

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

WATER SUPPLY BANK LEASE CONTRACT No. 1521

This Lease Contract ("**Lease**") is between the Idaho Water Resource Board ("**Board**"), and

LESSOR: W JEFFREY WALTERS
1250 S 2ND E
REXBURG, ID 83440-3862

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DEPARTMENT OF
WATER RESOURCES

RECITALS

1. The Board is authorized under chapter 17, title 42, Idaho Code to operate a water supply bank and to contract with lessors to act as an intermediary in facilitating the rental of water.
2. The Lessor has filed a completed application to lease water rights described below into the Water Supply Bank on forms supplied by the Idaho Department of Water Resources and received by the Department on January 07, 2022.
3. The Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources has reviewed the application for compliance with the Water Supply Bank rules and has approved the Lease subject to conditions listed below.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and contracts herein contained, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. **WATER RIGHTS:** The Lessor shall lease and the Board shall accept into the Bank the Applicant's water rights described as follows:

Summary of Water Rights or Portions Leased to the Bank

Water Right No.	Priority Date	Source	Diversion Rate (CFS)	Diversion Volume (AF)	Acres (AC)
22-4046	4/1/1962	GROUND WATER	0.72	146.0	36.0
Lease Totals			0.72	146.0	36.0

2. **COMPENSATION:** The Lessor shall accept and the Board shall pay compensation determined by the amount of water rented under the following rental rate during such times as the water is rented from the Bank over the term of this Lease.

Minimum Payment Acceptable: Current Rental Rate

3. **TERM OF LEASE:** The term of this lease shall be January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2024. This Lease shall bind the parties and take effect when both parties have signed it.
4. **WATER SUPPLY BANK CONDITIONS OF ACCEPTANCE:** The Lessor shall abide by all terms and conditions contained in the Water Supply Bank Conditions of Acceptance, attached hereto as "Attachment A" and incorporated herein by this reference.

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5. **CHANGE OF WATER RIGHT:** This lease specifies water right elements including but not limited to: diversion rates; diversion volumes; number of acres authorized to be irrigated; places of use; points of diversion; beneficial uses; and seasons of use. During the term of this lease, if a water right is administratively changed due to a water right split and renumbering, this lease may be reduced by an equal amount to reflect the water right elements as legally defined under the water right. If a lease contract cannot be reduced sufficient to reflect the legal definition of a water right as amended through a water right split and/or water right transfer, the Board may release the water right from the Water Supply Bank.
6. **ASSIGNMENT OF CONTRACT:** This lease is between the Board and the Lessor, who is the recognized owner or designated representative of the recognized owners of water rights described herein. Should ownership of any part of a water right herein described change during the term of this lease, either through a water right split, a water right transfer, sale of property to which the water right is appurtenant, or through any other recognized water right reassignment, the lease benefits and obligations to the conditions of acceptance for any such water rights will be assigned to the new owners.
7. **DUPLICATE ORIGINAL:** This Lease is executed in duplicate. Each of the documents with an original signature of each party shall be an original.

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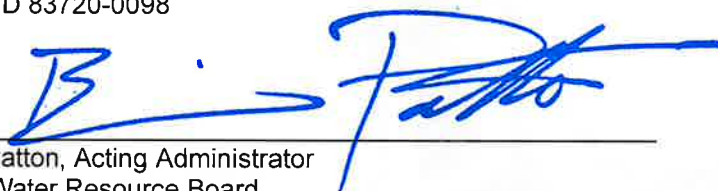
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Contract on the date following their respective signatures.

