

## Saxton, Craig

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**From:** Ciscell, Michael  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 31, 2014 7:23 AM  
**To:** Maxey, Shaun  
**Cc:** Fritschle, Carter; Saxton, Craig  
**Subject:** FW: FW: Issue? Error with Kootenai County PLSS data via GeoCommunicator  
**Attachments:** Update\_T49N03E13\_Lot3.xlsx

Shaun,

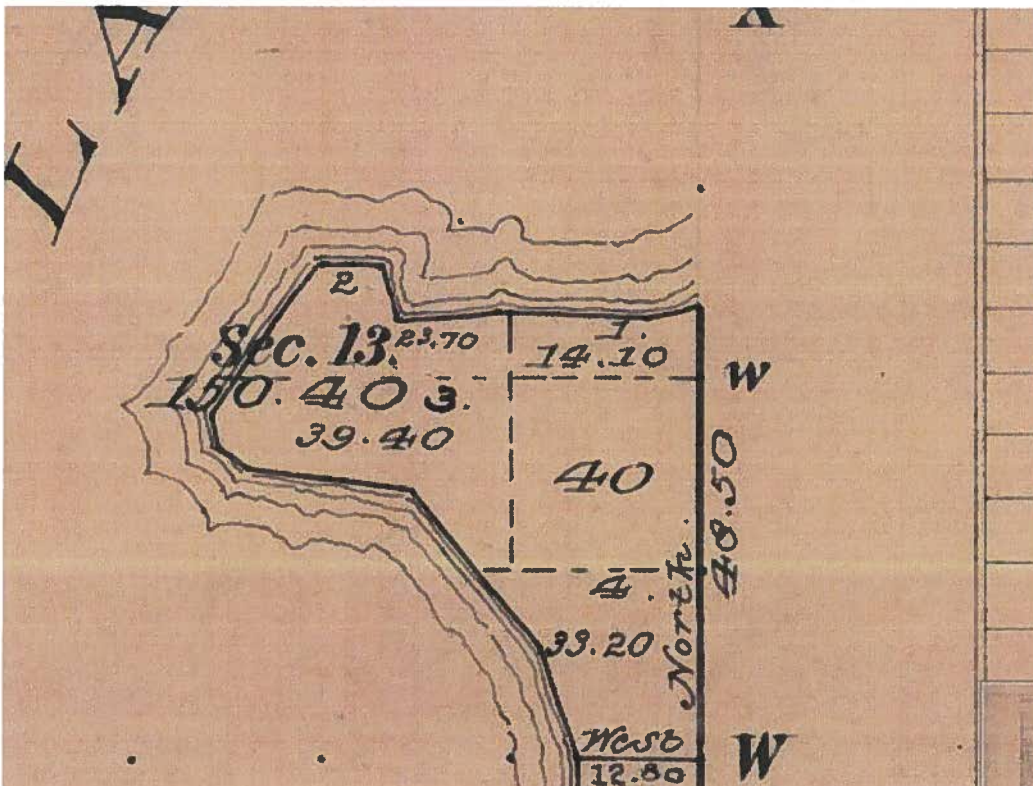
Sounds like you can finalize the legal we discussed for your research below.

I have created a NWSE Lot 3 shape which splits the current Govt Lot 2 in to two parts; the southern half being Lot 3. This has been updated to the QQ layer on production.

There could be some updating here as this changes the PLS designation for a number of claims, recommendations etc. The recommendations are the most important to get right as they will become the 'new' water rights after the Director's Reports. Sounds like this basin is a year or two out. Is it possible to update each of the recommendations POU/POD PLS now before the director's report? I have attached a spreadsheet with the recommendations in this 'new' QQ and Lot 3.

I have cc'ed Carter and Craig about these changes. From the email below, BLM agrees with this change and is implementing it as well. Let me know if you have questions.

Here's the [original survey plat](#) (1892) showing the Lot 2/3 line (barely).



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**From:** Joe Johns [<mailto:jjohns@kcgov.us>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 30, 2014 10:05 AM  
**To:** Ciscell, Michael  
**Subject:** FW: FW: Issue?Error with Kootenai County PLSS data via GeoCommunicator

Michael,

FYI – see message below.

Joe J

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**From:** French, Stanley [<mailto:sfrench@blm.gov>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 30, 2014 8:55 AM  
**To:** Joe Johns  
**Cc:** Byron McCombs  
**Subject:** Re: FW: Issue?Error with Kootenai County PLSS data via GeoCommunicator

I just reviewed the situation with our GCDB Lead, Byron McCombs. He'll add that missing lot line to our GCDB. Please continue to bring these type situations to his/our attention. Our understanding is that there's no need for further follow-up? Byron can help you if you have any further questions or comments.

We appreciate the "refinement" to the GCDB that you, Bruce Anderson and Kootenai County have done to serve the county's purpose. It's a good example of what can be done to take the GCDB that BLM has produced and make it better. Thanks.

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On Fri, Jul 25, 2014 at 4:43 PM, Joe Johns <[jjohns@kcgov.us](mailto:jjohns@kcgov.us)> wrote:

Mr. French,

One month ago I was contacted by the Idaho Department of Water Resources (message chain attached) regarding a discrepancy with the boundary data for Government Lot 3, Section 13, Township 49 North, Range 04 West, Boise Meridian. Since the source of this discrepancy was found to be the BLM Source Data available via the Geocommunicator.gov website I made an inquiry to our local BLM Office. Since I haven't heard anything regarding this issue I thought it best to go ahead and forward the matter to you for consideration.

Hopefully it will be possible to correct the BLM Source Data to reflect the actual legal descriptions for Section 13, T49N, R04W, Boise Meridian, without much delay.

Sincerely,

Joe Johns

**Joseph C. Johns**

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**From:** Joe Johns

**Sent:** Wednesday, June 25, 2014 10:10 AM

**To:** 'BLM ID Coeur d'Alene Office@blm.gov'

**Subject:** Issue?Error with Kootenai County PLSS data via GeoCommunicator

I've had an inquiry into Government Lot 3, Section 13, Township 49 North, Range 4 West, Boise Meridian missing from the official data available via the GeoCommunicator website. Can you please advise?

Thank you,

Joe J

**Joseph C. Johns**

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