

How to Find a Water Right

The purpose of this document is to help users locate water rights that are associated with their properties using the Nooksack Adjudication Map.

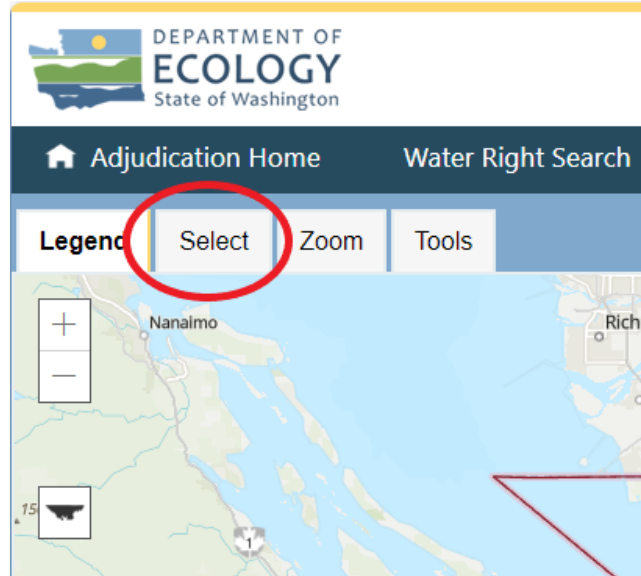
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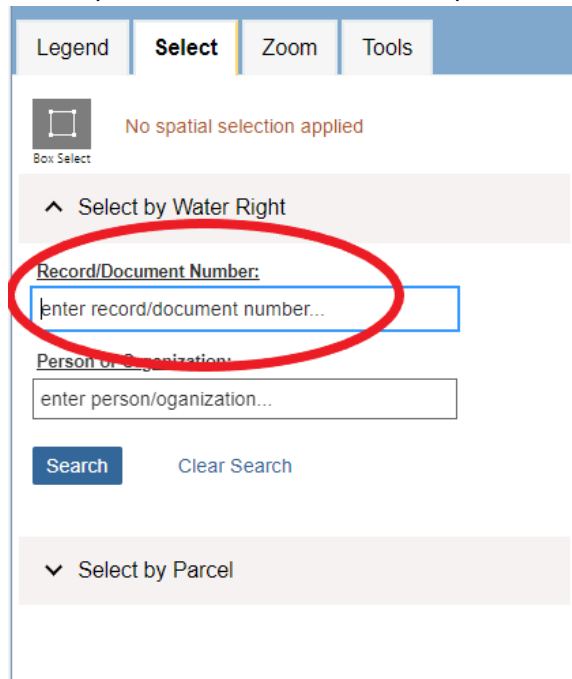
By Document/Record Number:

Select Tool

1. Click the “Select” tab in the upper left corner.



2. Enter the Record/Document number in the space provided.
This can also be a partial number and various options should appear



3. Click on the "Search" button.

The screenshot shows a navigation menu with 'Legend', 'Select', 'Zoom', and 'Tools'. Below the menu, there is a 'Box Select' icon and the text 'No spatial selection applied'. A dropdown menu is open, showing 'Select by Water Right' and 'Select by Parcel'. Under 'Select by Water Right', there are two search input fields: 'Record/Document Number:' with the value 'S1-24842CWRIS' and 'Person or Organization:' with the placeholder 'enter person/organization...'. Below these fields are two buttons: 'Search' (circled in red) and 'Clear Search'.

4. Results show information about the associated water right document.

The screenshot shows the 'Water Right Search' results page. The navigation menu includes 'Legend', 'Select', 'Zoom', 'Tools', and 'Results' (highlighted in yellow). The page title is 'Water Right Search' and the search criteria is 'Record/Document Number: S1-24842CWRIS'. The results are displayed in a grid format:

