



Rules and Procedures for Water Use in Oil and Gas Well Development

Water-Use Report & Accounting Procedures

Northern Water has developed water-use reporting and accounting procedures for oil and gas development. The original version of these procedures was published in May 2012. Over the past year or so, Northern Water has gained a much better understanding of how water purveyors in the region provide “well development water” and is proposing modifications to the original procedures. The proposed procedures (dated November 2013) and the original May 2012 procedures are attached below:

- [Water-Use Reporting & Accounting Procedures](#) for the development of oil and gas wells (**May 2012 version**)
- [Water-Use Reporting & Accounting Procedures](#) for the development of oil and gas wells (**DRAFT - November 2013 version**)

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Other oil and gas well development documents and links:

- [Rules on Water Use](#) for Oil and Gas Wells
- [Monthly Reporting Form \(Excel spreadsheet\)](#) for the use of C-BT Project Water and first use Windy Gap Project Water for well development purposes
- [Boundary Location Tool](#) to determine if a particular location or well is within Northern Water or Municipal Subdistrict boundaries