

# Water Availability Analysis



## WATER AVAILABILITY ANALYSIS FOR EHLERS ESTATE WINERY 3200 EHLERS LANE, NAPA COUNTY, CA APN 022-100-029

As required by Napa County Planning, Building & Environmental Services (PBES), this study outlines the availability of groundwater for an existing winery located at 3200 Ehlers Lane, St. Helena, CA 94574.

### PROJECT DESCRIPTION

It is our understanding that Ehlers Estate Winery is proposing to increase wine production from 25,000 gallons per year to 35,000 gallons per year. The existing winery is proposing to employ 13 full time employees, four (4) part-time employees, and two (2) seasonal (harvest) employees (19 proposed employees total) as well as modify the marketing plan to include the following:

- Ten (10) trade dinners per year with a maximum of 20 guests.
- Three (3) marketing events per year with a maximum of 100 guests
- One (1) large event per year with a maximum of 200 guests per year.

The winery was originally approved under Use Permit No. U-297576 and modified under Permit No. P05-0231. Refer to the current Use Permits for additional information on approved uses.

Table 1 summarizes the approved and proposed staffing plan:

TABLE 1: STAFFING PLAN SUMMARY			
Description	Number of Employees	Frequency	
Full-time Employees	13	Daily	
Part-time Employees	4	Daily	
Harvest/Seasonal Employees	2	Daily	



Table 2 summarizes the approved and proposed marketing plan:

TABLE 2: PROPOSED MARKETING PLAN SUMMARY				
Description	Number of Guests	Event Staff	Frequency	
Private Tours & Tastings	100	0 per day	Daily	
Trade Dinners	20	0 per day	10 annually	
Marketing Events	100	5 per event	3 annually	
Large Event	200	10 per event	1 annually	

The subject parcel also includes an existing four (4) bedroom residence, an onsite wastewater treatment system, and operates a transient noncommunity public water system.

This analysis outlines the water available for the subject parcel to support the water usage demand from the increase in wine production, staff members, and marketing events per Napa County PBES guidelines.

### **EXHIBITS**

The USGS "Topographic Site Location Information" included in the Use Permit Modification application package shows the project site and approximate property line locations. Information regarding the location of the existing well, structures, and neighboring wells are shown on the associated Use Permit Modification Drawings. All exhibits and drawings mentioned above were prepared by Bartelt Engineering.

### WATER USE CRITERIA

Table 3 Groundwater Overview, shown below, summarizes the water criteria used to evaluate the available groundwater for the subject parcel per the PBES Water Availability Analysis (WAA)-Guidance Document dated May 12, 2015.

TABLE 3: GROUNDWATER OVERVIEW	
Parcel Zoning	Agricultural Preserve (AP)
Project Parcel Location	Napa Valley Floor
Parcel Size	13.83 ± acres
Water Use Criteria	1 acre-feet per acre per year
Well and Spring Interference	No
Groundwater/Surface Water Interaction	No
Screening Tier	Tier 1



### **SOURCE WATER INFORMATION**

The subject parcel contains two (2) groundwater wells. A description of each water source is summarized below:

- The existing domestic (winery) well is located near the Wine Production Building and provides domestic, landscape, fire, and process water uses.
- The existing irrigation (vineyard) well is located near Ehlers Lane on the northwesterly side of the subject parcel within the vineyard and is currently used for vineyard irrigation water uses only.

Changes to the existing water sources are not being proposed at this time. Refer to the Technical, Managerial and Financial (TMF) Capacity worksheet for additional information on the existing water system and proposed modifications included with the Use Permit Modification Application.

### Well Description

According to the Well Drillers Report, filed by McLean & Williams, Inc. Well, Drilling & Pump Service, the winery well was drilled in April 2006 to a total depth of 350 feet with a completed well depth of 350 feet. The well casing is 8 inch internal diameter F480, 200 gauge polyvinyl chloride (PVC) with factory screen/slots between depth of 110 feet to 190 feet and 250 feet to 350 feet. The well was constructed with a 59 foot deep concrete annular seal. A copy of the Well Drillers Report is attached for additional information.

Information regarding the existing irrigation well is unknown at this time.

# **Well Yield Information**

When the domestic (winery) well was drilled, the estimated safe yield was determined to be 75± gallons per minute (gpm) although this may not be representative of the well's long-term yield.

# Water System Classification

The water system at Ehlers Estate Winery is permitted as a state regulated Public Water System (PWS)<sup>1</sup> because it serves more than 25 people per day at least 60 days per year. The PWS is classified as transient noncommunity (TNC) because it does not serve 25 or more yearlong residents, has less than 15 connection and does not serve 25 or more of the same people at least six (6) months of the year. The PWS classification will not change as part of this Use Permit Modification Application.

Water Availability Analysis Ehlers Estate Winery

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The public water system source code number is 28-00101; refer to the Public Water System permit for additional information.



### Neighboring Water Source(s)

Based on review of neighboring property records from the Napa County PBES online parcel files, neighboring wells or surface water sources do not appear to interfere<sup>2</sup> with the existing domestic (winery) well. The existing (vineyard) irrigation well is located less than 500 feet from an existing well that is located on the neighboring parcel (APN 022-100-008). This neighboring parcel is under the same ownership as the subject parcel. Since the two (2) existing wells are under the same ownership and both used for vineyard irrigation a well interference analysis is not being performed. Refer to the attached Use Permit Modification Drawings prepared by Bartelt Engineering for location of the existing onsite wells and neighboring wells within the vicinity of the subject parcel.

