

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

CIVIL CASE NUMBER: 39576

Ident. Number 37-22052
Date Received: 1/2/2007
Receipt No:
Received By:

NOTICE OF CLAIM TO A WATER RIGHT
ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW

1. Name of Claimant(s)

SUN VALLEY RANCH, LLC Phone: 208-726-1780

PO BOX 4380
KETCHUM ID USA 83340

2. Date of Priority: 09/16/1948

3. Source: GROUND WATER Trib. to:

4. Point of Diversion:

Township	Range	Section	1/4 of 1/4 of 1/4 Lot	County	Type
01S	18E	13	NE NE NW	BLAINE	

5. Description of diverting works:

Artesian Well

6. Water is used for the following purposes:

Purpose	From	To	C.F.S.	(or) A.F.A
STOCKWATER	01/01	12/31	0.04	
WILDLIFE	01/01	12/31	1.86	
AESTHETIC	01/01	12/31	1.86	

7. Total Quantity Appropriated is:
1.86 C.F.S.

8. Total consumptive use:

9. Non-irrigation uses:

10. Place of use:

Township	Range	Section	1/4	of 1/4	Lot	Use	Acres
01S	18E	13	NE	NE		STOCKWATER	
			SE	NE		STOCKWATER	
			NE	NW		STOCKWATER	
			NW	NW		STOCKWATER	
			SW	NW		STOCKWATER	
			SE	NW		STOCKWATER	
			NE	NE		WILDLIFE	
			SE	NE		WILDLIFE	
			NE	NW		WILDLIFE	
			NW	NW		WILDLIFE	
			SW	NW		WILDLIFE	
			SE	NW		WILDLIFE	
			NE	NE		AESTHETIC	
			SE	NE		AESTHETIC	
			NE	NW		AESTHETIC	
			NW	NW		AESTHETIC	
			SW	NW		AESTHETIC	
			SE	NW		AESTHETIC	

11. Place of use in counties: BLAINE

12. Do you own the property listed above as place of use? Yes

13. Other Water Rights Used:

14. Remarks:

Stock drink out of ditches, aesthetic purposed, water is diverted into ditches and into natural streams on the property for yer round wildlife /riparian purposes, and to prevent the wells from freezing.

See associated claim 37-22050.

This well also provides irrigation water under 37-2538.

15. Basis of Claim: Beneficial Use

16. Signature(s)

(a.) By signing below, I/We acknowledge that I/We have received, read and understand the form entitled "How you will receive notice in the Snake River Basin Adjudication." (b.) I/We do _____ do not _____ wish to receive and pay a small annual fee for monthly copies of the docket sheet.

Number of attachments: _____

For Organizations:

I do solemnly swear or affirm that I am _____ of
Title

_____, that I have signed the foregoing

Organization
document in the space below as _____ of

Title
_____ and that the statements contained in the

Organization
foregoing document are true and correct. _____

Signature of Authorized Agent

Title and Organization

Date

State of Idaho)

ew Claim (Southeast Artesi Well)

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DEPT. OF WATER RESOURCES
SOUTHERN REGION

Please type or print clearly

1. Name of Claimant (s) Sun Valley Ranch, LLC Phone (208) 726-1780

Mailing Address P.O. Box 4380, Ketchum, Idaho Zip 83340

2. Date of Priority (Only one (1) per claim) 09/16/1948

3. Source of water supply (a) Ground Water

4. a. Location of existing point of diversion is: Township 01S Range 18E Section 13,
NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of NW 1/4, Govt. Lot, B.M., County of Blaine

Additional points of diversion if any: _____

b. If instream flow, beginning point of claimed instream flow is:

Township _____ Range _____ Section _____, _____ 1/4 of _____ 1/4 of _____ 1/4,

Govt. Lot _____ B.M., County of _____

ending point is: Township _____ Range _____ Section _____, _____ 1/4 of _____ 1/4 of
_____ 1/4, Govt. Lot _____ B.M., County of _____

5. Description of existing diversion works (Dams, Reservoirs, Ditches, Wells, Pumps, Pipelines, Headgates, Etc.), Including the dates of any changes or enlargements in use, the dimensions of the diversion works as constructed and as enlarged and the depth of each well.
- An existing artesian well that flows year-round into the current irrigation ditches in order to prevent freezing. In addition the wells provide drinking water for the stock, asthetic purposes, and water that provides year round riparian habitat for local wildlife. This well also provides irrigation water under 37-2538.