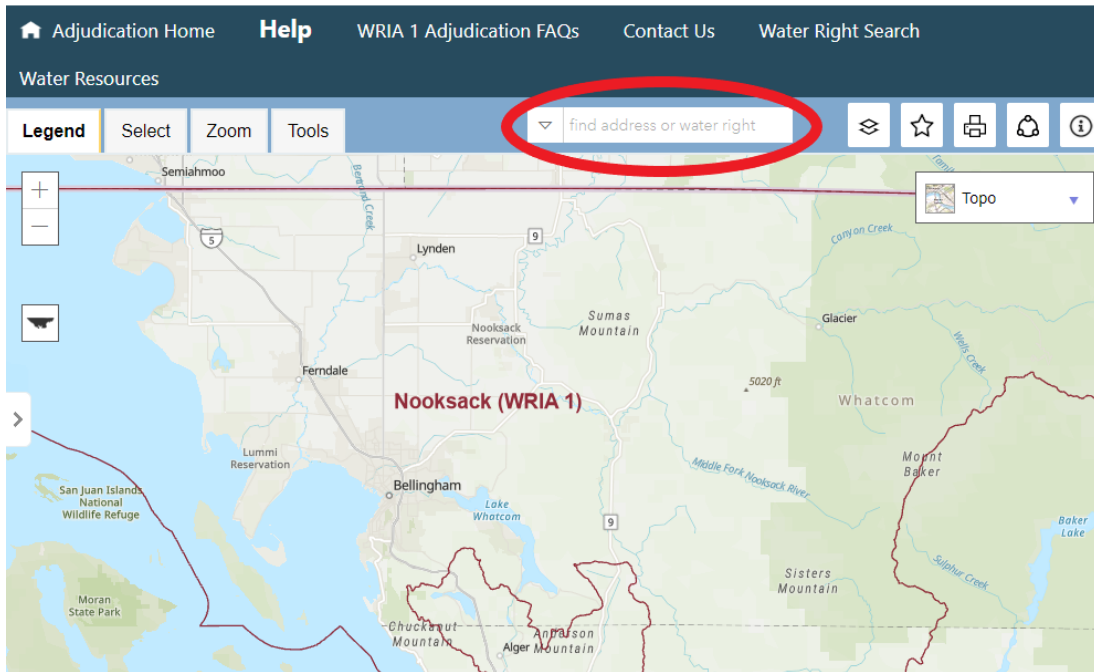
Quantities: ? 0.02 CFS 1.0000 Acre Feet	Purposes: ? Domestic Single Fire Protection
Source Names: ? Oyster Creek	Device Types: ? Headworks (Gravity Flow)

Number of Devices: 1
● Latitude/Longitude based point

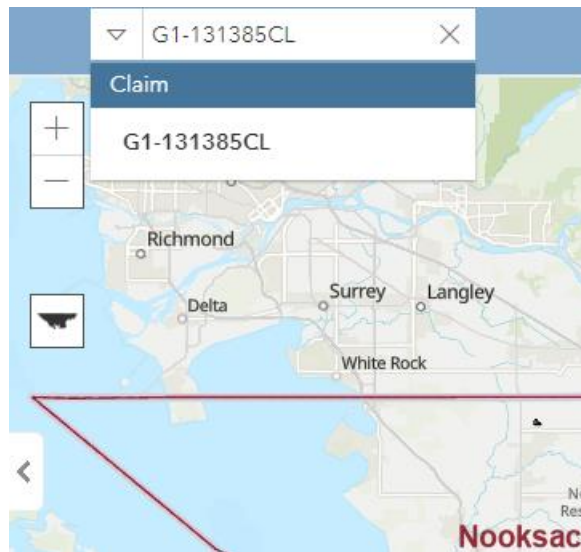
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Search Bar

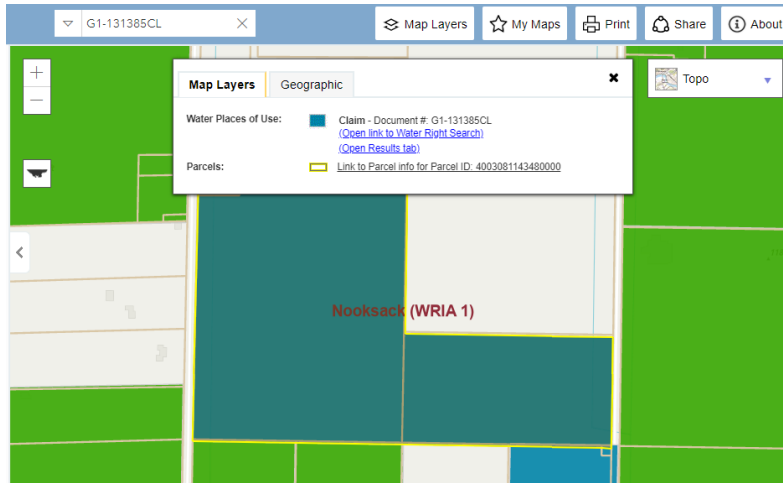
1. Go to the 'find address or water right' search bar



