



# WATERSHED FLOW RIGHTS

## Fact Sheet 20 CWCB's Flow Rights

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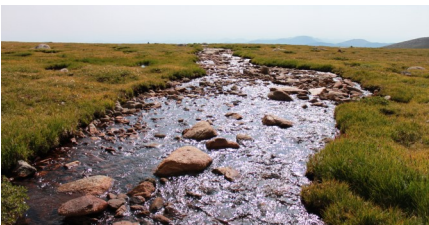
*The Bear Creek Watershed Association protects and restores water and environmental quality within the Bear Creek Watershed from the effects of land use.*

Clear Creek County  
 Jefferson County  
 City of Lakewood  
 Town of Morrison  
 Aspen Park Metropolitan District  
 Brook Forest Inn  
 Conifer Sanitation Association  
 Conifer Metropolitan District  
 Denver Water Department  
 Evergreen Metropolitan District  
 Forrest Hills Metropolitan District  
 Genesee Sanitation & Water District  
 Geneva Glen  
 Jefferson County School District  
 Kittredge Water & Sanitation District  
 Tiny Town Foundation, Inc.  
 West Jefferson County Metropolitan District  
 Evergreen Trout Unlimited  
 U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

*In Colorado's semi-arid environment, water is scarce with many competing demands placed on it by an ever-increasing population. Recognizing the need to correlate the activities of mankind with the reasonable preservation of the natural environment, the Colorado Water Conservation Board is responsible for the appropriation, acquisition, protection and monitoring of instream flow (ISF) and natural lake level water rights to preserve and improve the natural environment to a reasonable degree.*

<http://cwcb.state.co.us/environment/instream-flow-program>

The CWCB's instream flow water rights protect diverse coldwater and warm water fisheries in Bear Creek Watershed. The water right acquisitions in the CWCB's database include:



County	Stream	Upper Terminus	Lower Terminus	Date	Water Rights
Clear Creek	Bear Creek	unnamed lake at lat 39 35 47N long 105 38 15W	confl Beartrack Creek at lat 39 35 56N long 105 34 25W	9/13/19 94	2.5 cfs 10/1-4/30; 6.5 cfs 5/1-9/30
	Bear Creek	confl Beartrack Creek at lat 39 35 56N long 105 34 25W	confl Truesdell Creek at lat 39 36 36N long 105 32 07W	9/13/19 94	3 cfs 10/16-4/14; 7.5 cfs 4/15-10/15
	Bear Creek	confl Truesdell Creek at lat 39 36 36N long 105 32 07W	inlet Evergreen Lake at lat 39 37 57N long 105 19 55W	9/13/19 94	5 cfs 10/16-4/14; 10cfs 4/15-10/15
Jefferson	Bear Creek	outlet Evergreen Lake at lat 39 37 55N long 105 19 19W	confl Swede Gulch in SE NW S36 T4S R71W 6PM	9/13/19 94	5 cfs 10/16-4/14; 10 cfs 4/15-10/15
	Bear Creek	confl Swede Gulch in SE NW S36 T4S R71W 6PM	hdgt Harriman Ditch in NE NW S2 T5S R70W 6PM	9/13/19 94	7 cfs 10/16-3/31; 15cfs 4/1-10/15
	Cub Creek	headwaters in vicinity of lat 39 32 54N long 105 23 25W	confl Evergreen Lake at lat 39 37 55N long 105 19 19W	11/3/19 94	2 cfs 4/15-6/30; 0.75 cfs 7/1-4/14
	North Turkey Creek	confl unnamed tributary in SW SE S25 T5S R71W 6PM	confl South Turkey Creek at lat 39 35 42N long 105 13 11W	11/3/19 94	3 cfs 4/1-7/15; 0.75 cfs 7/16-3/31
	Trouble-some Creek	confl Bergen Creek in SE NE S33 T4S R71W 6PM	confl Bear Creek in SE SW S35 T4S R71W 6PM	11/3/19 94	1.25 cfs 4/1-5/31; 0.2 cfs 6/1-3/31