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6. Water is claimed for the following purposes:

(both dates are inclusive) (cfs) (acre feet)

For Stockwater purposes from 01/01 to 12/31 amount 0.04 or _____

For Aesthetic purposes from 01/01 to 12/31 amount 1.86 or _____

For Wildlife purposes from 01/01 to 12/31 amount 1.86 or _____

7. Total quantity claimed (a) 1.86 (cfs) and / or (b) _____ (acre feet)

8. Total consumptive use claimed is _____ acre feet per annum.

9. Non-irrigation uses; described fully (e.g. Domestic: list number of households served; Stockwater: type and number of livestock, etc.) Stock drink out of ditches, aesthetic purposes, water is diverted into ditches and into natural streams on the property for year round wildlife/riparian purposes, and to prevent the wells from freezing.

10. Description of place of use:

- a. If water is for irrigation, indicate acreage in each subdivision in the tabulation below.
b. X was used to verify locations of use of other purposes.

TWP	RNG	SEC	NE 1/4				NW 1/4				SW 1/4				SE 1/4				TOTALS
			NE 1/4	NW 1/4	SW 1/4	SE 1/4	NE 1/4	NW 1/4	SW 1/4	SE 1/4	NE 1/4	NW 1/4	SW 1/4	SE 1/4	NE 1/4	NW 1/4	SW 1/4	SE 1/4	
01S	18E	13	X			X	X	X	X	X									

Total number of Irrigatable acres _____

11. In which county (ies) are lands listed above as place of use located? Blaine

12. Do you own the property listed above as place of use? Yes XX No _____
If your answer is No, describe in Remarks below the authority you have to claim this water right.

13. Describe any other water rights used at the same place and for the same purposes as described above.

None Or None ☐

14. Remarks:

See attached Affidavits

15. Basis of Claim (check one) Beneficial Use XX Posted Notice _____ License _____ Permit _____
Decree _____

If applicable provide IDWR Water Right Number _____

Court _____ Case Number _____ Decree Date _____

Plaintiff vs Defendant _____

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Last Name _____ Ident. No. _____

16. Signature (s)

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For Individuals: I do solemnly swear or affirm that the statements contained in the foregoing document are true and correct.

Signature of Claimant (s) _____ Date _____

_____ Date _____

For Organizations: I do solemnly swear or affirm that I am Senior Member _____

Of Brockway Engineering PLLC _____, that I have signed the foregoing
Document in the space below as Representative _____ of Sun Valley Ranch _____
Title _____ Organization _____

And that the statements contained in the foregoing document are true and correct.

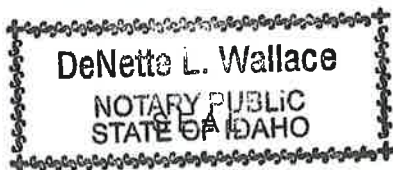
Signature of Authorized Agent Chris E. Brockway _____

Title and Organization Senior member, Brockway Engineering _____ Date 12/29/06

State of Idaho / or _____)

County of Twin Falls _____) ss.

Subscribed and sworn (or affirmed) before me this 29th day of December, 2006.



Notary Public DeNette L. Wallace _____

Residing at Twin Falls, Idaho _____

My Commission Expires 8-16-2012 _____

Please Print Name

17. Notice of Appearance:

Notice is hereby given that I, _____ will be acting as attorney at law on behalf Of the claimant signing above, and that all notices required by law to be mailed by the director to the claimant signing above should be mailed to me at the address listed below.