### **Water Quality**

Water analysis was performed as part of the PWS permit application with Napa County PBES in 2006-2007 for the domestic (winery) well. The water sources are not changing as part of the Use Permit Modification Application and water quality is not being further analyzed at this time. Water quality results are on file with the Napa County PBES Department and the State of California Drinking Water Program as part of the PWS Permit.

### **GROUNDWATER SUBAREA**

According to the Napa County Watershed Information & Conservation Council (WICC), the subject parcel is located within the Napa Valley Floor – Calistoga groundwater subarea. The Napa Valley Floor – Calistoga groundwater subarea consists of 8,951± acres.

### WATERSHED INFORMATION

The subject parcel is located within the Hirsh Creek sub-basin of the Napa River Watershed. The Hirsh Creek sub-basin spans 850± acres and is not part of a municipal watershed.

### **GEOLOGICAL FEATURES**

According to the Soil and Geology Map located on the WICC website, the subject parcel and surrounding areas appear to be underlain with the following geologic features:

- Surficial Deposits (Quaternary) Alluvial fan deposits
- Sonoma Volcanic (Pliocene-Miocene) Rhyolitic Lava Flows

### WATER DEMAND

# **Estimated Water Use**

The total water demand for the existing and proposed uses for the project is calculated based on the *Guidelines for Estimating Residential and Non-residential Water Use* from the WAA Guidance Document (2015), project wastewater flowrates<sup>3</sup>, irrigation data from the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Interference distance is based on Napa County PBES requirements included in the Water Availability Analysis.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Refer to the Onsite Wastewater Dispersal Feasibility Study for Ehlers Estate Winery prepared by Bartelt Engineering for additional information on wastewater calculations.

September 2019 Job No. 02-54



vineyard manager and estimated landscape irrigation water usage. The existing water demand is based on the Phase One Water Availability Analysis for the Leducq Vineyards Winery, 3200 Ehlers Lane, St. Helena, CA, APN 022-100-024 & 025 prepared by Bartelt Engineering dated June 9, 2003 (refer to attachment for additional information). The existing and proposed water demands are summarized below:

Existing Water Demand = 5.14 acre-feet per year

Proposed Water Demand = 5.21 acre-feet per year

Refer to the attached *Table I – Existing Water Demand* and *Table II – Proposed Water Demand* for additional information on water demand calculations.

The proposed water demand is anticipated to increase as part of the proposed project. Treated process wastewater from the winery is proposed to be beneficially reused onsite as part of the proposed project for onsite vineyard irrigation. The proposed water demand will likely be less than what is calculated in this analysis with the proposed beneficial reuse, however the most conservative analysis is presented to provide flexibility in water sources available for onsite vineyard irrigation.

### NAPA VALLEY FLOOR ALLOWABLE WATER ALLOTMENT

Per *Table 2A:* Water Use Criteria from the WAA Guidance Document (2015), the water use criteria for a parcel located in the Napa Valley Floor is defined as 1 acre-feet per acre per year. The subject parcel is entirely located within the Napa Valley Floor. The allowable water allotment for the applicable area is calculated below.

Allowable Water Allotment (acre-ft/year) =

Napa Valley Floor parcel area (acres) x Water use criteria (acre-ft/acre-year)

= 13.83 acres x 1 acre-ft/acres-year = 13.83 acre-ft/year

The allowable water allotment for the subject parcel is estimated to be 13.83 acre-feet per year which is greater than the proposed water demand of 5.21 acre-feet per year.

### **CONCLUSION**

The above analysis shows that the groundwater demand from the proposed project is less than the subject parcel water allotment. The estimated available water for the subject parcel satisfies the Tier 1 Water Use Criterion of the Napa County Water Availability Analysis.

