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RE: Snake River Basin Adjudication (SRBA)
Notices of Error for Preliminary Recommendations #73-12045 and 73-12046

Dear Ted,

Pardon my brevity in this letter to respond to the Notices of Error for 73-12045 and 73-12046.

I have enclosed copies of the split of the two initial decreed rights. You'll see your pro rata share presuming no specific historic deeds of water totals 6.03 cfs for both rights.

I have also enclosed copies of preliminary recommendations and place of use maps for 73-12080 and 73-12081. You'll see the priority date for Patterson Creek is recommended advanced from what you claimed to reflect the high water nature of the use and most junior diversion from the creek. The river right is recommended with a priority date the day after the earlier decree and at two inches per acre when added to 73-12045 and 73-12046 that is typical in other cases with a ditch from the river of about 2½ miles.

Please call me at 208/287-4921 you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Donald V. Shaff, MPA
Adjudication Bureau Chief

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Enclosures:

Preliminary Recommendations 73-12080 and 73-12081
Place of Use Maps for 73-12080 and 73-12081