

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

In Re the General Adjudication
of Rights to the Use of Water
from the Snake River Basin
Water System

Case No. 34-04190
(You must insert the
water right number you
are objecting to)

The State of Idaho, ex rel.
R. Keith Higginson in his
official capacity as Director
of the Idaho Department of
Water Resources,

OBJECTION

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Department of Water Resources
Adjudication Bureau

Petitioner,

vs.

The United States; the State
of Idaho; and all Claimants to
the use of water from the Snake
River Basin Water System,

Respondents.

INSTRUCTIONS

This form must be used to file an objection to any water right recommended in the Director's Report. You may object to one water right per objection form. The water right number you are objecting to must be indicated above in the blank space following "Case No." To object to more than one water right, you must file a separate objection form for each. Forms may be obtained from the Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR), or you may copy or reproduce this blank form, as long as it is identical to the court's form. You must file your objection by the deadline shown in the notice that IDWR mailed to you. The objection must be received by the court on or before the deadline specified. Instructions for mailing this objection are found at Page 6, and must be strictly followed.

Any party physically filing 25 (twenty-five) or more objections must make an appointment with the Clerk of the Adjudication Court and arrange for an appointment to file multiple objections.

(Over)

OBJECTION - 1

By filing an objection form, you are certifying that the objection is well-grounded in fact; is warranted by existing law or a good-faith argument for the extension, modification or reversal of existing law; and that it is not filed for any improper purpose, such as to harass, cause unnecessary delay or needless increase in the cost of litigation.

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

Please fill in the following information:

1. Person objecting

Name: Ned R. & Reva W. Walker

Address: P.O. Box 32, Arco, Idaho

~~Moore, Idaho 83255~~

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Briefly describe your interest in this water right:

This claim is in error as there is a
prior right that supersedes it in all
respects.

2. Owner of the water right:

Name: U.S. Dept. of Interior, B.L.M.

Address: Idaho State Office
3380 Americana Terrace
Boise, Idaho 83706

3. If this objection is filed by an attorney:

Attorney Name: _____

Attorney Address: _____

Attorney Phone No.: _____

If filed by an attorney, notice of pending court proceedings will be sent to the attorney only.

II. STATEMENT OF THE OBJECTION

Please check each "box" which states your objection to the recommendation in the Director's Report.

1. ☒ Name and Address: I object to the name and/or address of the owner of the water right.
2. ☒ Source: I object to the source of water.
3. ☒ Quantity: I object to:
 - a. ☒ the total quantity of water used in cubic feet per second; or
 - b. ☐ the total quantity of water stored in acre-feet per year; or
 - c. ☒ the total quantity of water reserved for each and every purpose, including all present and future uses.
4. ☒ Priority Date: I object to the priority date.
5. ☒ Points of Diversion: I object to the legal description of the point(s) of diversion.
6. ☐ Instream Flow: I object to the legal description of the beginning and ending points of the instream flow.
7. ☒ Purpose(s) of Use: I object to the purpose(s) of use.
8. ☐ Period of Year: I object to the period of year when water is used or is necessary for the purpose stated.
9. ☒ Place of Use: I object to:
 - a. ☐ the legal description of the place of use; or
 - b. ☐ the number of irrigated acres within each forty (40) acre subdivision.
10. ☐ Consumptive Use: I object to the annual volume of consumptive use.
11. ☐ Remarks: I object to the "remarks" listed with the water right.

(Over)

12. ☒ Water Right Recommendation: I object to:
- a. ☒ this water right being recommended at all; or
- b. ☐ this water right not being recommended.
13. ☐ Description of Reservation: I object to the legal description of the reservation.
14. ☒ Other: I object to: The historical source of water
to fill the purpose of this claim is rising ground-
water.

REASONS SUPPORTING EACH BOX CHECKED

In the space following, you must state the reason(s) by number for each box checked. You may use additional pages if necessary.

Please refer to exhibit A -attached.

CHANGES TO THE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Specifically describe how you want the Director's Report to be changed. You may use additional pages if necessary.

The Director's report should be changed to recommend

disallowance of this claim.

Please note: You should attach copies of documents which support your objection. Note on each document the "box number" it supports.

☒ Check here if you are submitting documents. Please list each document by the title and number of pages. You may use additional pages if necessary. _____

Exhibit A- one page. Exhibit B- one page. Exhibit C-
one page.