LESSOR: W JEFFREY WALTERS
1250 S 2ND E
REXBURG, ID 83440-3862

By 
Title _____
Date 5/2/2022

IDAHO WATER RESOURCE BOARD

322 East Front Street
P.O. Box 83720
Boise, ID 83720-0098

By 
Brian Patton, Acting Administrator
Idaho Water Resource Board

Date 5/18/22

Lease approved by IDWR 

Date 5/18/22

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**ATTACHMENT A
WATER SUPPLY BANK CONDITIONS OF ACCEPTANCE**

The water rights or portions thereof leased to the bank are described as follows:

Source and Location of Point(s) of Diversion for Water Right No(s): 22-4046

GROUND WATER	SWSW	Sec. 20	Twp 07N	Rge 41E	FREMONT County
GROUND WATER	SWSE	Sec. 20	Twp 07N	Rge 41E	FREMONT County

Water Right	Beneficial Use	Season of Use			Diversion Rate (CFS)	Volume (AF)
		From		To		
22-4046	IRRIGATION	04/01	to	10/31	0.72 cfs	146.0 AF
Totals:					0.72 cfs	146.0 AF

PLACES OF USE TO BE IDLED UNDER THIS LEASE: IRRIGATION

Twp	Rng	Sec	NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
07N	41E	20												2.2	10.8		5.0	18.0	36.0

Total Acres: 36.0

ADDITIONAL CONDITIONS OF ACCEPTANCE

1. The water rights referenced above will be rented from the bank at the current rental rate.
2. There is no rental payment to the lessor of the water right if the right or a part thereof is not rented from the bank.
3. While a right is in the bank, the lessor may not use the right without approval of the Department even if the right is not rented from the bank. Any violation of the terms of this lease may result in enforcement procedures pursuant to Idaho Code § 42-351 for illegal diversion and use of water and may include civil penalties pursuant to Idaho Code § 42-1701B.
4. A right accepted into the bank stays in the bank until the Board releases it, or the lease term expires. A right may be released from the bank upon request, provided the Board approves the release. Unless approved by the Department, leased rights may not be immediately available for release.
5. While a water right is in the bank, forfeiture provisions are stayed pursuant to Idaho Code § 42-223(5).
6. Rental of water under this right is subject to the limitations and conditions of approval of the water right.
7. Failure of the right holder to comply with the conditions of acceptance is cause for the Director to rescind acceptance of the lease.

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8. Acceptance of a right into the bank does not, in itself, confirm the validity of the right or any elements of the water right, or improve the status of the right including the notion of resumption of use. It does not preclude the opportunity for review of the validity of this water right in any other Department application process.
9. In accordance with Idaho Code § 42-248 and § 42-1409(6), all owners of water rights are required to notify the Department of any changes in mailing address or change in ownership of all or part of a water right. Notice must be provided within 120 days of the change.
10. If a water right leased into the Water Supply Bank is sold or conveyed during the lease term, and if the leased right was rented, the rental proceeds will be disbursed in the following manner regardless of any arrangements between the buyer(s) and seller(s) to the contrary:
 - a. Rental payments will go to the lessor(s) of record at the beginning of the rental season, even if the Department processes a Notice of Change in Water Right Ownership during the rental season.
 - b. New lessor(s) of record will receive payment for any subsequent rental seasons.
11. The water right(s) is leased to the bank subject to all prior water rights and shall be administered in accordance with Idaho law and applicable rules of the Department of Water Resources.
12. Use of this right is combined with water from Southeast Idaho Canal Co. and Wilford Irrigation & Mfg. Co.
13. Use of water under this right may be regulated by a watermaster with responsibility for the distribution of water among appropriators within a water district. At the time of this approval, this water right is within State Water District No. 100.

Water Supply Bank Lease Contract No. 1521

22-4046

Effective until December 31, 2024

This map depicts the **place of use to be idled** pursuant to the lease contract and is attached to the contract solely for illustrative purposes.

41E



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

0 0.125 0.25 0.5 Miles



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**APPLICATION TO SELL OR LEASE A WATER RIGHT
TO THE WATER SUPPLY BANK**

JAN 07 2022

DEPARTMENT OF
WATER RESOURCESDesignated Applicant W. Jeffrey Walters

(Select one owner – see item 1A on the application)

Water Right No. 22-4046

(One water right per application)

Is this application being submitted with a rental application as a lease/rental package?

