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State of Idaho  
Department of Water Resources  
Eastern District Office  
900 N. Skyline Dr. Suite A  
Idaho Falls, Idaho 83402

Letter for Evidence of Priority for Rankin Motel Ground Well

Dear Sir:

My parents David K. Rankin and his wife Eva G. Rankin purchased the property from Charles S. Edwards February 28, 1925. It is recorded in the Fremont County Courthouse at the Records Office in St. Anthony, Idaho. This property included a ground water well and 113 shares of water from Farmers Ditch Co. for the 150 acres.

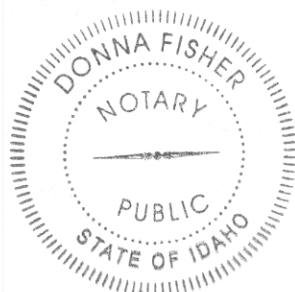
The claim number for this property is 21-4128 which was filed on September 19, 1983.

I have lived on the land here for many years. The well water usage was for watering cattle in the winter months and also used for household needs such as cleaning, washing and bathing. It was also used to do laundry for the bedding and sheets for the motels as well as what the guests would need for bathing and cooking. This well is still in use today being used in the rental home for everyday household needs. It is also used to irrigate the garden and berry patch. This well continues to furnish water usage for every day living needs.

Sincerely,

*Mrs. Byron Grover*

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