VERIFICATION (Must be Completed)

State of Idaho

County of Butte

Rera N. Walker, being first duly
(Name of person filing objection)
sworn, upon oath, deposes and says:

That I am the person or entity filing this objection, that I am a water claimant or party in this proceeding, as defined by I.C. § 42-1401A(1) and (7), and that I have read the foregoing objection, know its contents and that the statements contained therein are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Rera N. Walker *
Signature of person filing objection

By: _____
(Attorney signing in
representative capacity)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of March,
1993.

Thomas D. Cannon
Notary Public for Idaho
Residing at: Arco
My Commission expires: 12-30-97

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAILING

You must mail the objection, including all attachments, to the Clerk of the Court. FAX filings will not be accepted by the Clerk of the Court. You must also send a copy to the owner of the water right, if other than yourself; to the Office of the Attorney General, State of Idaho; and to the United States Department of Justice, as set out below in the Certificate of Mailing. Finally, you must sign the Certificate of Mailing to show that you followed these steps.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that on the 15 day of March, 1993, I mailed the original and copies of the foregoing objection, including all attachments, to the following persons, by mailing the original and/or true and correct copies, postage prepaid and addressed as follows:

1. Original to:

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

2. One copy to the owner of the water right, and you must fill in the following information:

Owner name: United States of America
Owner's address: Bureau of Land Management
U.S. Dept. of Interior, Idaho State Office
3380 Americana Terrace
Boise, Idaho 83706-2544

3. One copy to:

Chief, Natural Resources Division
Office of the Attorney General
State of Idaho
P.O. Box 44449
Boise, Idaho 83711-4449

4. One copy to:

United States Department of Justice
Environment and Natural Resource Division
550 West Fort Street, Box 33
Boise, Idaho 83734



Signature of Objector or attorney
mailing on Objector's behalf

EXHIBIT A

REASONS: THE CLAIMANT OBJECTS TO THIS WATER RIGHT RECOMMENDATION BECAUSE THE CLAIMANT HAS AN EARLIER PRIORITY DATE AND HAS USED THE WATER RIGHT EXCLUSIVELY SINCE THE WATER RIGHT WAS ESTABLISHED. THE CLAIMANT FOR THESE REASONS OBJECTS TO THE WATER RIGHT IN ITS ENTIRETY, INCLUDING THE NAME OF THE OWNER, SOURCE, PRIORITY DATE, PLACE OF USE, POINT OF DIVERSION/QUANTITY, AND PERIOD OF USE.

Exhibit B

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DATE: MAY-27-1992
PAGE: A-400

IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
RECOMMENDED WATER RIGHTS ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW

RIGHT NUMBER	NAME & ADDRESS	PRIORITY DATE	PURPOSE OF USE	PERIOD OF USE FROM TO	MAXIMUM QUANTITY	BASIS OF CLAIM
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SOURCE: BIG LOST RIVER

34-00789	NED R WALKER REVA W WALKER PO BOX 32 ARCO ID 83213	05/01/1892	IRRIGATION	05-01 10-15	3.1	CFS
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POINT OF DIVERSION:

T05N R26E S04
S03

T04N R26E S14

PLACE OF USE: IRRIGATION

WSESE
SWSWW (I)
SESEW (R)