Yes ☐ No ☒

This application must be prepared in accordance with the minimum requirement checklist below. Use this checklist to ensure all necessary documentation has been provided. This checklist is part of the lease application and must be included with the lease application. **Applications that do not meet the minimum requirements will not be processed and may be returned or denied.**

MINIMUM REQUIREMENT CHECKLIST

All items must be checked as either *Attached (Yes)* or *Not Applicable (N/A)*

Yes

☒ Completed *Application to Sell or Lease a Water Right to the Water Supply Bank*.☒ Application filing fee of \$250.00 per water right. If you are submitting more than one lease application and the water rights have an overlapping, common place of use, or a common diversion rate or volume, the total fee for all water rights is \$500.00. For places of use, multiple water rights must be used to irrigate the same lands in order to qualify for the joint filing fee. Individual filing fees are required for water rights that share a common permissible place of use but which cover separate acres within the permissible place of use.☒ Confirmation this form has been printed **single sided**, per requirement of the Water Supply Bank.

Attachment N/A Yes

1A ☐ ☒ Signatures and contact information for **all owners** of the water right to be leased or sold on this application.1B ☐ ☒ An Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Form W-9 for the Designated Applicant.1C ☐ ☒ *Notice of Change in Water Right Ownership* form (accessible from www.idwr.idaho.gov).1D ☐ ☒ Contact information for an authorized representative and documentary proof they are authorized to represent the Designated Applicant on this application. If the Designated Applicant is a business, partnership, municipality, organization or association, include documents identifying officers authorized to sign or act on behalf of the entity.2 ☒ ☐ Description of a water right portion offered to the Water Supply Bank.3 ☒ ☐ A map that clearly outlines the specific location where irrigated acres will be dried up, or where a beneficial use of water will be suspended. You have the option of printing a map using the map tool on IDWR's website at: www.idwr.idaho.gov.4A ☒ ☐ Written consent from irrigation district or water delivery company.4G ☒ ☐ Evidence demonstrating the water right has not been forfeited pursuant to Section 42-222(2), Idaho Code.

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Fee Amount \$ 500Received By: WJDate Received: 1.7.22Receipt # C111667W-9 received? Yes ☒ No ☐ (Route W-9 to Fiscal)Name on W-9: Warren Jeffrey Walters

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APPLICATION TO SELL OR LEASE A WATER RIGHT
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1. CONTACT INFORMATION

- A. This application must be completed by a Designated Applicant who is a current owner of the water right being sold or leased to the Water Supply Bank. If there are additional current owners, those individuals must authorize the Designated Applicant to represent them on this application by completing and signing Attachment 1A of this application package.

Designated Applicant W. Jeffrey Walters

Mailing Address <u>1250 S. 2nd E.</u>	<u>Rexburg</u>	ID	<u>83440</u>
Street	City	State	Zip Code

Email Address jeffreyw@waltersproduce.net Phone Number (208) 390-8851

☐ The Designated Applicant is the sole owner of the water right being sold or leased to the Water Supply Bank.

OR

☒ The Designated Applicant is representing additional water right holders who have completed Attachment 1A.

- B. Has the Designated Applicant submitted an IRS Form W-9 to this Department within the last 2 years? Yes ☒ No ☐

If no, complete the form and attach to this application (Attachment 1B).

- C. Are all applicants on this form listed in IDWR's records as the current owners of the water right? Yes ☒ No ☐

If no, attach a *Notice of Change in Water Right Ownership* form along with the required documentation and fee (Attachment 1C).

- D. Is this application being completed by an authorized representative of the Designated Applicant? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, representatives (includes employees of Designated Applicant companies) must complete this section and submit documentary proof of their authority to represent the Designated Applicant (Attachment 1D).

Name of Representative Kristin M. Moore Organization Rocky Mountain Environmental Assoc. Inc

Professional Title Senior Water Right Analyst Email Address kristin.rmea@gmail.com

Mailing Address 482 Constitution Way, Ste 303, Idaho Falls, ID 83402 Phone Number 208-524-2353

☐ Send all correspondence for this application to the representative and not to the Designated Applicant.

OR

☒ Send original correspondence to the Designated Applicant and copies to the representative.

2. DESCRIPTION OF WATER RIGHT OFFERED TO THE BANK

- ☒ The full water right is being offered to the Bank.

OR

- ☐ A part of the water right is being offered to the Bank.