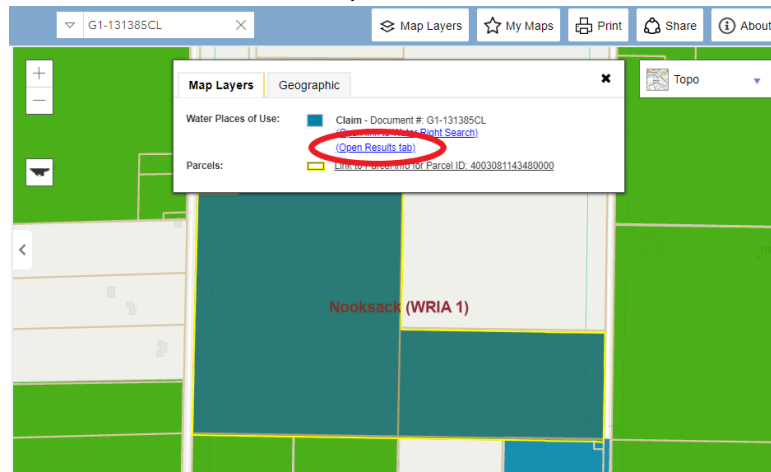
2. Type in the water right document number. Results should appear as you type. Click on the associated one.



3. Click on the place of use. There may be multiple water rights, so click in multiple different spots. A pop up will appear. *Make sure to scroll down on the pop up to view all provided information.*



4. Select "Open Results tab".



5. You can now view more information for this document.

Legend Select Zoom Tools **Results**

Record/Document Number: G1-131385CL

Quantities: n/a	Purposes: Irrigation Domestic General
Source Names: Groundwater	Device Types: Well

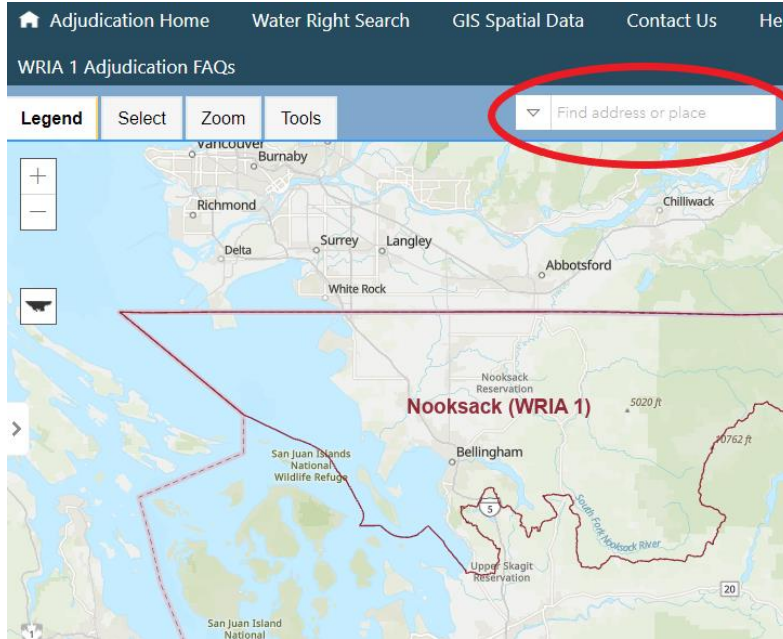
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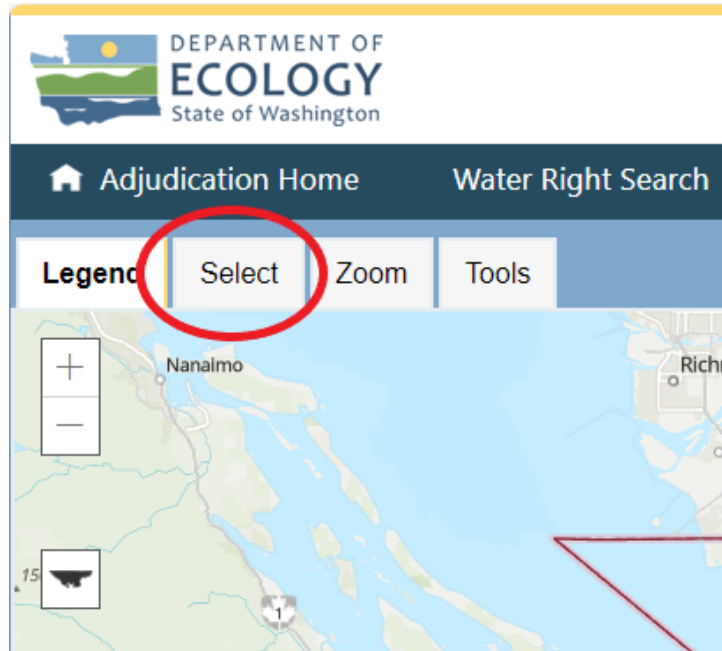
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**By Address:
Box Select**

