



COLORADO
Division of Water Resources
Department of Natural Resources

**ABANDONMENT LIST OF
WATER RIGHTS IN WATER DIVISION 4**

July 1, 2020

The Division Engineer, in accordance with §37-92-401, Colorado Revised Statutes (2019), has compiled the list of absolute water rights that he or she “has determined to have been abandoned in whole or in part and which previously have not been adjudged to have been abandoned.”

If you wish to object to the inclusion of any water right on the Division Engineer’s abandonment list, you must file a written statement of objection with the Division Engineer by **July 1, 2021**. We request that objections be submitted using DWR’s **Abandonment Objection Form**, which can be obtained on the DWR website (search keyword “Abandonment 2020”) or from any DWR office.

The Abandonment List, with any revisions made as a result of written statements of objection, will be filed with the Water Court by December 31, 2021. Once the list is adjudged by the entry of a decree by the Water Court, such decree will be conclusive as to the abandonment of the water right.

If you have questions about the abandonment list, please contact the Division Office or submit an inquiry through the AskDWR page on DWR’s website with the topic “Water Rights Abandonment 2020”.

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| Structure Name | Water Source | Decreed Amount* | Abandon Amount | Remaining Amount | U ** | Abandon Decreed Use(s)*** | Abandon Decreed Place of Use | Admin Number | Adjudication Date | Appropriation Date | WDID |
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| ADAMSON PIPELINE | Bieser Creek | 0.1000 | 0.1000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 40013.33662 | 1972-04-13 | 1942-03-01 | 7300500 |
| ALLEN DITCH | North Fork Gunnison River | 1.5000 | 1.5000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 45290.44711 | 1974-12-31 | 1972-05-31 | 4001534 |
| ALT BILL MCMILLAN DITCH | Hubbard Creek | 5.0000 | 2.0000 | 3.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 38910.00000 | 1964-01-31 | 1956-07-13 | 4001069 |
| BARLOW DITCH | San Miguel River | 0.5000 | 0.5000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 30604.30054 | 1939-11-01 | 1932-04-14 | 6000885 |
| BECKWITH DITCH | Schaefer Creek | 7.6600 | 1.6600 | 6.0000 | C | IRR | | 35991.00000 | 1954-03-20 | 1948-07-16 | 4001548 |
| BENCH DITCH | Coal Creek | 2.0000 | 1.9000 | 0.1000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 51021.00000 | 1989-12-31 | 1989-09-09 | 5901658 |
| BERG DITCH | Anthracite Creek | 3.5000 | 1.2500 | 2.2500 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 38917.00000 | 1964-01-31 | 1956-07-20 | 4001081 |
| BILL KNOX PIPELINE | Tomichi Creek | 1.6000 | 1.6000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 44559.42155 | 1972-12-31 | 1965-06-01 | 2800722 |
| BRUCE FRANKLIN DITCH | Big Blue Creek | 10.8500 | 10.8500 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 37104.00000 | 1960-03-30 | 1951-08-03 | 6200537 |
| BURG DITCH NO 3 | Calamity Creek | 4.1600 | 4.1600 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 32547.00000 | 1939-02-11 | 1939-02-10 | 6300511 |
| BUZZARD DITCH NO 1 | Muddy Creek | 7.5000 | 3.0000 | 4.5000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 36021.00000 | 1954-03-20 | 1948-08-15 | 4001090 |
| BUZZARD DITCH NO 2 | Muddy Creek | 7.0000 | 3.0000 | 4.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 35580.00000 | 1954-03-20 | 1947-06-01 | 4001091 |
| CHUTE DITCH | Muddy Creek | 1.5000 | 0.7500 | 0.7500 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 38064.36615 | 1964-01-31 | 1950-04-01 | 4001097 |
| CLIFF DWELLERS DITCH | Blue Creek | 0.5200 | 0.5200 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 31502.00000 | 1939-02-11 | 1936-04-01 | 6300517 |
| CLIFF DWELLERS DITCH | Blue Creek | 2.4600 | 2.4600 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 32547.00000 | 1939-02-11 | 1939-02-10 | 6300517 |
| CLYDE CABIN DITCH | Muddy Creek | 1.5000 | 0.7500 | 0.7500 | C | ALL DECREED USES | 20 ACRES | 38064.35610 | 1964-01-31 | 1947-07-01 | 4001098 |