Signature _____

Address _____

Date _____

Last Name _____ Ident. Number _____

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BEFORE THE IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

IN THE MATTER OF THE NOTICE OF BENEFICIAL
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RIVER BASIN ADJUDICATION

) COMMENTS AND
) EVIDENCE OF
) JOHN MCGONIGAL

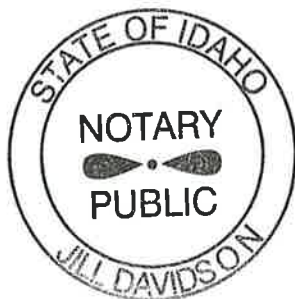
COMES NOW, John McGonigal, and provides the following comments and evidence in this matter:

1. I lived near the Bellevue, Idaho area and more particularly at the Spring of Gladness Ranch, which is adjacent to the Sun Valley Ranch, for over 30 years.
2. I am familiar with the two artesian wells located on the ranch that was formerly known as the Diamond Dragon Ranch (now known as the Sun Valley Ranch). Both of these wells were drilled by Walker Drilling for the former owner Frank Gomes. The artesian well east of Highway 75 is located in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 13, Township 01 South, Range 18 East. The artesian well west of Highway 75 is located in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 14, Township 01 South, Range 18 East.
3. Both artesian wells have been used for the irrigation of the property at the foresaid ranch since the time in which they were drilled. In addition, to my knowledge the water from these wells have flowed into the nearby creeks on a year round basis since Mr. Hadley Stuart purchased the property in 1971. These wells were put to use by providing water for stock on the property and to provide wildlife habitat within Crystal Creek.

DATED this 3 day of aug, 2006

John M. McGonigal
John McGonigal

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me this 3rd day of August, 2006.



Jill Davidson
NOTARY PUBLIC

Residing at : Twain Falls

My Commission Expires: 11-18-2010

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

In Re SRBA)

A. Subcase 37-22052

(Insert water right number)

Case No. 39576)

**STANDARD FORM 1
OBJECTION**

Please fill in the following information:

B. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON OBJECTING

Name: Sun Valley Ranch LLC

Address: P.O. Box 4380 Ketchum, ID 83340

Daytime Phone: 208-726-1780

Name & Address of Attorney, if any:

Edward Lawson

Lawson and Laski PLLC

P.O. Box 3310

Ketchum, ID 83340

C. CLAIMANT OF WATER RIGHT AS LISTED IN DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Name: Sun Valley Ranch LLC

Address: P.O. Box 4380 Ketchum, ID 83340

D. I object to the following elements as recommended in the Director's Report. (Please check the appropriate box(es)).

1. ☐ **Name and Address**
Should be: _____
2. ☐ **Source**
Should be: _____
3. ☐ **Quantity**
Should be: _____
4. ☐ **Priority Date**
Should be: _____
5. ☐ **Point of Diversion**
Should be: _____
6. ☐ **Instream Flow Beginning and Ending Point**
Should be: _____
7. ☒ **Purpose(s) of Use**
Should be: stockwater, wildlife, and aesthetics uses as was
claimed, instead of only a stockwater use as was
recommended.
8. ☐ **Period of Year**
Should be: _____
9. ☒ **Place of Use**
Should be: _____
10. ☐ **I object because:**
☐ This water right Should not exist.

☐ This water right was not recommended, but Should be recommended with the elements described above.

E. REASONS SUPPORTING OBJECTIONS(S): Historically, water has been diverted for beneficial uses listed above on land appurtenant to this water right and not all of those beneficial uses have not been recommended.

F. VERIFICATION (must be completed)

State of Idaho)
County of Blaine)ss.

Edward A. Lawson, duly sworn, upon oath, deposes and says:
(Name of person filing objection)

That I am the party/claimant filing this objection, as defined by I.C. §§ 42-1401A(1) and (6) or that I am the attorney for the party/claimant objecting and that I have read this objection, know its contents and believe that the statements are true to the best of my knowledge.