1. In the search bar, type in the address or place where you use water.



2. Click on the select tab in the upper left corner.




3. Click on the “box select.”

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Legend **Select** Zoom Tools

 No spatial selection applied

Box Select

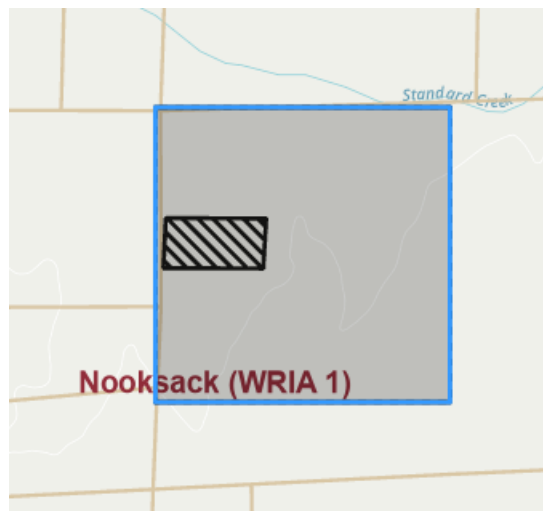
^ Select by Water Right

Record/Document Number:
enter record/document number...

Person or Organization:
enter person/organization...

Search Clear Search

4. Draw your cursor over your property. As you drag, a blue box should appear.



- Results should appear with information about the associated water right document.

Legend
Select
Zoom
Tools
Results

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Record/Document Number: G1-058152CL

Quantities: ?
n/a

Source Names: ?
Groundwater

Purposes: ?
Irrigation
Domestic General

Device Types: ?
Well

Number of Devices: 1

● Latitude/Longitude based point

Open Record in WRTS

- If there are multiple associated water rights, you can toggle between them by pressing the binoculars button on the 'Water Rights Table'

Water Rights Table ▼

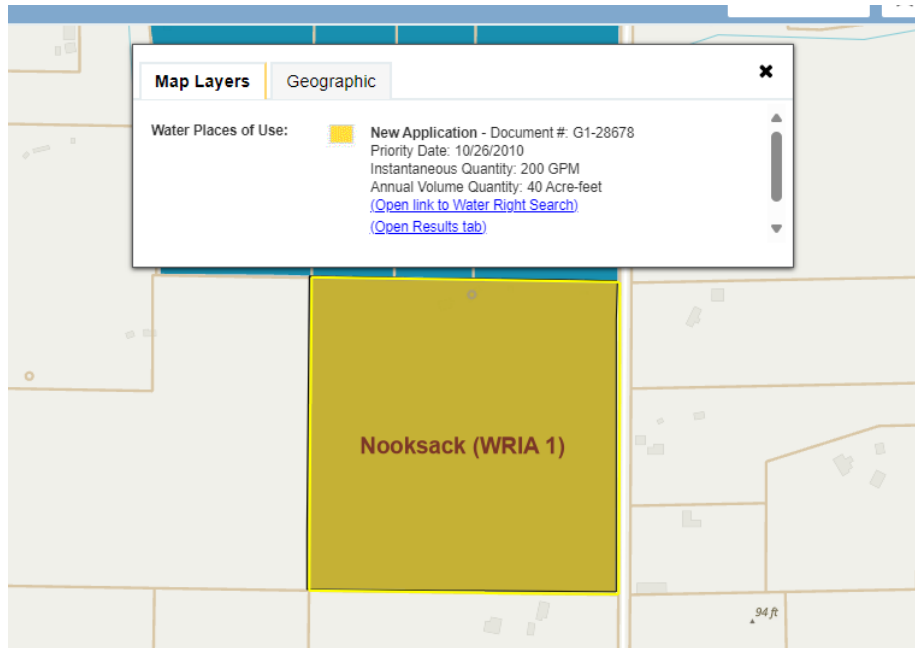
Export Results to Excel
Clear Search and Table

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	View	G1-001437CL	2271454	Bengen, Robert R		Claim	Active	Yes	
	View	G1-01779CWRIS	2282248	Bengen R R,	01/15/1951	Certificate	ChangeInProgress	Yes	200,0000 GPM
	View	G1-28786	6264862	Mdm Properties Llc,	06/19/2014	New Application	Active	Yes	200,0000 GPM