| COLLINS DITCH | Dry Cedar Creek | 0.2500 | 0.2500 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 47237.00000 | 1979-12-31 | 1979-05-01 | 4100737 |
| COLUMBINE DITCH NO 1 | Beaver Creek | 3.8000 | 1.9000 | 1.9000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | 57 ACRES | 36425.00000 | 1954-03-20 | 1949-09-23 | 4001100 |
| COLUMBINE DITCH NO 2 | Fawn Creek | 3.0000 | 1.5000 | 1.5000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | 45 ACRES | 36425.00000 | 1954-03-20 | 1949-09-23 | 4001101 |
| COLUMBINE DITCH NO 3 | Fawn Creek | 6.0000 | 3.0000 | 3.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 36425.00000 | 1954-03-20 | 1949-09-23 | 4001102 |
| COLUMBINE DITCH NO 4 | Cow Creek | 15.0000 | 7.5000 | 7.5000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | 75 ACRES | 36425.00000 | 1954-03-20 | 1949-09-23 | 4001103 |
| COLUMBINE DITCH NO 5 | Fawn Creek | 3.3300 | 1.8300 | 1.5000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | 55 ACRES | 36425.00000 | 1954-03-20 | 1949-09-23 | 4001104 |
| COYOTE DITCH | West Muddy Creek | 25.0000 | 12.5000 | 12.5000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 36764.00000 | 1954-03-20 | 1950-08-28 | 4001105 |
| DELTA CITY PIPELINE | Dirty George Creek | 3.0000 | 3.0000 | 0.0000 | C | PWR | | 35681.00000 | 1954-03-20 | 1947-09-10 | 4000835 |
| DUPEE DRAW D | Loutsenhizer Arroyo | 5.0000 | 5.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 44559.31532 | 1972-12-31 | 1936-05-01 | 4100615 |
| E H & Z B MARTIN D NO 1 | Gunnison River | 0.2000 | 0.2000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 41070.00000 | 1969-12-02 | 1962-06-12 | 6200586 |
| EAST FORK FDR PIPELINE | East Fork Dry Creek | 1.0000 | 1.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 30613.00000 | 1941-12-04 | 1933-10-25 | 4100625 |
| EULA BELLE MINE WELL | Mesa Creek | 0.0310 | 0.0310 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 40557.00000 | 1971-12-31 | 1961-01-15 | 6305004 |
| EVERLASTING DITCH | Cottonwood Creek | 22.2500 | 9.0000 | 13.2500 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 41820.00000 | 1969-08-11 | 1964-07-01 | 4001435 |
| FOREST QUEEN DITCH | Coal Creek | 3.0000 | 3.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 40569.29735 | 1965-10-28 | 1931-05-31 | 5900557 |
| GUNNISON PIPELINE | Gunnison River | 50.0000 (AP) | 40.0000 | 10.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 36904.00000 | 1954-03-20 | 1951-01-15 | 4001631 |
| GUNNISON TUNNEL AND SOUTH CAN | Gunnison River | 0.0000 | 50.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 36904.00000 | 1954-03-20 | 1951-01-15 | 6200617 |
| HACKLER IRRIGATION SYSTEM POIN | Cottonwood Creek | 1.0000 | 1.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 47481.43934 | 1980-12-31 | 1970-04-15 | 4002070 |
| HALLEY DITCH | Buttermilk Creek | 6.0000 | 2.0000 | 4.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 54421.31897 | 1999-12-31 | 1937-05-01 | 4001436 |
| HAWKINS DITCH | Cottonwood Creek | 20.0000 | 10.0000 | 10.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 35885.00000 | 1954-03-20 | 1948-04-01 | 4001437 |
| HAWKS NEST WATER SUPPLY | North Fork Gunnison River | 0.1100 | 0.1100 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 45290.29526 | 1974-12-31 | 1930-11-03 | 4001638 |
| HEAD & FERRIER DITCH | Curecanti Creek | 8.0000 | 5.0000 | 3.0000 | C | IRR | | 38531.00000 | 1957-06-20 | 1955-06-30 | 5900944 |
| HEAD & FERRIER DITCH | Curecanti Creek | 2.5000 | 2.5000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 39252.38937 | 1961-01-27 | 1956-08-09 | 5900944 |
| HELEN DITCH | San Miguel River | 1.0000 | 1.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 32811.32271 | 1952-07-10 | 1938-05-10 | 6000632 |
| INJUNCTION D & WTR SPLY | Cottonwood Creek | 7.9000 | 7.3900 | 0.5100 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 42213.00000 | 1971-09-13 | 1965-07-29 | 6800615 |
| J W CLINE DITCH | North Fork Gunnison River | 8.0000 | 3.0000 | 5.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 44194.44068 | 1971-12-31 | 1970-08-27 | 4000928 |

