

Name of Lake (for proposed dam): Velma (Lower)

County: El Dorado

National Forest: Eldorado

Drainage: Eagle Lake, Eagle Creek, Lake Tahoe

Location: T. 13N, R. 17E, Section 30. 5.5. miles by trail from Eagle Falls campground
Lake Tahoe (Fallen Leaf Lake Quad.).

Ownership: U. S. Forest Service

Surface Acres: 40 Maximum depth: 61' Elevation: 7500'

Engineering Survey Available: Yes (Plans in map cabinet in warehouse).

Type of Project: Stream flow maintenance dam.

Reason for not Constructing: A good damsite exists on the lake and about 130 acre feet of storage could be developed; however, additional water is not needed in the outlet stream. The outlet stream enters Eagle Lake, is very precipitous and has a good flow of water all year. The benefits of the storage in Lower Velma Lake would be of little or no value.

Remarks: Proposed under W.C.B. #1 program by Mt. Ralston Fish Planting Club.