TOTAL QUANTITY: 3.1 CFS

T04N R26E S14	NESW 4.0	NWSW 38.0	SWSW 38.0	SESW 28.0
	SWSE 6.0			

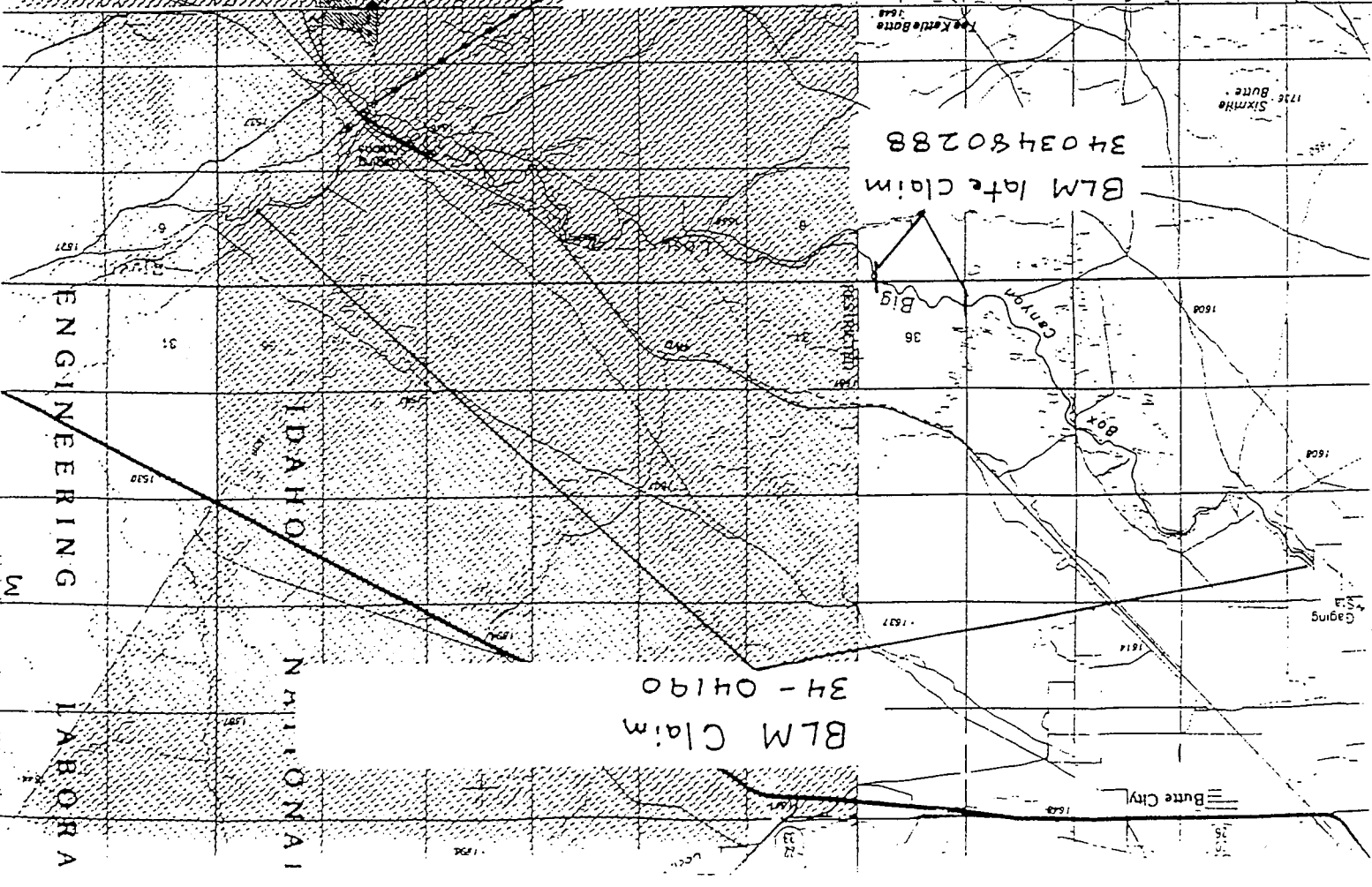