If a portion of the water right is being offered, **complete Attachment 2.**

3. MAP

Attach a map of the point(s) of diversion and place(s) of use proposed to be idled by this lease application. Make sure the idled place of use is outlined and annotated with legal land descriptions (Township, Range, Section and Quarter-Quarters) or with GPS coordinates. For irrigation purposes, mark the number of acres you desire to idle. If the water right proposed for lease is located within a permissible place of use (PPU) and portions of the PPU will continue to receive water from non-leased water rights, clearly outline on a map the acres within the PPU that will continue to be irrigated, as well as acres that will be idled during the lease term. Label the map **Attachment 3.**

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4. GENERAL INFORMATION

- A. Is the diversion works or system owned or managed by an irrigation district or water delivery company? Yes ☐ No ☒
If yes, provide written consent from the company, corporation or irrigation district authorizing the proposed sale or lease (Attachment 4A).
If your water right is delivered through a canal, lateral or ditch operated by a canal company, irrigation district, or similar delivery entity, your lease request must include written consent from the company, district, or similar entity for your removal of water from its system pursuant to [Section 42-108, Idaho Code](#) and [IDAPA WSB Rule 37.02.03.25.02e](#).
- B. Please provide a description of the current water diversion and delivery system.
Water is diverted from the well and pumped into open ditches or pipelines, depending on the acreage irrigated.

- C. Describe any other water rights used for the same purpose at the same place of use as the water right being offered to the Bank. Water from Wilford Irrigation & Mfg. Co. and Southeast Idaho Canal Co. is now used on this property for irrigation. The ground water right 22-4046 is a primary water right, and was always used as a primary water right until water delivery improved enough to deliver canal water to all of the property.

- D. Are any of the water rights identified in Section 4C stacked with the water right proposed for lease? Yes ☐ No ☒
Stacked water rights are used together to achieve a common beneficial use, such as irrigation of the same lands. Stacked water rights cannot be separated and must be jointly leased to the Water Supply Bank. Stacked water rights qualify for the multiple fee payment of \$500.
- E. Will the present place of use continue to receive water from any other source? Yes ☒ No ☐
If yes, explain the relationship between the different water sources and how enlargement of the authorized use will not occur if this water right is leased. Yes, shares of canal water will be delivered through the Wilford Canal or Fall River Canal.

- F. Identify annual volumes and/or rates of water diverted in the last 5 years to accomplish the beneficial use authorized by this water right. The full proportionate share of the water right was used on these acres in 2016. The water right was in the Water Supply Bank during the years 2017, 2020, and 2021.

- G. Has any portion of this water right undergone a period of five or more consecutive years of non-use? Yes ☐ No ☒
If yes, describe the circumstances and attach evidence to demonstrate how the water right has not been lost through forfeiture (Attachment 4G). See [Section 42-223, Idaho Code](#) for exceptions to forfeiture. Your application may be denied if forfeiture concerns are not addressed.

- H. Is this water right involved in any other IDWR process, such as an application for transfer or a mitigation plan?
If yes, describe. Yes ☐ No ☒

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5. SALE/LEASE AGREEMENT

- A. Is the water right, or portion thereof, offered to the Idaho Water Resource Board (IWRB) for sale ☐ or lease ☒?

If lease, specify the years when the use of water will be suspended: 2022 to 2024 (maximum lease period 5 calendar years).
(Year) (Year)

- B. Show the minimum payment acceptable to the seller/lessor. The minimum payment may be shown as the "current rental rate" as established by the IWRB. Include the method of determining the minimum payment if other than the current rental rate.

Current Rental Rate

I hereby assert that the information contained in this application is true to the best of my knowledge, and that I have the authorities necessary to offer this water right for sale or lease to the Idaho Water Resource Board.

The Designated Applicant acknowledges the following:

1. Payment to the Designated Applicant is contingent upon the sale or rental of the water right from the Bank.
2. While a water right is in the Bank, the seller/lessor of the water right may not use the water right, even if the water right is not rented from the Bank.
3. A water right accepted into the Bank stays in the Bank until the Designated Applicant receives written confirmation from the Board or Water Supply Bank that the water right has been released from the Bank.
4. While a water right is in the Bank, forfeiture is stayed.
5. Acceptance of a water right into the Bank does not, in itself, confirm the validity of the water right or any element of the water right.

