exceed 50 acre-feet with the total surface area of the proposed ground water pond limited to 5 acres, or the amounts covered under a water court approved plan for augmentation or substitute water supply plan approved by the State Engineer, whichever is less. No additional water surface area shall be exposed unless a permit therefor is approved.
- 5) The use of ground water is limited to evaporation loss, water used for dust control, and water lost with the mined product. No other use of water is allowed unless a permit therefor is approved.
- 6) The owner shall mark the well (pond) in a conspicuous place with well permit number(s) and court case number(s) as appropriate. The owner shall take necessary means and precautions to preserve these markings.
- 7) A totalizing flow meter or other measuring device acceptable to the Division Engineer must be installed so as to measure any pumping from this gravel pit pond and maintained in good working order. Permanent records of all diversions from the gravel pit pond, tonnage of mined product, and the surface area of ground water exposure shall be maintained by the well owner (recorded at least annually) and submitted to the Division Engineer upon request.
- 8) Pursuant to Rule 9.3.3 of the Water Well Construction Rules, ground water ponds and gravel pit wells are exempt from the minimum well construction and location standards except for contamination considerations as stated in the Rule. The owner shall take necessary means and precautions to prevent contaminants from entering the ground water pond or gravel pit well.
- 9) Pursuant to Rule 17.1.5 of the Water Well Construction Rules, the owner shall submit, after initiation of construction, site plan and cross section drawings showing the extent of intended excavation, the maximum depth of the pit or pond, the initial static water level, and the date of initial ground water exposure to the atmosphere.
- 10) The boundaries of the gravel pit pond shall be more than 600 feet from any existing well constructed in the same source, that is not owned by the applicant.
- 11) This well is subject to administration by the Division Engineer in accordance with applicable decrees, statutes, rules, and regulations.

APPROVED  
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State Engineer

*Dick Wolfe*

by

*Kareyn Armstrong*

By

Receipt No. 3677658

DATE ISSUED

05-18-2017

EXPIRATION DATE

05-18-2018