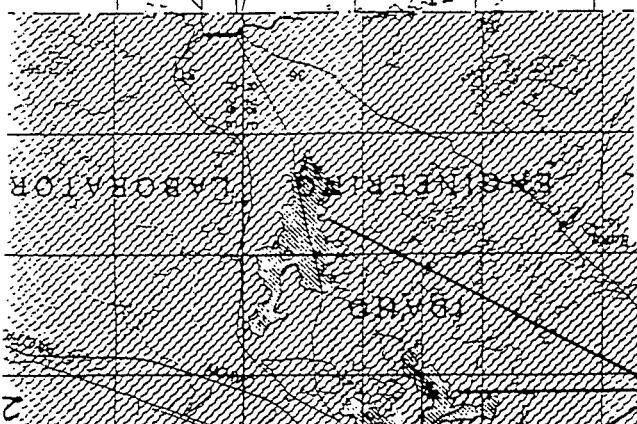
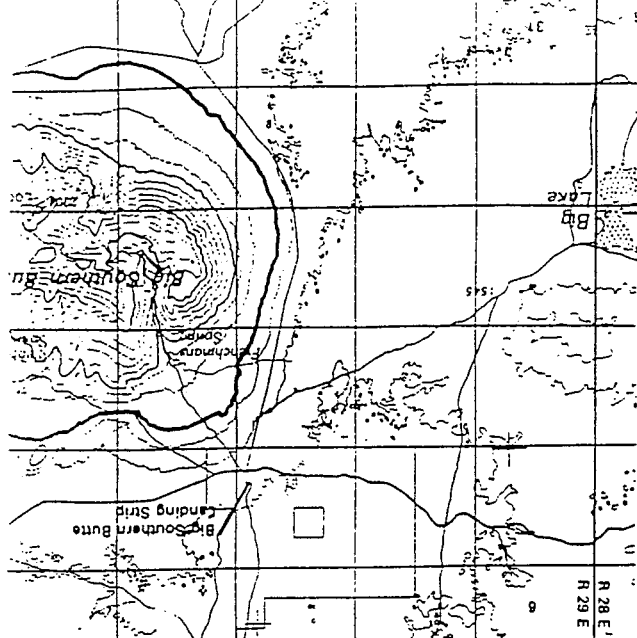
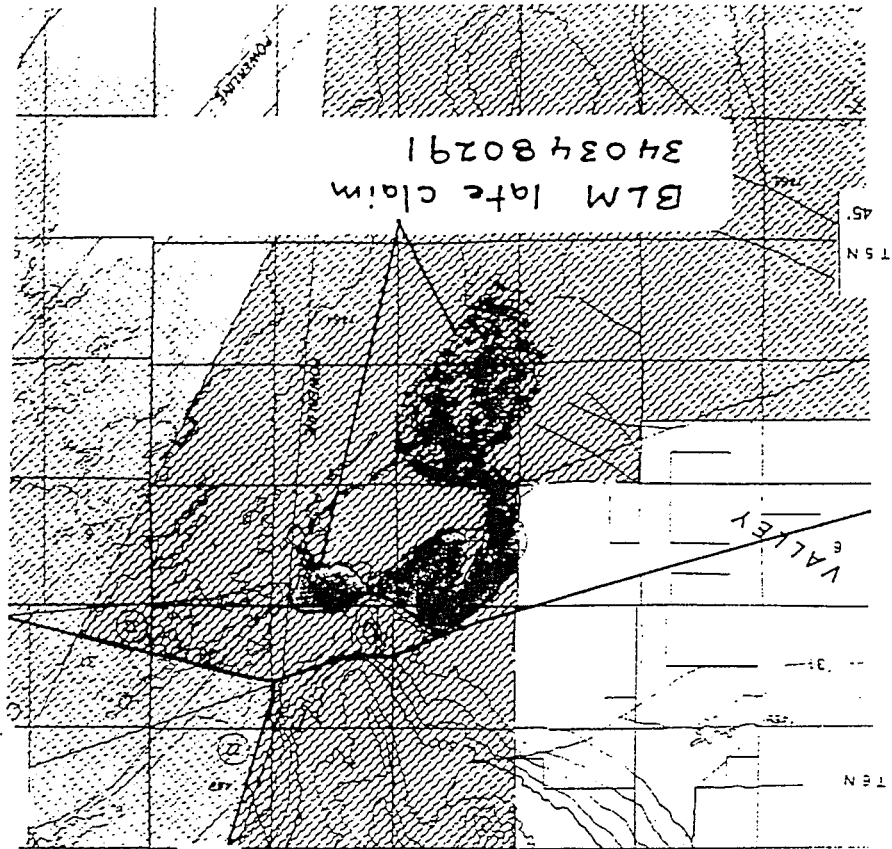
114.0 ACRES TOTAL

