

RECOMMENDATION REVIEW:

Date: 9/9/2008
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Claimant: Ditto Creek Ranch, LLC
WR# 61-12171
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Location of POD: T2S R6E SECTION 17 NWNW
Measuring Device: N/A (Not required with small de-minimus stockwater)
System: 50' deep well, 1 1/4" buried line to troughs
Field Exam: Not required on small stockwater (small de-minimus)
Nonirrigation Uses: stockwater (600 head cattle, that rotate between fields)
Other Uses: NONE
Other WRs Used: NONE
Supplemental Water: NONE
Basis of Claim: Beneficial Use
Priority Date: 2/11/1992 (same as completion date for well) date was changed from 1/1/1992 to 2/11/1992

42-113d The priority date shall be the first date that water historically was used for livestock watering....

Evidence of Priority: N/A, not required (Idaho Code 42-113)

NOTES:

Claimant submitted a map confirming location for POU.

Location of Well: No well logs were found in Section 17, and only one in Section 18, which matched all information for the well described for this WR claim. For this reason, it was determined to be an error on the driller's report, since the well has always been located in section 17.

Measurement: Well log indicates 15 gpm X 0.00223 = 0.03 cfs max. capacity of system

8/4/08 spoke with Brian Peterson/attorney for claimant. He and his client are ok with the 0.03 cfs capacity of the system, since the recommendation N13 (not to exceed 13,000 gpd) is included with the recommendations (this is a standard recommendation for de-minimus stockwater)

Recommendation:

C18

N11 historical B/U

N13 shall not exceed 13,000 gpd

X02 600 head cattle that rotate through different pastures.

PIN: RP01S06E180030 & RP01S06E170610