(Signature of person filing objection)

S. Lawson
(Attorney signing in representative capacity)

Subscribed and sworn to before me on:

November 9, 2007



Deborah Erickson
Notary Public for Idaho
Residing at: Hailey Id
My Commission Expires: 10.09.10

IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

Adjudication Recommendation Report 37-22052 V1

WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 37-22052 V1

<u>Owner Type</u>	<u>Name and Address</u>
Current Owner	SUN VALLEY RANCH, LLC PO BOX 4380 KETCHUM, ID 83340 208-726-1780

Priority Date: 04/15/1950

Basis: Beneficial Use

Status: Active

<u>Source</u>	<u>Tributary</u>
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GROUND WATER

<u>Beneficial Use</u>	<u>From</u> <u>To</u>	<u>Diversion Rate</u>	<u>Annual Volume</u>
STOCKWATER	01/01 to 12/31	0.040 CFS	
	<u>Total Diversion:</u>	0.040 CFS	

Location of Point(s) of Diversion

GROUND WATER	NE1/4NE1/4NW1/4	Sec. 13, Twp 01S, Rge 18E, B.M.
BLAINE County		

Place of Use

STOCKWATER

Twp	Rge	Sec	NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
01S	18E	13					X	X	X	X									
01S	18E	14	X																

Conditions of Approval:

1. C18 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. Section 42-1412(6), Idaho Code.
2. E51 Right Nos. 37-2538 and 37-22052 are limited to a total combined diversion rate of 1.65 cfs.
3. N05 The quantity of water under this right for stockwater use shall not exceed 13,000 gallons per day.
4. N08 The quantity of water decreed for this water right for stockwater use is not a determination of historical beneficial use.

Remarks:

IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
Adjudication Recommendation Report 37-22052 V1

Comments:

SubCase:

SubCase Number: 37-22052
Class: 1
SF5 Filed Date:
Special Master Recom Signed Date:
Attorney Assigned:
Adjudication Agent: amerritt
Basis of Claim: Beneficial Use
Date Filed: 12/28/2007 Objection Status: Active
Date Filed: 1/15/2008 Objection Status: Active
Date Filed: 1/11/2008 Objection Status: Active
Date Filed: 12/21/2007 Objection Status: Active
Date Filed: 1/4/2008 Objection Status: Active
Date Filed: 11/9/2007 Objection Status: Active
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Water Supply Bank:

01/04/2007

IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
PRELIMINARY RECOMMENDATION OF WATER RIGHTS ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW

RIGHT NUMBER: 37-22052

NAME AND ADDRESS: SUN VALLEY RANCH, LLC
PO BOX 4380
KETCHUM ID 83340

SOURCE: GROUND WATER

TRIBUTARY:

QUANTITY: 0.040 CFS

Right Nos. 37-2538 and 37-22052 are limited to a total combined diversion rate of 1.65 cfs.

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

PRIORITY DATE: 04/15/1950

POINT OF DIVERSION:

T01S R18E S13 NENENW Within BLAINE County

PURPOSE AND
PERIOD OF USE:

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

PLACE OF USE: STOCKWATER in BLAINE County

T01S R18E S13	NENW	T01S R18E S13	NWNW
T01S R18E S13	SWNW	T01S R18E S13	SENW
T01S R18E S14	NENE		

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

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. Section 42-1412(6), Idaho Code.