### **ATTACHMENTS**

Topographic Site Location Map

Table I – Existing Water Demand

Table II – Proposed Water Demand

Well Information

Phase One Water Availability Analysis for the Leducq Vineyards Winery



### **REFERENCES**

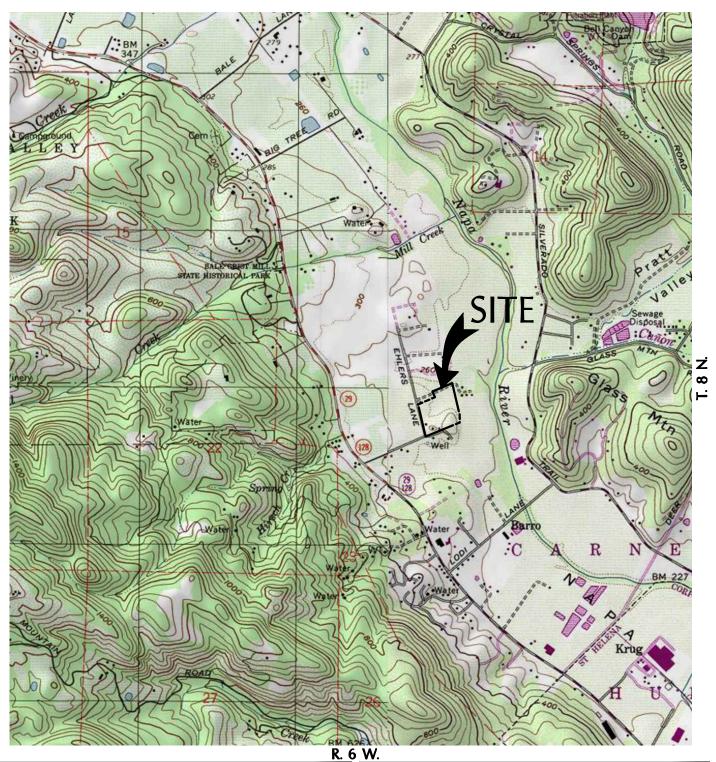
- Brownstein Hyatt Farber Schreck. (2011, August 25). Water Supply Assessment for the Napa Pipe Project Napa County, California.
- DHI Water Environment. (2005 Version 1, November 30). Napa County Baseline Data Report. Chapter 16. Groundwater Hydrology.
- Johnson, A. (1967). Specific Yield Completion of Specific Yields for Various Materials. California Department of Water Resources. Geological Survey Water Supply Paper 1662-D.
- Luhdhorff & Scalmanini. (2014). Water Availability Analysis for the Wools Ranch Winery Project, Napa County.
- Luhdhorff & Scalmanini Consulting Engineers and MBK Engineers. (January 2013). *Updated Hydrogeological Conceptualization and Characterization of Conditions Prepared for Napa County.*
- Napa County . (2015, May 12). Water Availability (WAA) Design, Construction and Guidance Document.
- Napa County Watershed Information & Conservation Council (WICC). (n.d.). Retrieved from www.napawatershed.org
- National Climate Data Center (NCDC). (1995). Retrieved from www.worldclimate.com
- PRISM Climate Group, Oregan State University. (2014). Retrieved from http://prism.oregonstate.edu
- Santa Rosa Plan Basin Advisor Panel. (2014). Santa Rosa Watershed Groundwater Management Plan.
- Stamski, R. (2007). Geologic map and map database of eastern Sonoma and western Napa Counties, California. U.S. Geological Survey Scientific Investigations Map 2956.
- United States Geological Survey (USGS). (1960). Geology and Ground Water in the Napa and Sonoma Valleys, Napa and Sonoma Counties, California. *US Geological Survey Water Supply Paper 1495*.

# TOPOGRAPHIC SITE LOCATION INFORMATION



USGS 7.5 MINUTE QUADRANGLE "SAINT HELENA"

Scale: 1" = 2000'



BARTELT

CIVIL ENGINEERING · LAND PLANNING

1303 Jefferson Street, 200 B, Napa, CA 94559

www.barteltengineering.com

• Telephone: 707-258-1301

Ehlers Estate Winery 3200 Ehlers Lane St. Helena, CA APN 022-100-029

Job No. 02-54

September 2019 Job No. 02-54

# Ehlers Estate Winery Existing Water Demand Table I



Subject Parcel Size: Winery Production Limit: Vineyard Area 13.83 acres 25,000 gallons/year 10.4 acres

EXISTING WATER DEMAND			
Description	Water Usage Rate <sup>1</sup>	Water Demand (acre-feet/year)	
<u>Residential</u>			
Primary Residence	0.5 acre-feet/acre-year	0.5	
Secondary Residence or			
Farm Labor Dwelling	0.5 acre-feet/acre-year	-	
<u>Agricultural</u>			
Vineyards			
Irrigation Only	0.38 acre-feet/acre-year	3.97	
Heat Protection	0 acre-feet/acre-year	0.00	
Frost Protection	0 acre-feet/acre-year	0.00	
Irrigated Pastures	4 acre-feet/acre-year	-	
Orchards	4 acre-feet/acre-year	-	
Livestock (sheep or cows)	0.01 acre-feet/acre-year	-	
<u>Winery</u>			
Process Water	2.15 acre-feet/100,000 gallon of wine	0.54	
Domestic & Landscaping	0.5 acre-feet/100,000 gallon of wine	0.13	
<u>Industrial</u>			
Food Processing	31 acre-feet/employee-year	_	
Printing/Publishing	0.06 acre-feet/employee-year		
<u>Commercial</u>		_	
Office Space	0.01 acre-feet/employee-year	-	
Warehouse	0.05 acre-feet/employee-year	-	

Estimated Proposed Water Demand (acre-feet/year): 5.14
Estimated Proposed Water Demand (gallons/year): 1,674,874

### Notes:

1) Existing water demand is sourced from the Phase One Water Availability Analysis for the Leducq Vineyards Winery, 3200 Ehlers Lane, St. Helena, CA APN 022-100-024 & -025 dated June 9, 2003 prepared by Bartelt Engineering.

