

December 14, 2001

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RE: Amendment of Snake River Basin Adjudication (SRBA) 29-02224G

Dear Eugene,

In July 6, 2001 Dean Byington, an intern for Idaho Dept. of Water Resources met with you to do a field exam regarding your SRBA claim 29-02224G. This claim is for use of water from the Portneuf River for irrigation purposes. In reviewing your claim I found a couple issues that need to be addressed.

Issue 1:

When filing your claim, you claimed a portion of original licensed right 29-02224. The priority date on the original license is October 4, 1919. However, you claimed a priority date of November 1, 1940.

If the Portneuf water has been put to beneficial use on your property since the time of licensing, I think it would be in your best interest to amend your claim to represent the 1919 priority date.

Issue 2:

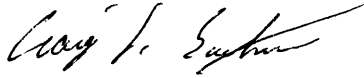
Deans notes indicate you have one point of diversion. However, your original filing claimed two additional points of diversion for in-stream use, which are not applicable for an irrigation claim.

Enclosed is an amended claim with the 1919 priority date and only one point of diversion. Please look over the claim and initial any changes you wish to make. When satisfied, sign the claim in front of a notary and return it to this office as soon as possible.

I spoke to Debbie Rademacher today concerning her and Steve's claims. I have an appointment to meet with them on Wednesday, December 19th at 2:30 pm. If it is convenient you could just send the signed amended claim with them.

Please feel free to contact me at 525-7161 if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Craig L. Saxton". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending from the end.

Craig L. Saxton
Water Resource Agent
Adjudication Bureau