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| JENNINGS DITCH | San Miguel River | 2.0000 | 2.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 35229.00000 | 1952-07-10 | 1946-06-15 | 6000654 |
| KEMAL POND DITCH | East Muddy Creek | 2.0000 | 2.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 49673.49637 | 1986-12-31 | 1985-11-25 | 4002385 |
| K-K DITCH | Kiser Creek | 1.5000 | 1.5000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 46751.37985 | 1978-12-31 | 1953-12-31 | 4000644 |
| K-K DITCH | Kiser Creek | 0.5000 | 0.5000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 50769.37985 | 1989-12-31 | 1953-12-31 | 4000644 |
| KNOB HILL DITCH | Escalante Creek | 0.4000 | 0.4000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 38064.31942 | 1964-01-31 | 1937-06-15 | 4000884 |
| KNOB HILL DITCH | Escalante Creek | 1.5000 | 1.5000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 38064.37451 | 1964-01-31 | 1952-07-15 | 4000884 |
| LEROUX CREEK DITCH | Leroux Creek | 88.5600 | 88.5600 | 0.0000 | C | IRR | | 51864.41019 | 1992-12-31 | 1962-04-22 | 4000926 |
| LIL'S SPG & PD & PL | Gunnison River | 0.2000 | 0.2000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 47847.47787 | 1981-12-31 | 1980-11-01 | 6201273 |
| LONE STAR NO 4 DITCH | Wells Gulch | 4.0000 | 4.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 35502.00000 | 1954-03-20 | 1947-03-15 | 4001337 |
| MAC DITCH | Happy Hollow Creek | 1.0000 | 1.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 44925.39202 | 1973-12-31 | 1957-05-01 | 4001507 |
| MCMILLAN DITCH | North Fork Gunnison River | 2.0000 | 1.0000 | 1.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 44737.00000 | 1972-12-31 | 1972-06-26 | 4001720 |
| MCMILLAN DITCH NO 2 | Big Gulch | 4.0000 | 1.5000 | 2.5000 | C | FIS | | 46020.45880 | 1976-12-31 | 1975-08-13 | 4001180 |
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| MIKE CUDDIGAN DITCH | Dallas Creek | 0.5000 | 0.1500 | 0.3500 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 36615.00000 | 1961-04-14 | 1950-04-01 | 6800663 |
| MYLES MCMILLAN DITCH | North Fork Gunnison River | 8.0000 | 4.0000 | 4.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 44194.44068 | 1971-12-31 | 1970-08-27 | 4001727 |
| NEILSON DITCH NO 2 | Leopard Creek | 2.5000 | 2.5000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 31166.00000 | 1939-11-01 | 1935-05-01 | 6000711 |
| NORRIS DITCH | Schaefer Creek | 2.0000 | 2.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 35580.00000 | 1954-03-20 | 1947-06-01 | 4001184 |
| O'FALLON DITCH | Gunnison River | 8.8900 (AP) | 8.8900 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 38284.00000 | 1957-06-20 | 1954-10-26 | 5901037 |
| ORCHARD CITY IRRIGATION DISTRICT | Gunnison River | 20.0000 | 10.0000 | 10.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 39096.00000 | 1964-01-31 | 1957-01-15 | 4000893 |
| OWENS DITCH | Coal Creek | 2.0000 | 2.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 48364.00000 | 1982-12-31 | 1982-06-01 | 4100830 |
| PANSY HIGHLINE DITCH | Pansy Creek | 0.9400 | 0.3600 | 0.5800 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 32547.00000 | 1939-02-11 | 1939-02-10 | 6300549 |