REMARKS: RIGHT INCLUDES ACCOMPLISHED CHANGE IN POINT OF DIVERSION PURSUANT TO IDAHO CODE 42-1416A.

RIGHT INCLUDES ACCOMPLISHED CHANGE IN PLACE OF USE PURSUANT TO IDAHO CODE 42-1416A.

USE OF THIS RIGHT WITH RIGHT NOS. 34-04087 AND 34-02389 IS LIMITED TO A TOTAL COMBINED DIVERSION RATE OF 3.22 CFS, A TOTAL COMBINED ANNUAL CONSUMPTIVE USE VOLUME OF 285.0 AF, AND TO THE IRRIGATION OF A COMBINED TOTAL OF 114 ACRES IN A SINGLE IRRIGATION SEASON.

WATER IS DELIVERED THROUGH THE EASTSIDE DITCH, OR WATER CAN BE INJECTED INTO AND REDIRECTED FROM SPRING CREEK. THE AMOUNT OF WATER DIVERTED FROM SPRING CREEK SHALL BE REDUCED WHERE NECESSARY TO PROTECT APPROPRIATORS OF WATER DOWNSTREAM FROM THE POINT OF REDIVERSION.



EX-1-C

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IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
RECOMMENDED WATER RIGHTS ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW

DATE: NOV-17-1992
PAGE: A-34

RIGHT NUMBER	NAME & ADDRESS	PRIORITY DATE	PURPOSE OF USE	PERIOD OF USE FROM TO	MAXIMUM QUANTITY	BASIS OF CLAIM
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SOURCE: BIG LOST RIVER

TRIBUTARY: SINKS

34-04190	US DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT IDAHO STATE OFFICE 3380 AMERICANA TERRACE BOISE ID 83706	06/28/1934	STOCKWATER	01-01 12-31	.23	CFS BENEFICIAL USE
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TOTAL QUANTITY: .23 CFS

NON-IRRIGATION-USES:
STOCKWATER, 1000 RANGE CATTLE; WILDLIFE, VARIABLE AMOUNT
POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT 1 (NENE) (B)
T02N R27E S01 SENE (B)
T03N R28E S01 NESE (E)
T03N R27E S35 SESE (E)

PLACE OF USE: STOCKWATER

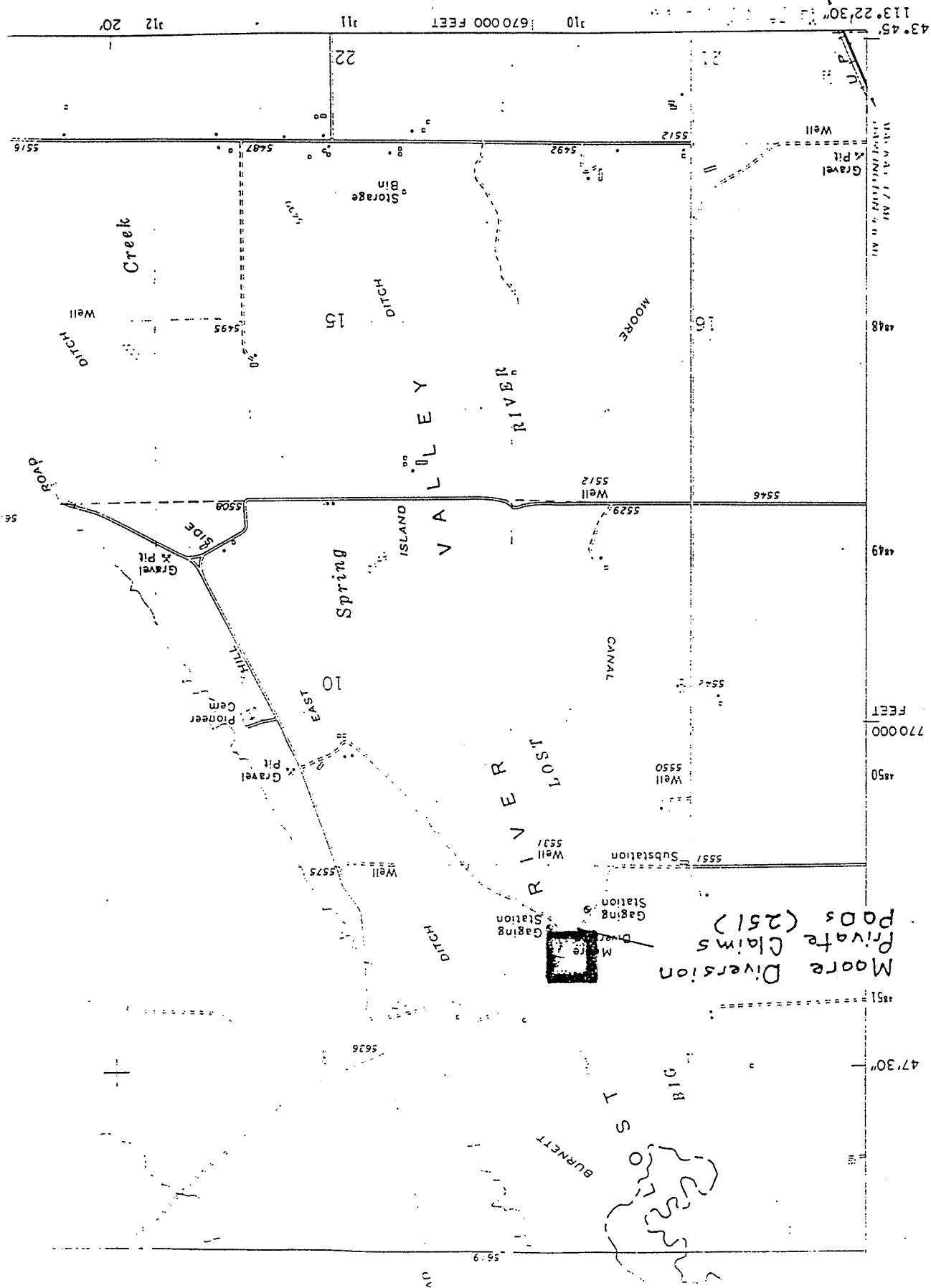
T02N R27E S01 R28E	Lot 1 (NENE)	SENE	SWSW	SESW
S02	NESE	NWSE	SWSE	
S03	SESE	NWSE	SWSE	
S04	SWNE	SESW	SWNW	NWSE
S05	NESE	SWNW	NWSE	SWNW
S06	SWNE	SENE	SENE	SWNW
	Lot 1 (NENE)	NESE	SENE	SWNW
S09	SENE	SENE	SENE	SWNW
S10	NESE	SENE	SENE	SWNW
S11	NESE	SENE	SENE	SWNW
S12	SWNW	SENE	SENE	SWNW
T03N R27E S20 S21	Lot 2 (NWNE)	NWNE	SWNW	SESW
S22	NESE	SWNW	SWNW	SESW
S26	NESE	SWNW	SWNW	SESW
S27	NESE	SWNW	SWNW	SESW
S28	NESE	SWNW	SWNW	SESW
S35	NESE	SWNW	SWNW	SESW
	Lot 3 (NENE)	SENE	SENE	SWNW
	Lot 4 (NWNW)	SENE	SENE	SWNW
	Lot 5 (SWNW)	SENE	SENE	SWNW