September 2019 Job No. 02-54

# Ehlers Estate Winery Proposed Water Demand Table II



Subject Parcel Size: Winery Production Limit: Vineyard Area: 13.83 acres 35,000 gallons/year 9.9 acres

PROPOSED WATER DEMAND			
Description	Water Usage Rate <sup>2</sup>	Water Demand (acre-feet/year)	
<u>Residential</u>			
Primary Residence <sup>3</sup>	0.5 acre-feet/acre-year	0.5	
Secondary Residence or			
Farm Labor Dwelling	0.5 acre-feet/acre-year	-	
<u>Agricultural</u>			
Vineyard <sup>3</sup>			
Irrigation Only	0.38 acre-feet/acre-year	3.78	
Heat Protection	0 acre-feet/acre-year	0.00	
Frost Protection	0 acre-feet/acre-year	0.00	
Irrigated Pastures	4 acre-feet/acre-year	-	
Orchards	4 acre-feet/acre-year	-	
Livestock (sheep or cows)	0.01 acre-feet/acre-year	-	
<u>Winery</u>			
Process Water	2.15 acre-feet/100,000 gallon of wine	0.75	
Domestic & Landscaping	0.5 acre-feet/100,000 gallon of wine	0.18	
<u>Industrial</u>			
Food Processing	31 acre-feet/employee-year	_	
Printing/Publishing	0.06 acre-feet/employee-year		
<u>Commercial</u>		_	
Office Space	0.01 acre-feet/employee-year	_	
Warehouse	0.05 acre-feet/employee-year	-	

Estimated Proposed Water Demand (acre-feet/year): 5.21 Estimated Proposed Water Demand (gallons/year): 1,696,587

### Notes:

- 1) Includes vineyard removal from proposed improvements included with the Use Permit Modification Application.
- 2) Water usage rates referenced from *Appendix B: Estimated Water Use of Specified Land Use* from Napa County WAA-Guidance Document (2015) unless stated otherwise.
- 3) Water usage is not changing and is assumed to equal exisiting conditions; see *Existing Water Demand* calculations for additional information.



**DEPARTMENT OF Environmental Management** 1195 THIRD STREET ROOM 101 NAPA, CALIFORNIA 94559 PHONE 707-253-4471 FAX 707-253-4545 www.co.napa.ca.us

# TRENT CAVE, R.E.H.S.

Director of Environmental Management

WELL PERMIT				
Permit Number: Status: Comp Type: Fee:	E05-0503 ISSUED EMWELLS - CLASS I \$273.00	Applied: Issued Date: Permit Expires On:	07/01/2005 07/01/2005 07/01/2007	
Site Address:	3200 EHLERS LANE STH	Parcel Number:	022-100-029-000	
Owner: Address:	NEW VAVIN INC DBA LEDUCQ VINEYARDS 3222 EHLERS LN 94574	Phone:	022-100-0 <del>25-000-</del> 22-100-029	
Applicant:	MCLEAN & WILLIAMS INC	Phone:	255-6450	
Type of Project:	Class IB Well Construction (96-01)			
Well loca <b>Water Supply:</b> All set ba Haz-Mat Ground V	erve this parcel only? Y sted in flood zone? cks required by code met: Y	Geothermal: If no APN# N	Other:	
Method:			er):	
(¹) I certif	ificate of current Worker's Comp. Insu	rance Coverage is on file with this office for which this permit is issued, I shall no er's Compensation laws of California.	(or filed with this application). It employ any person in any	
systems. I acknowle application and, on officers and employ	ledge that the County of Napa will issue behalf of myself, heirs, administrators	d with providing incorrect information as ue a well permit in reliance upon inform s and/or assigns, I hereby fully release the lity whether actual or potential, known o ion.	ation contained in this e County, its elected officials,	
icensed Driller Sig	gnature: MANED	Date:	7.1.05	
itaff Signature:	gnature: MANED	Date:		



**DEPARTMENT OF Environmental Management** 1195 THIRD STREET ROOM 101 NAPA, CALIFORNIA 94559 PHONE 707-253-4471 FAX 707-253-4545 www.co.napa.ca.us

TRENT CAVE, R.E.H.S. Director of Environmental Management

# CONDITIONS/INSPECTIONS

Type: EMWELLS SubType: CLASS I

Owner:

Parcel No:

Applicant:

**NEW VAVIN INC** 

STH EHLERS LANE

022-100-0<del>29-000</del> O24

MCLEAN & WILLIAMS INC

Permit Number:

E05-0503

**ISSUED** 

Status: Applied Date:

07/01/2005

Issue Date:

07/01/2005

### Conditions

- Well Permit will not be finaled until Well Log is received
- 2: Call (253-4135) at least 24 hours in advance during normal business hours, to schedule inspection requests.

STH

- 3: A copy of the State of California Well Completion Report must be submitted within 60 days of well completion.
- 4: Permits are issued only to licensed well drillers. A copy of the well driller's license (C-57) must be on file with DEM.
- 5: If a claim is to be submitted for a refund, per County Code, a 25% processing fee wil be retained. Such claims must be made within one year of the date on the receipt.
- 6: The applicant shall comply with the Department of Public Works "Conditions of Approval\_National Pollution Discharge Elimination System Requirements", a copy of which was provided at the time of permit issuance. Failure to comply with the NPDES requirements will result in a stop-work order.

Inspections

Item: 00670 E-Construction Inspection

Inspected by:

Date:

