

**DIRECTOR'S REPORT OF DEFERRED
DE MINIMIS DOMESTIC AND/OR STOCK WATER USE**

Claim No. 86-12063

In Re SRBA
Twin Falls County Civil Case No. 39576

Report to the SRBA District Court

Prepared by the Idaho Department of Water Resources
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DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY

This is a Director's Report of Deferred *De Minimis* Domestic and/or Stock Water Use submitted by the Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR).

INTRODUCTION

A Motion for Determination of Deferred De Minimis Domestic and/or Stock Water Use (Motion), as well as a Notice of Claim to Water Right, were submitted to the Court on June 13, 2019, for water right claim no. 86-12063. Claimants Linda Renfrow and Kevin Renfrow published the notice of the Motion, and the Director has now completed his examination of the water right claim. The examination was conducted by Sandra Thiel, Senior Water Rights Agent, Adjudication Section, on behalf of the Director. The materials used in and results of the examination of the elements of water right claim 86-12063 are discussed below.

DISCUSSION

Priority Date – The claimed priority date is December 5, 1996. Claim documents included a well log with a well completion date of December 5, 1996. The priority date is recommended as claimed.

Point of Diversion – The claimed point of diversion (POD) falls on Latah County parcel RP38N03W164904 in Township 38 North, Range 3 West, Section 16, NESW. According to the Latah County parcel data Kevin B. Renfrow owns the point of diversion. The point of diversion is recommended as claimed.

Source – The source for water diverted from a well is ground water. The claimed source is supported by the well log.

Place of Use – The claimed place of use is on parcel RP38N03W164904 in Latah County. Aerial photos provide evidence of domestic use at the claimed place of use. The address at 1415 American Ridge Road, located in Township 38 North, Range 03 West, Section 16, NESW, is owned by the claimant. The place of use is recommended as claimed.

Purpose of Use and Period of Use – The claimed purpose of use is for domestic use for one home. Domestic structures are visible on available aerial photography. Water diverted from wells used for domestic purposes are recommended for year-round use if a year-round water use was claimed.

Quantity – No measurement information is available. However, the 0.04 claimed for the domestic use is within the typical range of diversion rates associated with private wells used for domestic purposes in one home.

CONCLUSION

There is sufficient evidence to recommend water right claim 86-12063, as claimed, for domestic use. Pursuant to Judge Wildman's *Order Amending Procedures in the SRBA for Adjudication of Deferred De Minimis Stockwater Claims*, dated October 17, 2017, the Director submits this Director's Report of Deferred *De Minimis* Domestic and/or Stock Water Use, Claim No. 86-12063, which includes the recommendation of deferred *de minimis* water right no. 86-12063.

IDWR has added the appropriate standard conditions to the recommendation, and IDWR's Claim Verification Report has been completed.

Respectfully submitted this 9th day of March, 2020.



CRAIG L. SAXTON
Adjudication Section Manager

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on March 10, 2020 I caused to be served a true and correct copy of this Director's Report of Deferred *De Minimis* Domestic and/or Stock Water Use, to the following persons, in the manner indicated and addressed as follows:

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

RIGHT NUMBER: 86-12063

NAME AND ADDRESS: KEVIN B RENFROW
1415 AMERICAN RIDGE RD
KENDRICK ID 83537

LINDA RENFROW
1415 AMERICAN RIDGE RD
KENDRICK ID 83537

SOURCE: GROUND WATER

TRIBUTARY:

QUANTITY: 0.040 CFS

The quantity of water under this right shall not exceed 13,000 gallons per day.

PRIORITY DATE: 12/05/1996

POINT OF DIVERSION: T38N R03W S16 NESW Within LATAH County

PURPOSE AND

PERIOD OF USE:	<u>PURPOSE OF USE</u>	<u>PERIOD OF USE</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>
	DOMESTIC	01/01 12/31	0.040 CFS

Domestic use is for 1 home.

PLACE OF USE:

DOMESTIC in LATAH County
T38N R03W S16 NESW

OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

The quantity of water decreed for this water right is not a determination of historical beneficial use.

This partial decree is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of the water rights as may be ultimately determined by the Court at a point in time no later than the entry of a final unified decree. Idaho Code § 42-1412(6).

EXPLANATORY MATERIAL: BASIS OF CLAIM - Beneficial Use

Parcel No. RP38N03W164904.