| PATTERSON SPRING | Lake Fork | 0.0500 | 0.0500 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 49457.00000 | 1985-12-31 | 1985-05-29 | 6201376 |
| PENN TUNNEL WTR SUP PL | Marshall Creek | 10.0000 (AP) | 10.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 34945.00000 | 1952-07-10 | 1945-09-04 | 6000734 |
| PITKIN MESA PIPELINE | Cunningham Creek | 2.0150 | 1.0000 | 1.0150 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 40767.00000 | 1964-01-31 | 1961-08-13 | 4001191 |
| RAJAH 30 PORTAL EFFLUENT | John Brown Creek | 0.0700 | 0.0700 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 55152.43829 | 2001-12-31 | 1969-12-31 | 6300767 |
| RAY FILES DITCH | Little Dolores River | 2.0000 | 2.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 44925.35549 | 1973-12-31 | 1947-05-01 | 7300514 |
| REED OVERMAN DITCH | Dallas Creek | 5.0000 | 5.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 35215.00000 | 1961-04-14 | 1946-06-01 | 6800703 |
| ROATCAP DITCH | Roatcap Creek | 1.0000 | 1.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 38064.33754 | 1964-01-31 | 1942-06-01 | 4001036 |
| ROC CREEK DIVERSION | Dolores River | 1.4300 | 1.4300 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 57343.57169 | 2007-12-31 | 2006-07-10 | 6300791 |
| ROSE D #1 | Loutsenhizer Arroyo | 1.0000 | 1.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 53691.51499 | 1997-12-31 | 1990-12-31 | 4101757 |
| ROSS DITCH NO. 1 | Gunnison River | 1.5000 | 1.5000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 38064.36986 | 1964-01-31 | 1951-04-07 | 4001377 |
| ROSS DITCH NO. 1 | Gunnison River | 0.5000 | 0.5000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 38064.34789 | 1964-01-31 | 1945-04-01 | 4001377 |
| ROSS DITCH NO. 2 | Gunnison River | 1.0000 | 1.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 38813.00000 | 1964-01-31 | 1956-04-07 | 4001378 |
| RYAN DITCH | Gunnison River | 1.5000 | 1.5000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 46020.33237 | 1976-12-31 | 1940-12-31 | 4001380 |
| SALTADO CREEK DITCH | San Miguel River | 0.5000 | 0.5000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 30604.30047 | 1939-11-01 | 1932-04-07 | 6001099 |
| SHELDON DITCH | Big Blue Creek | 2.0000 | 2.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 53325.49917 | 1996-12-31 | 1986-09-01 | 6201676 |
| SHORT DITCH EXT FEEDER | North Fork Gunnison River | 1.0000 | 1.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 39900.00000 | 1964-01-31 | 1959-03-30 | 4001043 |
| SIGAFUS NO 1 DITCH | Fish Creek | 2.0000 | 2.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 38229.00000 | 1960-03-30 | 1954-09-01 | 6200747 |
| SMOCK INDIAN CREEK DITCH | Lake Fork | 0.1000 | 0.1000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 40266.31532 | 1969-12-02 | 1936-05-01 | 6200751 |
| SOUTH FORK DITCH | Escalante Creek | 5.0000 | 5.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 40130.00000 | 1964-01-31 | 1959-11-15 | 4000906 |
| TERROR DITCH EXTENSION | West Hubbard Creek | 23.0000 | 10.0000 | 13.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 50769.46386 | 1989-12-31 | 1976-12-31 | 4001209 |

