

IN THE DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR WATER DIVISION NO. 4

STATE OF COLORADO

TO: ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN WATER APPLICATIONS IN SAID

WATER DIVISION NO. 4

Pursuant to C.R.S. 37-92-302, as amended, you are notified that the following is a resume of all applications filed in the Water Court during the month of January 2025. The names, address of applicant, source of water, description of water right or conditional water right involved, and description of the ruling sought are as follows:

The water right claimed by this application may affect in priority any water right claimed or heretofore adjudicated within this division, and owners of affected rights must appear to object and protest within the time provided by statute, or be forever barred.

CASE NO. 25CW3000 (REF NO 18CW3037, 11CW156). Ouray County - Uncompahgre River; SIR North, LLC; c/o John R. Pierce, DUFFORD WALDECK, 744 Horizon Court, Suite 300, Grand Junction, CO 81506, (970) 248-5865; APPLICATION TO MAKE CONDITIONAL WATER RIGHT ABSOLUTE AND REQUEST FOR FINDING OF DILIGENCE; Name and mailing address of Applicant: SIR North, LLC; P.O. Box 39; Ridgway, CO 81432; (970) 209-8026; Request to make absolute and for finding of reasonable diligence: Name of Structure: Gunn Pond; Description of conditional water right: Original decree: September 24, 2012, Case No. 2011CW156, Division 4; Subsequent decrees awarding diligence: January 22, 2019, 2018CW3037, Division 4; Legal Description of location of dam centerline: SW1/4NW1/4, S15, T46N, R8W of the N.M.P.M., 2,195 feet from the S section line and 910 feet from the W section line. UTM Coordinates: Zone 13S NAD83, Easting 260464m, Northing 4235756m; Height of dam: Measured vertically from the elevation of the lowest point of the natural surface of the ground where that point occurs along the longitudinal centerline of the dam up to the crest of the emergency spillway: 8 feet; Length of dam: 210 feet; Surface area of high-water line: 0.32 acres; Total capacity of pond in acre-feet: 1.12 a.f.; Source of water: Gunn Spring, located in the NE1/4SW1/4, Section 15, T46N, R8W of the N.M.P.M., 2,053 feet from the S section line and 1,340 feet from the W section line. UTM Coordinates: Zone 13S NAD83, Easting 260594m, Northing 4235696m; Appropriation Date: November 1, 2011; Amount: 0.66 a.f., conditional (1.12 a.f. total, of which 0.46 a.f. was decreed absolute in Case No. 2011CW0156); Use: Livestock watering after water is delivered from the Gunn Spring described above; Outline of what has been done toward completion of appropriation and application of water to beneficial use: In 2020, Applicant modified and improved the embankment and installed a culvert for the overflow from the pond. The Gunn Pond has been constructed to its full decreed capacity of 1.12 a.f.; If claim to make absolute in whole or in part; Date water applied to beneficial use: On or before August 1, 2020; Amount: 0.66 a.f. in addition to the 0.46 a.f. made absolute in Case No. 2011CW0156, for a total absolute amount of 1.12 a.f.; Use: Livestock watering after water is delivered from the Gunn Spring described above. If the court should make less than the full conditional amount absolute, Applicant requests a finding of diligence with regard to any remaining conditional right. (4 pages).
OURAY COUNTY.

CASE NO. 25CW1 (REF NO CA1288, CA1959, 17CW23) Applicant: Ashley Jackson-Baillie, 17185 Hwy 550, Ridgway, CO 81432. Application for Change of Water Right: Baillie Pump – SE1/4NE1/4 of Section 11, T44N, R8W, 6th P.M., Easting 0263100M, Northing 4217957M, Zone 13 NAD 83, Uncompahgre River. Appropriation Date: 05/15/1897. Amount claimed: 0.02844 cfs from priority 144A, 0.125 cfs from priority 64, 0.15344 cfs total 68.89 gpm for irrigation. Request for an alternate point of diversion between the Baillie Pump water rights and its original point of diversion the Ward Ditch. **OURAY COUNTY.**

CASE NO. 25CW2 Applicant: Jay Burton 250 Camp Joy Road, New Braunfels, TX 78130. Application for Conditional Surface Water Right: Burton Pump & Pipeline –Easting 297046, Northing 4210046, Zone 13, Lake Fork Gunnison River. Appropriation Date: 01/23/2025. Amount claimed: 15 gpm for domestic use in dwelling unit and irrigation of approximately 0.5 acres of lawn, garden, and landscaping trees, bushes and shrubbery. **HINSDALE COUNTY.**

CASE NO. 25CW3 (REF NO. 18CW45) Applicant: C Philip Volckhausen, 40570 O Road, Paonia, CO 81428. Application for Finding of Reasonable Diligence and to Make Absolute: Orphanage Farm Spring No 1 –NW1/4NE1/4 of Section 7, T14, R91W, 6th P.M., Easting 0274256, Northing 4303899, Gunnison River. Appropriation Date: 10/18/2018. Amount claimed: 12 gpm for irrigation for soil remediation, pasture, grass, grains and trees. Orphanage Farm Spring No 2 –NE1/4NW1/4 of Section 7, T14, R91W, 6th P.M., Easting 0274195, Northing 4303864, Gunnison River. Appropriation Date: 10/18/2018. Amount claimed: 12 gpm for irrigation for soil remediation, pasture, grass, grains and trees. Orphanage Farm Spring No 3 – NE1/4NW1/4 of Section 7, T14, R91W, 6th P.M., Easting 0274167, Northing 4303840, Gunnison River. Appropriation Date: 10/18/2018. Amount claimed: 12 gpm for irrigation for soil remediation, pasture, grass, grains and trees. Orphanage Farm Spring No 4 – NE1/4NW1/4 of Section 7, T14, R91W, 6th P.M., Easting 0274157, Northing 4303825, Gunnison River. Appropriation Date: 10/18/2018. Amount claimed: 12 gpm for irrigation for soil remediation, pasture, grass, grains and trees. Orphanage Farm Spring No 5 – NE1/4NW1/4 of Section 7, T14, R91W, 6th P.M., Easting 0274107, Northing 4303795, Gunnison River. Appropriation Date: 10/18/2018. Amount claimed: 14 gpm for irrigation for soil remediation, pasture, grass, grains and trees. The application on file with the Water Court contains an outline of the work performed during the diligence period. **DELTA COUNTY.**

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED THAT you have until the last day of March 2025 to file with the Water Clerk a Verified Statement of Opposition setting forth facts as to why a certain application should not be granted or why it should be granted only in part or on certain conditions. A copy of such a Statement of Opposition must also be served upon the applicant or the applicant's attorney and an affidavit of certificate of such service shall be filed with the Water Clerk, as prescribed by C.R.C.P. Rule 5. (Filing fee: \$192.00; Forms may be obtained from the Water Clerk's Office or on our website at Division 4 | Colorado Judicial Branch This publication can be viewed in its entirety on the state court website at: Division 4 | Colorado Judicial Branch.) FRED CASTLE, Water Clerk, Water Division 4, 1200 N. Grand Ave., Bin A, Montrose, CO 81401