REMARKS: THIS RIGHT AND OTHER RIGHTS COMMON TO THE SAME GRAZING ALLOTMENT SHALL BE LIMITED TO THE QUANTITY OF WATER BENEFICIALLY

Control by USGS and USCGS
Topography by photogrammetric methods from aerial
photographs taken 1967. Field checked 1969
Polyconic projection. 1927 North American datum
10,000-foot grid based on Idaho coordinate system,
central zone
1000-meter Universal Transverse Mercator grid ticks.

APPENDIX HILL
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SOURCE: BIG LOST RIVER

04/01/1958	WILDLIFE STORAGE	01-01	12-31
	STOCKWATER FROM STORAGE	01-01	12-31
	STOCKWATER STORAGE	01-01	12-31
	WILDLIFE FROM STORAGE	01-01	12-31
	DIVERSION TO STORAGE	01-01	12-31

TOTAL QUANTITY:

STOCKWATER, 2000 RANGE CATTLE; WILDLIFE, VARIABLE AMOUNT

T02N R28E S11 NWNWSE

SAME AS OTHER USE

PLACE OF USE: STOCKWATER FROM STORAGE

TO2N	R28E	S11	NESE	NWSE	SESE	SWSW
		S13	NWNW	SUNW	NWSW	SWSW
		S14	NWNE	SWNE	SENE	SESW
			NESW	NWSW	SWSW	SESW
		S15	NESE	NWSE	SWSE	
		S23	NESE	SESE		
		S24	NWNE	SWNE	NEW	NWNW
			SWNE	SENE	NEW	SWSW
			SWNW	SENW	NESW	SWSE
			SESW	NESE	NWSE	
		S25	SESE			
			NENE	NUNE	SWNE	NEW
			NWNW	SENW	NESW	NWSW
			SESW	NWSE		

SAME AS OTHER USE

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THIS RIGHT AND OTHER RIGHTS COMMON TO THE SAME GRAZING

ALLOTMENT SHALL BE LIMITED TO THE QUANTITY OF WATER BENEFICIALLY USED BY THE NUMBER OF STOCK WITHIN THE ALLOTMENT.

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