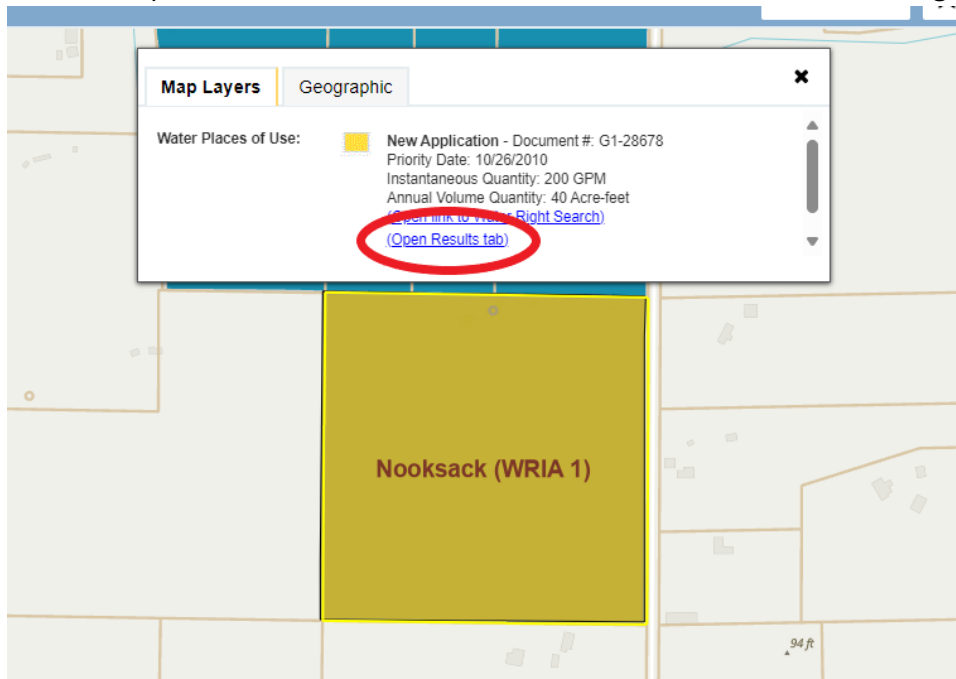
Search Bar

After you search for the address in the search bar:

1. Click on the property to view associated water rights. There may be multiple water rights, so click in multiple different spots. A pop up will appear. *Make sure to scroll down on the pop up to view all provided information.*



2. Select on "Open Results tab" to view further information about that water right.



3. You can now view more information for this document.

Legend Select Zoom Tools **Results**

Record/Document Number: G1-28678

Quantities: 200.00 GPM
40.0000 Acre Feet
40.00 Irrigated Acres

Purposes: Irrigation

Source Names: Groundwater

Device Types: Well

Number of Devices: 1

Open Record in WRTS

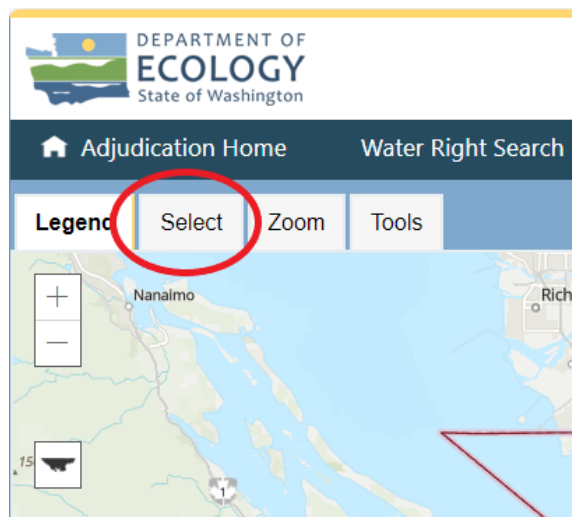
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**By Parcel Number:
Select Tool**

A parcel number is the county record for the property. In Whatcom County, this is a 12- or 16-digit number. In Skagit County, this is a 5- or 6-digit number