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

EXPLANATORY MATERIAL: BASIS OF CLAIM - Beneficial Use



Idaho Department of Water Resources

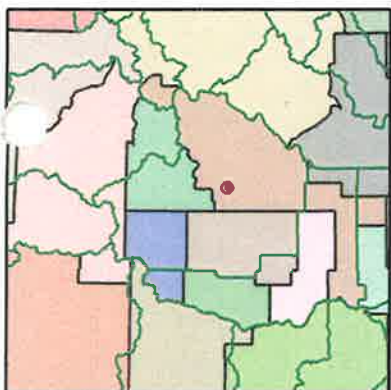
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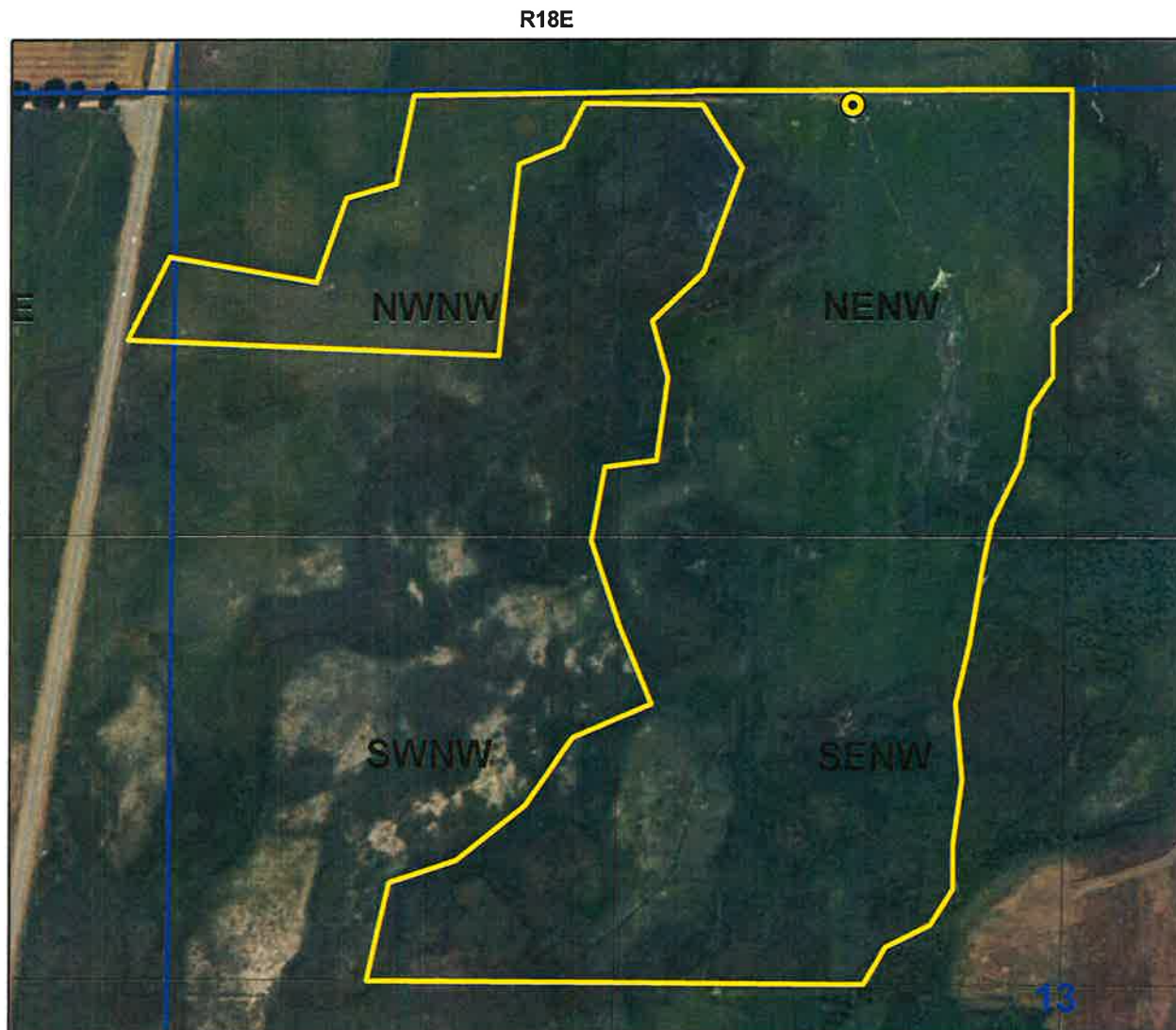
(Stockwater)

Legend

-  Point of Diversion
-  Place of Use
-  Townships
-  PLS Sections
-  Quarter Quarters



Blaine County
IDWR Basin 37



0 0.2 0.4 Miles

Prepared by A. Merritt
On Thursday, January 4, 2007
2004 Aerial Photography

Owner: Sun Valley Ranch, Llc

NOTE: Only one owner is listed. There may or may not be more than this in the IDWR database.

MEMO

FROM: Allen Merritt

DATE: January 4, 2007

TO: SRBA Claim Files 37-22050, 37-22051 and 37-22052

SUBJECT: Review of Wildlife and Aesthetic Uses

These three claims filed in the name of Sun Valley Ranch, LLC all involve claimed year round use for Wildlife and Aesthetic purposes. The claims are for use of four artesian wells and claim rates for these purposes at the flow capacity of the associated wells.

