

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE
STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS**

In Re SRBA	)	Subcase No. 1-211A
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Case No. 39576	)	
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	)	STANDARD FORM 1
	)	OBJECTION
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NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON OBJECTING:

Name: City of Pocatello,
A municipal corporation
Address: P. O. Box 4169
Pocatello, ID 83205

Daytime Phone: 208-234-6149

Name & Address of Attorney, if any:

Josephine P. Beeman, ISB # 1806
409 W. Jefferson St.
Boise, Idaho 83702
(208) 331-0950

CLAIMANT OF WATER RIGHT AS LISTED IN DIRECTOR'S REPORT:

Name: United States of America Acting Through
Regional Director PN Region
Bureau of Reclamation PN-3100
Address: 1150 N. Curtis Road
Suite 100
Boise, Idaho 83706-1234

I object to the following elements as recommended in the Director's Report:

1. ☐ **Name and Address**
2. ☒ **Source**
Regarding Minidoka Credit Language
3. ☒ **Quantity**
Regarding Minidoka Credit Language
4. ☐ **Priority Date**
5. ☐ **Point(s) of Diversion**
6. ☐ **Instream Flow Description**
7. ☐ **Purpose(s) of Use**
8. ☐ **Period of Year**
9. ☐ **Place of Use**
11. **I object because:**
 - ☐ This water right should not exist.
 - ☐ This water right was not recommended, but should be recommended with the elements described above.

REASONS SUPPORTING OBJECTION(S):

The City of Pocatello has junior priority state-law ground water rights upstream from the Snake River diversions of the Twin Falls Canal Company and the North Side Canal Company. In addition, the City of Pocatello has contractual rights to Snake River storage under the contract it entered into with the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation under Contract No. 14-06-100-1825 dated January 8, 1960. Under the Contract, the City of Pocatello is entitled to 4.1667% of the reservoir capacity of Palisades Reservoir which is 50,000 acre feet at the estimated active capacity of 1,200,000 acre feet. Either as a junior priority ground water user or as an entitled user of storage water, the City of Pocatello is affected by the determination of natural flow and storage water for the Twin Falls Canal Company and the North Side Canal Company under the general provision for the Minidoka Credit Language.

VERIFICATION

State of Idaho)
) ss.
County of Bannock)

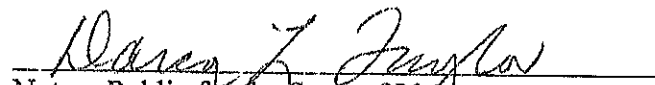
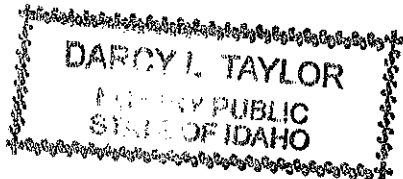
A. Dean Tranmer, duly sworn, upon oath, deposes and says:

That I am the party/claimant filing this objection, as defined by I.C. §§ 42-1401A(i) and (6) and that I have read this objection, know its contents and believe that the statements are true to the best of my knowledge.



A. Dean Tranmer
City Attorney
City of Pocatello

Subscribed and sworn to before me on: April 19, 2007



Notary Public for the State of Idaho
Residing at: Pocatello, Idaho
My Commission Expires: 8/12/12

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that on April 19, 2007, I mailed the original and copies of this objection, including all attachments, to the following persons:

1. Original to:

Clerk of the District Court
Snake River Basin Adjudication
253 Third Avenue North
P. O. Box 2707
Twin Falls, ID 83303-2707

2. One copy to the claimant of the water right at the following address:

Name: United States of America Acting Through
Regional Director PN Region
Bureau of Reclamation PN-3100
Address: 1150 N. Curtis Road
Suite 100
Boise, Idaho 83706-1234

3. Copies to:

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