1. Go to the Select tab



2. Click “Select by Parcel”

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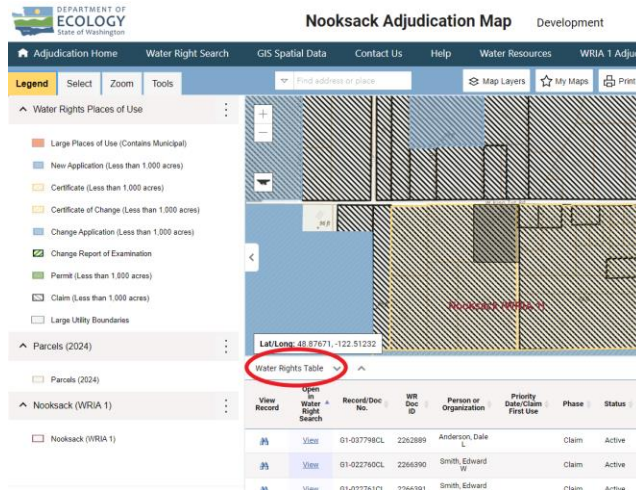
3. Use the dropdown menu to enter the county type in the parcel number of the property you use water on.

The screenshot shows the 'Select by Parcel' dropdown menu expanded. It contains a 'County:' dropdown menu with 'Whatcom' selected, a 'Parcel Number:' text input field containing '3903303664980000', and 'Search' and 'Clear Search' buttons.

4. Click search.

The screenshot shows the 'Select by Parcel' dropdown menu expanded. The 'Search' button is circled in red. The 'County:' dropdown menu has 'Whatcom' selected, and the 'Parcel Number:' text input field contains '3903303664980000'.

- The water rights associated with the parcel will appear in the “Water Rights Table”.



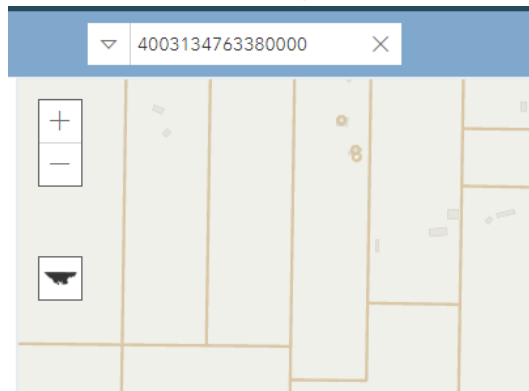
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Water Rights Table ▼ Export Results to Excel Clear Search and Table

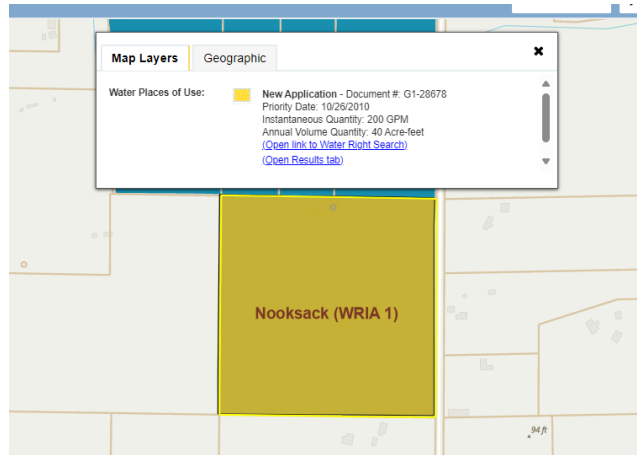
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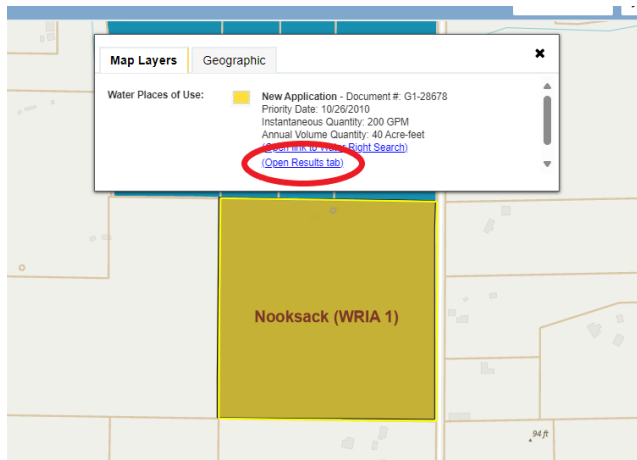
- Input the parcel number in the ‘search by address or water right’ search bar.



- Click on the parcel to view associated water rights. There may be multiple water rights, so click in multiple different spots. A pop up will appear. *Make sure to scroll down on the pop up to view all provided information.*



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Number of Devices: 1

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