Claim 37-22050 is associated with 2 artesian wells and the claim also included uses of irrigation and stockwater. The stockwater is at a reduced rate. This claim indicates that water is allowed to flow year round to flow in streams on the property for enhancement of wildlife and aesthetics. The claim also indicates that the flow is reduced in the winter but is kept flowing to prevent freezing.

Claim 37-22051 is associated with an artesian well licensed under 37-2492 for irrigation purposes. Claim 37-22051 includes stockwater use at a reduced rate. This claim indicates that water is allowed to flow year round to flow in streams on the property for enhancement of wildlife and aesthetics. The claim also indicates that the flow is reduced in the winter but is kept flowing to prevent freezing.

Claim 37-22052 is associated with an artesian well licensed under 37-2538 for irrigation purposes. Claim 37-22052 includes stockwater use at a reduced rate. This claim indicates that water is allowed to flow year round to flow in streams on the property for enhancement of wildlife and aesthetics. The claim also indicates that the flow is reduced in the winter but is kept flowing to prevent freezing.

42-1602 indicates that unnecessary flow from artesian wells is unlawful. No justification was provided with the claim to justify any wildlife or aesthetic purpose as such large claimed rates. The fact the wells have been allowed to flow year round does not justify any claimed use. On 1/2/07 Dave Tuthill, Chris Bromely, Don Shaff, Doug Jones and I held a conference call to discuss these types of claims. It was decided that these claims should **not** be recommended to include large flow rates for Wildlife and Aesthetic purposes without extensive justification of the benefits produced by the claimants. *It is interesting to note that the documents included with the claims lament the reduced pressure or flow from the wells over the years. This can probably largely be attributed with the practice of flowing the wells year round.*

These claims are being recommended only for the irrigation and stockwater uses claimed.

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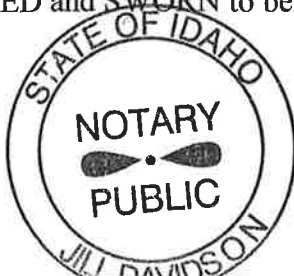
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2. I am familiar with the two artesian wells located on the ranch that was formerly known as the Diamond Dragon Ranch (now known as the Sun Valley Ranch). Both of these wells were drilled by Walker Drilling from 1949 – 1950 for the former owner Lawrence Bettis. The most northern artesian well is located in the NW ¼ of the NW ¼ of Section 12, Township 01 South, Range 18 East, and was drilled in the spring of 1950. The other artesian well is located in the NW ¼ of the SE ¼ of Section 11, Township 01 South, Range 18 East.
3. Both artesian wells have been used for the irrigation of the property at the foresaid ranch since the time in which they were drilled. In addition, to my knowledge the water from these wells have flowed into Crystal Creek on a year round basis since Mr. Hadley Stuart purchased the property in 1971. These wells were put to use by providing water for stock on the property and to provide wildlife habitat within Crystal Creek.
4. During 1961 I was the Secretary for the Big Wood River Underground Water Users Association (see attached Meeting notes for May 31, 1961). At this time Mr. Harry Bettis was the owner of these before mentioned artesian wells, but was also the Chairman of the before mentioned Water Users Association. During that meeting an assessment of all of the artesian wells within the association was made. Mr. Woodrow Watts, the current Watermaster at the time, recorded the flow of these wells and recorded a combined diversion volume of the two wells at 155 inches or 3.10 cfs.

DATED this 3 day of aug, 2006

John McGonigal
John McGonigal

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me this 3rd day of August,
2006.



Jill Davidson
NOTARY PUBLIC

Residing at: Twin Falls

My Commission Expires: November 18, 2010



Lupine Building
220 2nd Avenue So., Unit 201
P.O. Box 4380
Ketchum, Idaho 83340
(208) 726-6560
FAX (208) 726-6569

September 22, 2006

Mr. Harry Bettis
PO Box 267
Donnelly, ID 83615

Re: Diamond Dragon Ranch Affidavit

Dear Mr. Bettis:

My partner Jim Field has been in contact with you regarding the enclosed affidavit. The affidavit has been revised to reflect your knowledge of drilling, use, and duration of flow for all four of the artesian wells on the property, not just the two main artesianians.