04/14/06

WR

QUADRUPLICAT		****	•	OF CALIF		1	SE ONLY -	DO NOT FILL IN
For Local Requir	rements	WELL		LETIC Instruction	ON REPO	KT	STATE WELL N	p./ptation no.
Pageof Owner's Well No	4/6/05				78823	L J J I		LONGITUDE
Date Work Began	Minni	_, Ended	\$/20/00				<u>,                                    </u>	LONGITUDE
Local Permit Ag	ency 105-0503			7/1/05	•	- [	APN/TRS	OTHER
Permit No	GEOLOG	Permit	Date	17 1700	<del></del>	WELL	owner -	
ORIENTATION (∠)	X VERTICAL		ANGLE	(SPECIFY)	Name C		<u> </u>	
	DRILLING METHOD	and <sub>s</sub>	LUID beb	onite /	Mailing Addres	S_ See Municipal	Lale days	
DEPTH FROM SURFACE		DESCRIPTION		110	5. Januar Jana	July Strang	CA CHIEF	07477
Ft. to Ft.		iterial, grain siz	e, color, et	E (1)	OIT	WELL L	OCATION-	STATE ZIP
0 20		3 1 3 32 3	17.		Address	VOZOO WELL L	Lane	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
20 30 30 50			<u> </u>		City /	St. Falera		
30 · 50 50 70			OWN TOOK		County	100	- ^~	2h24l 020
70 90	<del></del>			North Control	V	22 Page 100	Parcel	3329 020
90 110			<u> </u>		Township 1	Range	_Section	
110 130			<del></del>	, ,	DEG.	MIN. SEC.	Long	EG. MIN, SEC.
130   150			1 300	<u> </u>	LC	OCATION SKETCH		ACTIVITY (∠) —
150 170	4 4 4	<u> </u>	rock 🖂 🕄			- NOTETH FILES		NEW WELL
170 190		<del></del>	<del></del>	ŘΥ		18	:	MÖDIFICATION/REPAIR Deepen
	gray/black red		21 21 4420			F .	ا	Other (Specify)
	sancy oray cla					EHIERS LA	Š.	DESTROY (Describe
230 250	senciy gray clay	klack gray i	rock		E/80		1	Procedures and Materials Under "GEOLOGIC LOG"
	) bladk gray whit	e green red 1	rock					USES (∠)
	lecay black ited				CATH	T HELENA FOLIE ADEL	ΙX	WATER SUPPLY 🏋
	'gray black red		ayy			TUN OUTLETS WINERY	- VINEYARDS	Domestic Public Irrigation Industrial
	black oray rock		*****		WEST	EDEEMAI	OCCURACIONAL - ALINE L'ARDOV AL	MONITORING
330 350	black gray rock	clay clay				WIN	ERY JOS	TEST WELL
			•	—— <u> </u>	(CHE) 23	. /1		CATHODIC PROTECTION
- I I						÷   ¥		DIRECT PUSH
-						RD SEVEND OR	1 14	INJECTION
		RECEIVI	En	<del> </del>	ROCKLAND	-	Julie	VAPOR EXTRACTION SPARGING
		The second of th				SOUTH -	7 2 47	REMEDIATION
	<del></del>	ALIC 9 A A			Illustrate or Describe Fences, Rivers, etc. a	Distance of Well from Roo nd attach a map. Use addit	ids, Buildings, ional paper if	OTHER (SPECIFY)
Illustrate or Describe Distance of Well from Roads, Buildings, Fences, Rivers, etc. and attach a map. Use additional paper if necessary. PLEASE BE ACCURATE & COMPLETE.  OTHER (SPECIFY)								
1 1						R LEVEL & YIELD	OF COMPL	ETED WELL
	ENVI	DEPT. OF RONMENTAL MANA	^		DEPTH TO FIRST V	, ,	ELOW SURFACE	
1		TOTAL WANA	GEMENT		DEPTH OF STATIC WATER LEVEL	«Co <sup>S</sup> S" (Et 1 & DATI	E MEASURED	4/20/05
i i					ESTIMATED YIELD		REST TYPE -	ric
TOTAL DEPTH OF I	BORING(	Feet) and		1	TEST LENGTH	(GPM) & TOTAL DRAW	DOWN37	} (Ft.)
TOTAL DEPTH OF C	COMPLETED WELL _	Feet) 350 <sub>(Feet)</sub>			* May not be repr	esentative of a well's lo	ıg-term yield.	
			CASING (S)	<del></del>			ANN	ULAR MATERIAL
DEPTH FROM SURFACE	BORE- HOLE TYPE (∠)	T	77.01110 (0)	<u>'                                    </u>	1	DEPTH FROM SURFACE		TYPE
	DIA. ¥ KI J S L	MATERIAL /	INTERNAL	GAUGE	SLOT SIZE		CE- BEN-	CH TED DAOY
Ft. to Ft.	DIA. (luches) SCREEN CON- DUCTOR PIE	GRADE	DIAMETER (Inches)	OR WALL		Ft. to Ft.	MENT TONITE	(TYPE/SIZE)
0; 59	1½ A	6460	<u> </u>	200		0 ; 59	1 7 1 - 7	1 - 7
59 110	12 3/4 72	F480	<del>  6</del>	200		59 350		ib som som
110 190	12 3/4 2	743)	6	200	facioxy	1		·
190 250	12 3/4 X	F480	ô	200		1		
250   350	12 3/4 6	F480	ਹੈ	200	factory	1		-
j					·	ı		
ATTACHMENTS ( $\leq$ ) CERTIFICATION STATEMENT								
I, the undersigned, certify that this report is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.  — Geologic Log  McLean & Williams, Inc.								
Well Construction Diagram NAME (PERSON, FIRM, OR CORPORATION) (TYPED OR PRINTED)								
Geophysic	cal Log(s)					4558		
	r Chemical Analyses	ADDRESS '		< 1		CITY		STATE ZIP
Other   ADDRESS								
ATTACH ADDITIONAL IN	IFORMATION, IF IT EXIST	S. Signed ${\text{C-57}}$	LICENSED WATE	R WELL CONTRA	ACTOR	DAT	E SIGNED	C-57 LICENSE NUMBER

June 9, 2003 #02-54

Charles Wilson, Director Napa County Conservation, Development and Planning Department 1195 Third Street, Room 210 Napa, CA 94559

Re: Phase One Water Availability Analysis for the Leducq Vineyards Winery, 3222 Ehlers Lane, Saint Helena, CA, APN 022-100-024 & -025

Dear Mr. Wilson:

As required by the County of Napa Public Works Department, and the interim policy approved by the Planning Commission on March 6, 1991, this letter outlines a Phase One Water Availability Analysis for the Leducq Vineyards Winery Use Permit Modification application.

