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SUBJECT: Water Right Numbers 95-4333 and 95-14285

Dear Mr. Watts:

This letter is in response to the Notice of Error Reply (NOE) you submitted for right number 95-4333, stating that you disagreed with our recommendation of "disallowed". If you will recall, this is for the water usage from Coeur d'Alene Lake for domestic and 3 acres of irrigation for the property at 7806 W Mill Hollow Ln. This claim was disallowed because we did not have sufficient evidence showing domestic/irrigation usage dating back to 1947.

We have reviewed the evidence you sent in with the NOE and based on this information have recommended this claim for domestic usage with a priority date of October 10, 1947. This includes lawn/garden irrigation of ½ acre or less.

Acreage

We were unable to recommend the 3 acres as originally claimed because there is no evidence to support an irrigation usage. Please note that this property does have a water right license numbered 95-12434 that covers 2 acres of irrigation from the lake with a priority date of April 30, 2010.

Priority Date

We were unable to recommend a priority date earlier than October 10, 1947, because that is what was requested on the original claim. If you would like to request an earlier priority date we would need an amended claim. I've enclosed a copy of the claim for this purpose; to amend the priority date simply cross out the old date under item two and add in the corrected date. Please be sure to sign and date this amended claim under item 15, signature, and send the claim in to my attention, by November 30, 2018, as this new information will need to be reviewed in a timely manner.

Also note that we have added a statement to the claim recommendations for both 95-4333 (CDA Lake) and 95-14285, (well) that limits the total water usage to 13,000 gallons per day if the lake and well water are used together.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions. I can be reached at (208) 762-2800. Also, any information relative to this claim file may be viewed at www.idwr.idaho.gov.

Sincerely,

Linda A. Werner
Water Resource Agent, Sr.

Enclosures: Notice of Claim 95-4333, Preliminary Recommendation 95-4333 and 95-14285