

Flattops Water Company Water Rights

WWE assisted the Flattops Water Company near Toponas, Colorado, with a water court filing to establish the firm yield of water rights for transfer from the Yampa River to the Colorado River basin. The water company sells Yampa River water to serve people in the Vail Valley and Eagle County. Water returns to the Colorado River because of the area topography.



As part of this assignment, WWE successfully negotiated technical issues with nineteen objectors to obtain a decree. WWE also assessed ditch loss characteristics and return flow patterns for Stillwater Ditch, which runs along the drainage divide, and assisted Flattops with getting its water right removed from the Division Engineer's abandonment listing.

WWE also helped design Flattops' facilities and monitoring instrumentation.

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