Please review and, should it meet with your approval, please sign before a notary public, have notarized, and return to me in the enclosed envelope. If you should have any questions, or the affidavit requires further editing, please phone me at (208) 726-6560.

Thank you again for your willingness to attend to this matter. If you're ever in the area, I'd like to reiterate Jim's invitation to visit the ranch and with us.

Sincerely,

THE KIRK GROUP


George R. Kirk II
Principal

*Mr. Kirk - I purchased the
Horse Ranch from Tom & Anne about
1959-60 - so he drilled the two
wells - 1 by the house - the other across the
road*

COMMERCIAL AND RESIDENTIAL SPECIALISTS
MARKETING - LEASING - DEVELOPMENT

Harry Bettis

May 31 1961

A meeting of the Big Wood River Underground Water users association was held at the Harry Bettis Ranch May 31, 1961, at 7:30 P.M.

Harry Bettis Chairman called the meeting to order.

Present were.

Harry Bettis

James Chaney

Glenn Chaney

Eugene Fredrickson

Bill Allred

Geo Mc Sengal

Joe Wurst

Henry Wurst

Frank James

Wayne Clark

John Mc Sengal

Harry Bettis presented the bills to date.
 Keith Anderson, Engineer \$352.50
 Perry Daily Robertson, Attorney \$125.00.

James Chaney makes a motion \$50.00 an inch of artesian water be assessed each user in the organization. Wayne Clark seconded the motion. No deciding votes the motion carried.

Payments were as follows

	Payments	Inches
31 May 1961 Mc Sengals	\$66.00	133.50
Eugene Fredrickson	65.00	130
Wayne Clark	80.00	160

May 31 1961

	Payments	Due	Inches
May 31, 1961 Charney's	\$ 37.50		75.
Harry Bellis	77.50		155.
Frank Jones	182.00		364.
3 June 1961 N.T. Weston	64.25	64.25	257.
10 June 1961 E.J. Blincoe	125.00		250.
allied Bros	40.00		80.
	697.25	104.25	1614.50
			257
			1347.50

No other business the meeting was adjourned.

Harry Bellis
Chairman

John D. McSanguel
Secretary

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14
1357 17
2
2714 678
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BEFORE THE IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

IN THE MATTER OF THE NOTICE OF BENEFICIAL) COMMENTS AND
USE CLAIM TO WATER RIGHTS IN THE SNAKE) EVIDENCE OF
RIVER BASIN ADJUDICATION) _____

COMES NOW, HARRY BETTIS, and provides the following comments and evidence in this matter:

1. I am familiar with the four artesian wells located on the ranch that was formerly known as the Diamond Dragon Ranch (now known as the Sun Valley Ranch). All of these wells were drilled by Walker Drilling from 1949 - 1950 for Lawrence Bettis. The most northern artesian well is located in the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 12, Township 01 South, Range 18 East, and was drilled in the spring of 1950. Another artesian well is located in the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 11, Township 01 South, Range 18 East and was drilled in the fall of 1949, but was not put to beneficial use until the spring of 1950. A third well along the south lane entrance to the ranch in the NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 14 Township 01 South, Range 18E was drilled and put to use about the same time. The fourth well is located on the east side of HW 75 in the NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 13 Township 01S, Range 18E and is used to irrigate the 40 acre tract east of the highway. This well was also drilled and put to use about 1950.

2. My relation to the before mentioned Lawrence Bettis is

SON

3. All artesian wells have been used for the irrigation of the property at the foresaid ranch since the time in which they were drilled. In addition, to my knowledge the water from the three wells west of the highway has flowed into Crystal Creek on a year round basis since they were drilled

4. Additional evidence applicable to these wells and their use in which I would like to be let known:

these wells had to run
year around so they didn't
freeze

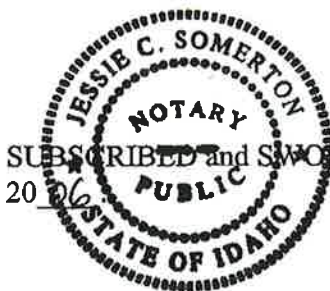
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