W. Jeffrey Walters
Signature of Designated Applicant

W. Jeffrey Walters
Printed Name

12-8-2021
Date

Mona Walters
Signature of Authorized Representative

Mona Walters
Printed Name

12-8-2021
Date

Mail to:
Idaho Department of Water Resources
P.O. Box 83720
Boise, ID 83720-0098

**STATE OF IDAHO
WATER RESOURCE BOARD**

ATTACHMENT 1A

Additional Water Right Holders Party to the Lease Application

For the water right on this application, list all owners (individuals or business entities) of the right or the property to which it is appurtenant. All water right holders must sign a Water Supply Bank Lease Application. However, only the Designated Applicant needs to provide a completed IRS Form W-9 (Attachment 1B). **All correspondence and any financial payment associated with the rental of this water right will be directed to the Designated Applicant.** If additional space is needed to list any other water right holders, attach a second copy of Attachment 1A.

If submitting multiple applications, it is only necessary to complete one Attachment 1A for the group of applications. List each water right below.

Water Right No(s). 22-14206, 22-4046

	Designated Applicant	Applicant #2	Applicant #3
Name	W Jeffrey Walters	Mona Walters	
Mailing Address	1250 S 2nd E Rexburg, ID 83440	1250 S 2nd E Rexburg, ID 83440	
Phone Number			
Email Address			
Applicant Declaration	As Designated Applicant, I submit this lease application on behalf of all other water right holders.	I authorize the Designated Applicant to submit this application on my behalf.	I authorize the Designated Applicant to submit this application on my behalf.
Signature			

	Applicant #4	Applicant #5	Applicant #6
Name			
Mailing Address			
Phone Number			
Email Address			
Applicant Declaration	I authorize the Designated Applicant to submit this application on my behalf.	I authorize the Designated Applicant to submit this application on my behalf.	I authorize the Designated Applicant to submit this application on my behalf.
Signature			

TO: IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

FROM: W. JEFFREY WALTERS AND MONA WALTERS

RE: Authorized Representatives

Rocky Mountain Environmental Associates, Inc.
482 Constitution Way 303
Idaho Falls, ID 83402
(208) 524-2353 / (208) 524-1795 Fax

The following are designated representative of Rocky Mountain Environmental Associates, Inc.:

W. Roger Warner.....President
Kristin M. Moore.....Senior Water Rights Analyst.....(PRIMARY CONTACT)
Michelle Mortimer.....Water Rights Analyst

This authorizes these individuals to act as Representatives on behalf of W. Jeffrey Walters and Mona Walters. These representatives may submit information for the Walters, but are not authorized to sign on their behalf. This designation is only for the Water Banking of the following water rights or any subsequent splits of the rights for years 2022-2022: **22-4046 and 22-14206**

W. Jeffrey Walters
Signature

W. JEFFREY WALTERS
Printed Name

12-8-2021
Date

Mona Walters
Signature

MONA WALTERS
Printed Name

12-8-2021
Date



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Governor Brad Little

Director Gary Spackman

May 23, 2022

W JEFFREY WALTERS
1250 S 2ND E
REXBURG ID 83440-3862

**RE: WATER SUPPLY BANK LEASE CONTRACT 1521 & 1522
FOR WATER RIGHTS 22-4046 & 22-14206**

Dear Lessor:

Water rights **22-4046 & 22-14206** were leased into the Water Supply Bank (Bank) as of January 1, 2022, in accordance with the enclosed executed lease contract. **Your water rights, as described on the lease contract, are considered leased into the Bank and should remain unused until they are formally released from the Bank.** More information and further restrictions placed on your water rights while leased can be found in conditions of acceptance of the lease contract. Read the conditions of acceptance carefully.

