

## Province of British Columbia Water Sustainability Act

## CONDITIONAL WATER LICENCE

The owner of the land to which this licence is appurtenant is hereby authorized to divert, use and store water as follows:

- a) The source stream on which the rights are granted is Nine Mile Creek and storage is in a dugout.
- b) The point of diversion is located as shown on the attached plan.
- c) The date from which this licence shall have precedence is April 8, 2016.
- d) The purpose for which this licence is issued is domestic.
- e) The maximum quantity of water which may be diverted for domestic use is 2.0 cubic metres per day at a rate not to exceed 12 litres per second.
- f) The period of the year during which the water may be used is the whole year.
- g) The land upon which the water is to be used and to which this licence is appurtenant is the Northeast 1/4 of Section 17 Township 16 Range 5 Coast District.
- h) The authorized works are screened intake, dugout, pump, pump house, and pipe which shall be located approximately as shown on the attached plan.
- i) The construction of the said works shall be completed and the water shall be beneficially used prior to December 31, 2019. Thereafter, the licensee shall continue to make regular beneficial use of the water in the manner authorized herein.
- j) Holders of water licences within one kilometre downstream are to be advised of the works prior to the commencement of construction.
- k) All instream work shall be undertaken during the appropriate instream work window from July 15 to August 15, unless otherwise authorized by a Habitat Officer under the *Wildlife* Act.
- 1) Vegetation along the banks of the stream channel shall be disturbed as little as possible.

- m) Care shall be exercised during all phases of construction to minimize siltation.
- n) All disturbed areas of the banks and the stream channel must be restored and provided with long-term protection from erosion.
- o) Changes or modifications to the works authorized under clause (h) hereof may be ordered at any time by an Engineer under the *Water Sustainability Act* to ensure proper operation of said works.
- p) This licence is issued under the *Water Sustainability Act* (the Act). The exercise of rights under the licence is subject to the Act and its regulations, the terms and conditions of the licence, orders under the Act and the rights of licensees whose rights have precedence on the stream or on an aquifer. The licensee must comply with all such requirements, as well as the provisions of all other applicable enactments. In exercising rights under the licence, the licensee must exercise reasonable care to avoid damaging land, works, trees or other property, and must make full compensation to the owners for damage or loss resulting from construction, maintenance, use, operation or failure of the works.

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