As outlined in the interim policy a reconnaissance level report for this site has been prepared with the following items being pertinent to the study:

# Site Plan

A USGS site map showing the site and approximate property line locations is attached. Information regarding the locations of the existing wells, structures and vineyards is shown on the Leducq Winery Conceptual Site Plan prepared by Bartelt Engineering. Information regarding the location of the existing wells on adjacent properties was unavailable at the time this report was prepared.

# **Project Description**

It is our understanding that the winery will maintain its full crushing production of 25,000 gallons of wine per year. Production will be relocated from the existing winery building to the existing barrel storage building that is going to be expanded to accommodate production activities. The existing winery building will be used for offices and retail sales and tastings and barrel storage will be moved to the newly proposed caves. The staffing level will be maintained at 7 full-time employees and 3 seasonal (harvest) employees. Tours and tastings will be scheduled thirty times per year by appointment only with an average of 10 visitors per event and 20 visitors on a peak day visiting the winery. Private promotional events and dinners will be scheduled eight times per year with a maximum of

... Markan Tribert WHITE THE COMMENTS The market and make the we the state of the same To Independ white The . Commun. o bordenseiner ich - west-freezestation ... en alla de la compansión de la compa والمتشرة والمتراثا TO PERSONAL TIME THE PROPERTY. تا خاجون على المراس المارية . منتضاه ومعجده والإستانية

civil engineering land planning

1339 pearl street #205 napa, california 94559 (707) 258-1301

الله والمناسبة المناسبة المنا

(707) 258-2926 fax

35 guests in attendance. It is also planned that the winery will host three wine auction related or similar events per year with a maximum attendance of 75 guests. In order to maintain sanitary wastewater flows at an acceptable level, all food preparation and dishwashing activities will take place offsite and daily tours and tastings, private promotional dinners and wine auction related events will not be scheduled on the same day.

# **Projected Water Consumption**

The total water requirements for the existing and proposed uses on the subject parcels are calculated below using quantities provided in the staff report from County of Napa Public Works Department. Current water use will be based on the existing parcel configurations and projected water use will be based on the parcel configurations that will result from the proposed lot line adjustment.

# Current Water Use Using the Napa County Interim Policy

# Existing Winery Parcel (APN 022-100-024)

Single Family Residence (see attachment D)	0.50 acre-feet/year
Vineyard Irrigation (10.40 acres - see attachment D)	3.97 acre-feet/year
Winery Process Water (see attachment D)	0.54 acre-feet/year
Winery Domestic & Landscaping Water (see attachment D)	0.13 acre-feet/year
*	·

Total Current Water Use for this parcel = 5.14 acre-feet/year

# Existing Estate House Parcel (APN 022-100-025)

Single Family Residence (see attachment D)	0.50 acre-feet/year
Vineyard Irrigation (0.05 acres - see attachment D)	0.02 acre-feet/year

<u>Total Current Water Use for this parcel = 0.52 acre-feet/year</u>

Current Water Use for both existing parcels combined = 5.14 ac-ft/year + 0.52 ac-ft/year

Current Water Use for both existing parcels combined = 5.66 acre-feet/year

Projected Water Use Using the Napa County Interim Policy

# Proposed Winery & Estate House Parcel (APN to be determined)

Single Family Residence (see attachment D)	0.50 acre-feet/year
Vineyard Irrigation (9.23 acres - see attachment D)	3.53 acre-feet/year

and the second second المناسبة المعالمة المناسبة en samena en en حوادات والاختاء ال THE WAY LESS AND LOSS AND THE Jan 15 25 15 -The second between the 2 TO TRANSPORT & STREET, TO الماء ومعسلامية والتاريخ المناهوروا Write Committee ייים או במשביל מיי או במשקה בי والمستنسن والمعاولية والمالية Press . executive color of וופציטישילים וקצוייימצטוו معروجها ومعروز ستؤثث وأس سجيتي بالمجدودات أجون والاحتمالية والمنافرة المسانح المعادية المعادية

The same of the sa

Winery operations are not being changed therefore the projected water use will be the same as the current water use:

Winery Process. Water (see Attachment D)	0.54 acre-feet/year
Winery Domestic & Landscape Water (see Attachment D)	0.13 acre-feet/year
,	

<u>Total Projected Water Use for this proposed parcel</u> = 4.70 acre-feet/year

# Proposed Caretaker's Residence Parcel (APN to be determined)

Single Family Dwelling (see attachment D)	0.50 acre-feet/year
Vineyard Irrigation (0.94 acres - see attachment D)	0.36 acre-feet/year

<u>Total Projected Water Use for this proposed parcel</u> = 0.86 acre-feet/year

Projected Water Use for both proposed parcels combined = 4.70 ac-ft/year + 0.86 ac-ft/year

Projected Water Use for both proposed parcels combined = 5.56 acre-feet/year

### Acceptable Threshold Water Use

(Calculated using Napa County Interim Policy for water usage in valley floor areas)

1.00 acre-feet/acre of site - valley floor

The following calculation assumes that both parcels, both proposed and existing, lie in an area designated as valley floor.