The rights will automatically be released from the Bank on **December 31, 2024**, unless the rights are released earlier by the Water Resource Board (Board). On behalf of the Board, the Department of Water Resources (Department) can evaluate an early release of the lease contract upon your request. To release the water rights from the Bank prior to the release date, submit a written request on the *Request to Release a Water Right from the Bank* form. This form is available on our public website at www.idwr.idaho.gov. **Please note your water rights may not be available for immediate release if they have been rented or are being considered for a future rental. Furthermore, it is at the discretion of the Department whether or not a water right can be released early from a lease contract.**

If you have questions regarding this matter, please contact this office at bank@idwr.idaho.gov or 208-287-4800.

Sincerely,

Jean Hersley

for
Water Supply Bank

Enclosure: Executed Lease Contract

c: IDWR-Eastern Region
Water District No. 100
Rocky Mt. Environmental

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DEPARTMENT OF
WATER RESOURCES

May 2, 2022
1250 S 2nd E
Rexburg, Idaho 83440

Idaho Department of Water Resources
Water Supply Bank
PO Box 83720
Boise, Idaho 83720-0098

Attention: Jean Hersley

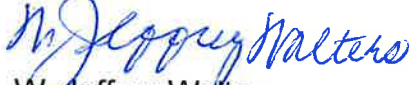
Re: Application for Lease Water Rights 22-4046 and 22-14206 to the Water Supply
Bank – Contracts 1521 & 1522

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed are the two original Water Supply Bank Lease Contracts forwarded for my review which have been signed in duplicate. These are being returned for signature by the Department with a fully executed copy of each contract to be returned to me.

If any further action is needed on my part please let me know. I appreciate your help with this matter.

Sincerely,


W. Jeffrey Walters

Enclosures

Cc: Rocky Mountain Environmental



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April 22, 2022

W JEFFREY WALTERS
1250 S 2ND E
REXBURG ID 83440-3862

RE: APPLICATION TO LEASE WATER RIGHTS 22-4046 & 22-14206 TO THE WATER SUPPLY BANK CONTRACT 1521 & 1522

******TIME SENSITIVE RESPONSE REQUIRED******

Dear Applicant:

The Department of Water Resources has completed its review of your application to lease the above-mentioned water right to the Water Supply Bank. **I have enclosed two original Water Supply Bank Lease Contracts for your review and signature. Please sign and return ALL Lease Contracts within 14 days.** Upon signature and return of the contracts, the Department will also sign the original contracts and return an executed copy to you. The Lease Contract is not considered final until you and the Department have both signed.

The right will automatically be released from the Bank on **December 31, 2024**, unless the right is released earlier by the Board, or upon your request. To release the right from the Bank prior to the release date, submit a written request on the Request to Release a Water Right from the Bank form. To propose a new lease period, submit a new Application to Sell or Lease a Water Right to the Water Supply Bank form along with applicable fees to the Department. These forms are available from any IDWR office or from our public website at <http://www.idwr.idaho.gov>. Please note your right may not be available for immediate release if it has been rented.

Please review the conditions of acceptance listed on the Lease Contract, including #3 which says:

"While a right is in the bank, **the lessor may not use the right** without approval of the department even if the right is not rented from the bank. Any violation of the terms of this lease may result in enforcement procedures pursuant to Idaho Code § 42-351 for illegal diversion and use of water and may include civil penalties pursuant to Idaho Code § 42-1701B."

If you have questions regarding this matter, please contact this office at bank@idwr.idaho.gov or 208-287-4800.

Sincerely,

Jean Hersley

for
Water Supply Bank

Enclosures: Proposed Lease Contracts

C: Rocky Mountain Environmental

WATER SUPPLY BANK
Lease Review Checklist
Applicant(s) Name: W Jeffrey Walters
Memo Date: April 22, 2022
Water Right Number(s): 22-2046
Reviewers Name: Jean
Quick Tools

Decreed Year	No Forfeiture Concerns Thru:
2011	2017
2012	2018
2013	2019
2014	2020
2015	2021