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| THOMPSON FEEDER DITCH | Hay Press Creek | 10.0000 | 7.0000 | 3.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 35018.00000 | 1959-07-21 | 1945-11-16 | 7300518 |
| TOM WATKINS DITCH | Blue Creek | 2.6000 | 2.6000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 32547.00000 | 1939-02-11 | 1939-02-10 | 6300563 |
| TOM WATKINS DITCH | Blue Creek | 0.2600 | 0.2600 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 31502.00000 | 1939-02-11 | 1936-04-01 | 6300563 |
| TWIN SPRUCE DITCH | Cow Creek | 6.0000 | 6.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 38064.35960 | 1964-01-31 | 1948-06-15 | 4001212 |
| VAN LOAN DITCH | Coates Creek | 1.3000 (AP) | 1.3000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 31836.00000 | 1941-07-25 | 1937-03-01 | 7300540 |
| VAN LOAN DITCH | Coates Creek | 0.0000 | 3.9000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 30895.29144 | 1941-07-25 | 1929-10-17 | 7300540 |
| VAN LOAN DITCH | Coates Creek | 5.7400 (AP) | 5.7400 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 35567.00000 | 1959-07-21 | 1947-05-19 | 7300540 |
| VAN LOAN DITCH | Coates Creek | 1.0000 | 1.0000 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 48212.33541 | 1982-12-31 | 1941-10-31 | 7300540 |
| VAN LOAN DITCH | Coates Creek | 0.0000 | 5.7600 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 22848.22088 | 1916-06-01 | 1910-06-23 | 7300540 |
| VAN LOAN DITCH | Coates Creek | 0.0000 | 4.2800 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 30895.24866 | 1941-07-25 | 1918-01-30 | 7300540 |
| WAGNER DITCH | West Creek | 1.0600 | 1.0600 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 32547.00000 | 1939-02-11 | 1939-02-10 | 6300570 |
| WAGNER DITCH | West Creek | 0.1300 | 0.1300 | 0.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 32096.00000 | 1939-02-11 | 1937-11-16 | 6300570 |
| WEST HUBBARD DITCH | West Hubbard Creek | 9.0000 | 3.0000 | 6.0000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | 120 ACRES | 38064.29766 | 1964-01-31 | 1931-07-01 | 4001219 |
| WILLOW SPRINGS DITCH | John Brown Creek | 5.0000 | 2.5000 | 2.5000 | C | ALL DECREED USES | | 48942.43317 | 1984-12-31 | 1968-08-06 | 6300645 |

* An (AP) following the Decreed Amount is used to indicate that the Structure listed has decreed Alternate Point(s) which are subject to abandonment

** Units of specified abandonment amounts: C - CFS; A - Acre Feet.

*** ALL-ALL BENEFICIAL USES, AUG-AUGMENTATION, COM-COMMERCIAL, DOM-DOMESTIC, FIR-FIRE, FIS-FISHERY, GEO-GEOTHERMAL, HUO-HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY, IND-INDUSTRIAL, IRR-IRRIGATION, MUN-MUNICIPAL, OTH-OTHER, PWR-POWER GENERATION, RCH-RECHARGE, REC-RECREATION, SNO-SNOW MAKING, STK-STOCK, STO-STORAGE, WLD-WILDLIFE