Acceptable water use = 14.90 acres x 1.00 acre-feet/year = 14.90 acre-feet/year

The above analysis shows that the projected water usage for the proposed parcels will be less than the current water usage for the existing parcels and less than the acceptable threshold water usage for the subject parcels. Irrigation to maintain the vineyard typically begins in April and continues until November, with the peak vineyard irrigation period between May and August. Vineyard irrigation will be at a reduced level prior to and during the harvest, typically during September and October.

# **Existing Water Source and Storage Capacity**

According to the Property Owner, domestic, irrigation and fire protection water is currently provided from an existing onsite well. Well water will continue to be pumped from the existing well to storage tanks sized per California Department of Forestry & Fire Protection Standards to satisfy domestic, landscape, vineyard, winery and fire protection requirements.

WORKSPANDERSON ... Write ( remainded プレンシニペット ちかっちゃんご فالمراطأ بالمحصيلين ومراكبة المارية بالمعارض والماري الماري والماري STATE OF THE PERSON ASSESSED. . waterweiten ..... でんごかんとことのかったとう

Wread to see with a con-

To the substitute of the constitute of the const

# **Summary and Conclusions**

The water use requirements for the Leducq Vineyards Winery on Ehlers Lane are projected to be less than the acceptable threshold water usage level in accordance with the Interim Water Availability Policy; therefore, a Phase Two and/or Phase Three Analysis should not be required. The above information and the attached plans should assist you in processing the subject Use Permit. If you have any questions regarding the information provided, please feel free to call me.

Sincerely, N. BAR, N.

Paul N. Bartelt, P.E. Principal Engineer

PNB:sd.

cc: Vance Rose, Leducq Vineyards
Debbie Quick, Dickenson, Peatman & Fogarty
Rory McCarthy, Rory McCarthy Design

بمبرغ مدي بن عامري . Tables a square يستومين والمحاشدات · 2 3. . 4 milion application and a والمناسعة والمناسعة والإمساع الماسان والإسام وال ستراوالمساورة والماسات والمارات در شارعت بعد برینچ<sup>ون ا</sup>نت Commencer in سوعليك دارجوسم يوسيل والمراجعة المسادرة AND AND SHAPE TO THE REAL PROPERTY. معيرمين بالمسترمضة وأخشاه تحصورت والمحطف لاست ::I'th consequent क र्या व क्षण्या<del>स्य</del> لتشناه وينتهين والمائية التربيب باطبيع وفالينواوان والمراسية والمراسية والمراسية Company of Doctor Sections Sometiffication and a con-ور بوم بارسال کرد الادال . . . and his trace نيان ريوسور شياريونهاي . . الأوي . " ت organisment arrange CHAIN WHAT WITH BOTH S design with the service The state of the s ··· .. beton the constitution of الهجاء ولتشلع ويولهم للانطاع وأداءا معهديد بكريانه ستايتهم منستران ZVORNANCE ZUMANA المرجودون ومعاوران ومعوسات · ARL T CONTRACTOR CONTRACTOR n seranganan adalah بالمغربين يمامها بمداسات المسالط Land manager on their · P. . rentalement con His. This track which was this for المركز والمستحارة المعاربة Children and and artistication استشامه فراه ودالا وحالات يكابر عناميه وغيصير كالأثاث يؤسروار TERMINE A HOUSE والمتاريخ والمتلاحق والمتاركة والمتاركة Contractor white to white PARTITION OF THE PERSON To The same " " years " " says A SECRETARY TO BE SECURED. ينت ، بسيويترويتهناوس . ويحمصون الهياشانيان CARLES CARTIFOLD

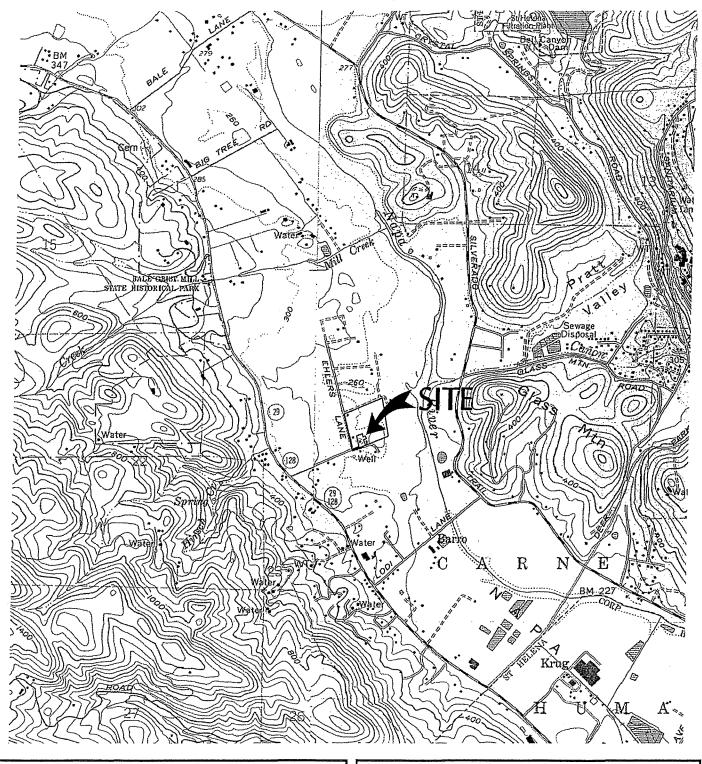
erite da la composition de la composition della composition della

