

STATE OF WASHINGTON  
DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY  
APPLICATION FOR CHANGE

**REPORT OF EXAMINATION**

TO APPROPRIATE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

Surface Water (Issued in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 117, Laws of Washington for 1917, and amendments thereto, and the rules and regulations of the Department of Ecology.)

Ground Water (Issued in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 263, Laws of Washington for 1945, and amendments thereto, and the rules and regulations of the Department of Ecology.)

PRIORITY DATE July 16, 1982	APPLICATION NUMBER G2-26200	PERMIT NUMBER G2-26200	CERTIFICATE NUMBER G2-26200
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NAME Public Utility District No. 1 of Clallam County			
ADDRESS (STREET) P.O. Box 1090	(CITY) Port Angeles	(STATE) Washington	(ZIP CODE) 98362-1090

**PUBLIC WATERS TO BE APPROPRIATED**

SOURCE 2 wells (Haller wells)
TRIBUTARY OF (IF SURFACE WATERS)

MAXIMUM CUBIC FEET PER SECOND	MAXIMUM GALLONS PER MINUTE 100	MAXIMUM ACRE-FEET PER YEAR 120 (supplemental)
QUANTITY, TYPE OF USE, PERIOD OF USE 120 acre-feet per year	Multiple domestic supply	Year-round, as needed

**LOCATION OF DIVERSION/WITHDRAWAL**

APPROXIMATE LOCATION OF DIVERSION--WITHDRAWAL 100 feet north and 100 feet east of the west quarter corner of Section 32.
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LOCATED WITHIN (SMALLEST LEGAL SUBDIVISION) SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	SECTION 32	TOWNSHIP N. 30	RANGE, (E. OR W.) W.M. 3W	W.R.I.A. 18	COUNTY Clallam
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**RECORDED PLATTED PROPERTY**

LOT	BLOCK	OF (GIVE NAME OF PLAT OR ADDITION)
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**LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY ON WHICH WATER IS TO BE USED**

Present and future service areas provided water by Public Utility District No. 1 of Clallam County within that part of the Dungeness Sequim Valley lying easterly of the Dungeness River; southerly of U.S. Highway 101; northerly of the Bonneville Power Administration transmission line corridor; and westerly of the east lines of Sections 28 and 33, Township 30 North, Range 3 West, W.M. and Section 4, Township 29 North, Range 3 West, W.M., Clallam County, Washington.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED WORKS

2 wells

DEVELOPMENT SCHEDULE

BEGIN PROJECT BY THIS DATE: Started	COMPLETE PROJECT BY THIS DATE: Completed	WATER PUT TO FULL USE BY THIS DATE: In use 2-1-2003
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REPORT

BACKGROUND:

On July 20, 1994, the Public Utility District No. 1 of Clallam County filed four Applications for Change to amend the place of use on three existing water right certificates and one permit. The applications were accepted for processing under the original certificate numbers G2-24327, G2-26200, G2-26196, and permit number G2-27140.

A public notice of the proposed changes was published in The Peninsula Daily News. No objections to the proposed changes were received.

Based on the provisions of Chapters 90.03 and 90.44 Revised Code of Washington (RCW), I recommend issuance of three superseding certificates and an amended permit.

INVESTIGATION:

From my review of Department of Ecology files, the following is reported.

Ground water certificate G2-26200 has a priority date of July 16, 1962. This certificate authorizes the Highland Hills Development the withdrawal of 100 gpm, for community domestic supply. The right is issued for 120 acre-feet supplemental to existing rights.

Ground water certificate G2-24327 has a priority date of October 27, 1976. The certificate authorizes Delhur, Inc., the withdrawal of 45 gallons per minute, 24 acre-feet per year, from a well for community domestic supply. This source well is known as the Holgerson well, and it has historically supplied the residents of Happy Valley Estates II.

Ground water certificate G2-26196 has a priority date of July 14, 1982. This certificate authorizes KGDT, Inc., the withdrawal of 380 gpm, 350 acre-feet per year, from three wells for community domestic supply, partially supplemental to existing rights. These wells are known as the Loma Vista Wells. Water Right Certificate No.s G2-21241, G2-21728, and G2-25174 have also been issued for the wells. The combined annual withdrawal under all four rights associated with the Loma Vista wells shall not exceed 350 acre-feet per year.

Ground water permit G2-27140 has a priority date of March 19, 1987. The permit authorizes the Evergreen Water Company the withdrawal of 277 gpm, 225 acre-feet per year for community domestic supply, also from the Holgerson well. The right was subsequently assigned to the Clallam County Public Utility District.

Combined, under these filings, water rights transferred to the PUD amount to 599 acre-feet - primary, with 120 acre-feet supplemental to existing rights:

G2-24327	45 gpm	24 ac-ft	Holgerson Well
G2-27140	277 gpm	225 ac-ft	Holgerson Well
G2-26200	100 gpm	120 ac-ft	Haller Wells
G2-26196	380 gpm	350 ac-ft	Loma Vista Wells

802 gpm 599 ac-ft (primary)

The intent of these Applications for Change is to change the legal place of use to reflect the operation of the integrated system by the Clallam County Public Utility District. The PUD wishes to serve water throughout the system's service area. No increase in gallons per minute or in annual allocation is required.

CONCLUSION:

In accordance with Chapters 90.03 and 90.44 RCW, I find that changing the place of use, as recommended, does not impair existing rights or become detrimental to public welfare.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

I recommend the approval of these Applications for Change and the issuance of Superseding Certificates to change the place of use on ground water rights G2-26200, G2-26196, G2-24327, and the issuance of an amended permit for water right G2-27140:

These rights are subject to the following provisions:

"Ground water certificate G2-26200 is issued for 120 acre-feet supplemental to existing rights."

Installation and maintenance of an access port as described in WAC 173-160-355 is required. An air line and gauge may be installed in addition to the access port.

The water source and/or water transmission facilities are not wholly located upon land owned by the applicant. Issuance of a permit by this department for appropriation of the waters in question does not convey a right of access to, or other right to use, land which the applicant does not legally possess. Obtaining such a right is a private matter between applicant and owner of that land.

An approved metering device shall be installed and maintained in accordance with RCW 90.03.360, WAC 508-64-020 through -040 (installation, operation, and maintenance requirements are attached). Meter readings shall be recorded at least monthly.

Water levels shall be measured and recorded using a consistent methodology, in accordance with accepted industry standards. Such measurements shall be made at least monthly. The length of the pumping period or recovery period prior to each measurement shall be constant, and shall be included in the record.

REPORTED BY: Van Dulle Date: November 30, 1994

The statutory permit fee for this application is \$20.00.