	Check box		COMMENTS/CONCERNS:
1	☒		
Fill out WSB Data Entry Checklist for Leases (Front of File)			
2			
Reason for lease of water rights (Brief description of lease proposal in narrative)			
	☒		
3			
Check GWMA/CGWA/ADC and basin 63 areas of concern (note area in comments)			
	Yes	No	
4	☒		
Rentable? (If no explain in comments or narrative)			
5			
Authority to file			
	☒		
Current owner or designated applicant			
SOS Web site checked for business entity			
Other (explain in comments)			
6			
Water Right validity			
Decreed/Licensed/Statutory claim date (write in comments section)			
			2007
Past irrigation to ensure forfeiture is not an issue if decreed or licensed over 7 years ago (consider transfers that changed the POU, rentals to the POU etc.)			
	☒		2016, 2017, 2019-2021
7			
Injury to other water rights			
		na	
If the POD is through a delivery entity, was consent provided?			
			%
If the POD is through a delivery entity, was holdback required? (percentage in comments)			
	☒		
Any other concerns			
8			
Enlargement concerns			
	☒		
Complete a POU comparison overlap analysis			
	☒		
Complete a combined limits review			
	☒		22-4106, 22-14206 no overlapping conditions
Complete POD overlap analysis (if there is an overlap add condition to lease)			
	Yes	No	
		☒	
Are there overlapping rights that need to be placed in the bank also?			
	☒		
Will the place of use continue to receive water? (if yes explain in comments)			
9			
Local Public Interest			
		☒	
Does the processor know of any problems this action will cause for the local public?			
10			
Have you contacted regional office and watermaster for comment/concerns?			
	☒		
Send the watermaster comment request form or e-mail request			
	☒		100
11			
Area Headgate requirement (write in Comments)			
			3.5
12			
Is water right involved in any other department action? Pull file and check database			
() Ownership Change () Transfer () Mitigation () Other - Explain in comments			
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Narrative: The Department received this application on January 7, 2022. The application was signed by W. Jeffrey Walters, current owner. He wishes to place the entire right in the Bank. This right was decreed in 2007 and was used as a primary right when the Teton Dam flood destroyed the surface water system. WMIS records as off September, 2020 state the wells are still not used and haven't been since at least 2001. This right was placed in the Bank in 2016-2021. The land will continue to receive water from Wilford Irrigation and SE Idaho Canal Co. since the Walters do not own the land. The water right was conveyed in 2015 and again in 2022 specifically without land. The water does not appear to have been co-mingled. Water right 22-14206 uses both POD's and 22-4106 uses one. This right is currently within WD 100 and the ESPA GWMA.

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Hersley, Jean

From: Hersley, Jean
Sent: Friday, April 22, 2022 11:01 AM
To: Jordan, Blake; Cefalo, James
Subject: WSB Lease Contracts for W Jeffrey Walters 22-4046 & 22-14206
Attachments: Idled Acres.pdf; Lease Application Review 22-4046.xls; Lease Contract - 1521.docx; Lease Application Review 22-14206.xls; Lease Contract - 1522.docx; Lease_2022.pdf

Please let me know within 7 days if you have any comments or concerns with the attached leases. Thank you.

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January 4, 2022

RMEA 12-0065

Idaho Department of Water Resources
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Re: Water Supply Bank Applications and Ownership Changes 22-4046 and 22-14206

Dear Agent,

Please find enclosed three applications to lease water rights to the Water Supply Bank and to update the ownership of the rights. A check in the amount of \$875 for filing fees as described below:

WSB Lease Application for Jeffrey Walters 22-4046	\$250
WSB Lease Application for Jeffrey Walters 22-14206	\$250
WSB Lease Application for Shawn Walters 22-4046	\$250
Notice of Change in Ownership 22-14206 for J. Walters	\$25
Notices of Change in Ownership 22-4046 SPLIT for J. Walters and S. Walters	<u>\$100</u> \$875

Applicants have jointly owned the water rights 22-4046 and 22-14206 and desire to split them equally. The ownership change forms propose to accomplish this split. Deeds have been provided granting interest in half the water rights from one applicant to the other.

Please contact our office with any questions regarding these applications.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kristin Moore".

Kristin Moore
Senior Water Rights Analyst

Enclosures: 3 WSB Lease Applications
 2 Notices of Change in Water Right Ownership (contained within the
 Lease Applications)
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