# TOPOGRAPHI SITE LOCATION - FORMATION



USGS 7.5 MINUTE QUADRANGLE "SAINT HELENA"

Scale: 1" = 2000'



A STATE OF THE STA

# BARTELT engineering

civil engineering · land planning 1339 pearl street #205, napa, ca 94559 (707) 258-1301 · fax (707) 258-2926 Leducq Vineyards 3222 Ehlers Lane Saint Helena, CA APN 020-100-024

Job no. 02-54

June 2003

# Attachment D

### PHASE I WATER AVAILABILITY ANALYSIS

	PHASEI	VAIER AVAL	LABILITY ANALYSI	S
File #:	Owner: Ledu	ıcq Vineyards	Parcel #:	022-100-024 & -025
This form is intended to Department will not acc	•	• •		er Availability Analysis. <b>The</b>
use will occur on a prope	erty as a resul nave a detrime	It of the a cont ntal effect on g	version. Staff uses t roundwater levels. If	rmine what changes in water his information to determine it may, additional information
PERSONS QUALIFIED TO PI	REPARE: Any p	person that can	provide the needed i	nformation
PROCEDURE: <u>Step 1:</u> Prepare and attenders, vi			• •	cel(s) with the locations of all
STEP 2: Determine the attraction Total size of parcel(s) Multiply by parcel location Allowable groundwater	on factor	<u>14.90</u> x <u>1.00</u>	acre(s) (two parcels	combined)
planned conversion; a	ctual water us	age figures ma	ay be substituted for	cel(s) currently and after the the current usage estimate rd establishment period and
Current Usage:				
Number of <i>planted</i> a	cres	10.45	_ acres	
Multiply by number of Multiply by gallons/vi Divide by 325,851 ga	ine/year	x <u>100</u>	_vines per acre _gallons of water per _af of water per yr us	vine per year ed for vineyard irrigation
Future Usage:				
Number of <u>planted</u> a	cres	10.17	_acres	
Multiply by number o	x <u>1,245</u>	vines per acre		
Multiply by gallons/vi	ne/year	x <u>100</u>	gallons of water per	vine per year (long-term)
Divide by 325,851 ga	illons/af	= 100 3.89 N/A	af of water per yr us	vine per year (establish) ed (vineyard long-term) ed (vineyard establish)
	e existing and			and/or detailed water use e parcel(s) in acre-foot per
	12.1 gallotts;		Euturo Hoogo	
Existing Usage: Residential	1.00 af/yr		Future Usage: Residential	1.00 af/yr
Farm Labor Dwelling	-0af/yr		Farm Labor Dwelling	-0- af/yr
Winery	0.67 af/yr		Winery	0.67 af/yr
Commercial	-0- af/yr		Commercial	o.o.rairyr 0af/yr
Vineyard (long-term)	3.99 af/yr		Vineyard (long-term)	3.89 af/yr
			J (	/ -

" (establish) <u>N/A</u> af/yr

(establish) N/A af/yr

Other Agriculture	-U-	af/yr	Other Agricultureaf/y
Landscaping	0-	af/yr	Landscapingaf/yi
Other Usage	0-	af/yr	Other Usageaf/yı
TOTAL	5.66	af/yr	TOTAL <u>5.56</u> af/y

STEP 5: Attach all supporting information that may be significant to this analysis including but not limited to all water use calculations for the various uses listed

### **Parcel Location Factors**

The allowable allotment of water is based on the location of your parcel. Valley floor areas include all locations on the floor of the Napa Valley and Carneros Basin except for groundwater deficient areas. Groundwater deficient areas are areas that have been determined by the Department of Public Works as having a history of problems with groundwater. All other areas are classified as Mountain Areas. Public Works can assist you in determining your classification.

### Parcel Location Factors

Valley Floor 1.0 acre foot per acre per year Mountain Areas 0.5 acre foot per acre per year Groundwater Deficient Area (MST) 0.3 acre foot per acre per year

### **Guidelines For Estimating Water Usage:**

### Residential:

3, 4, 4, 2

Single Family Residence 0.5 acre-foot per year

Farm Labor Dwelling 1.0 acre-foot per year (6 people)

0.4 acre-foot per year Second Unit 0.1 acre-foot per year Guest Cottage

Winery:

**Process Water** 2.15 acre-foot per 100,000 gal. of wine 0.50 acre-foot per 100,000 gal. of wine Domestic and Landscaping

Commercial:

Office Space 0.01 acre-foot per employee per year 0.05 acre-foot per employee per year Warehouse

Agricultural:

Vineyards

Irrigation only 0.2 to 0.5 acre-foot per acre per year Heat Protection 0.25 acre foot per acre per year 0.25 acre foot per acre per year Frost Protection 4.0 acre-foot per acre per year Irrigated Pasture 4.0 acre-foot per acre per year Orchards 0.01 acre-foot per acre per year

Livestock (sheep or cows)

Landscaping:

1.5 acre-foot per acre per year Landscaping