

State of Idaho
Department of Water Resources
Permit to Appropriate Water
No. 74-16255

Priority: December 02, 2021

Maximum Diversion Rate: 0.02 CFS

This is to certify that

McFARLAND LIVESTOCK CO INC
PO BOX 50
LEMHI ID 83465-0050

has applied for a permit to appropriate water from:

Source : HAWLEY CREEK

Tributary: EIGHTEENMILE CREEK

and a permit is APPROVED for development of water as follows:

<u>Beneficial Use</u>	<u>Period of Use</u>	<u>Rate of Diversion</u>
STOCKWATER	01/01 to 12/31	0.02 CFS

Location of Point(s) of Diversion

HAWLEY CREEK NE¼ NW¼, Sec. 31, Twp 16N, Rge 27E, B.M. LEMHI County
(Beginning of Stream Flow)

HAWLEY CREEK L1 (NW¼ NW¼), Sec. 31, Twp 16N, Rge 27E, B.M. LEMHI County
(Ending of Stream Flow)

Place of Use: STOCKWATER

Twp	Rng	Sec	NE				NW				SW				SE			
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE
16N	27E	31					X	X L1										

Conditions of Approval

1. Proof of application of water to beneficial use shall be submitted on or before **March 01, 2023**.
2. Subject to all prior water rights.
3. Stockwater use is for 1000 range cattle.
4. This right does not grant any right-of-way or easement across the land of another.
5. The quantity of water under this right shall not exceed 13,000 gallons per day.
6. This right authorizes the watering of livestock directly from the stream without a diversion.

This permit is issued pursuant to the provisions of Idaho Code § 42-204.

Signed this 4th day of February, 2022.



JAMES CEFALO
Regional Manager



Governor Brad Little

Director Gary Spackman

February 04, 2022

MCFARLAND LIVESTOCK CO INC
PO BOX 50
LEMHI ID 83465-0050

RE: Permit No. 74-16255

Permit Approval Notice

Dear Permit Holder:

The Department of Water Resources ("Department") has issued the enclosed permit authorizing you to establish a new water right. Please be sure to thoroughly review all the conditions of approval listed on your permit. The conditions include requirements that you must accomplish, such as timely submittal of proof of beneficial use or installation of a measuring device, as well as information about how your water use may be administered, such as regulation by a watermaster in a water district. Failure to comply with the conditions of approval may result in your permit lapsing or being canceled.

The permit is a PRELIMINARY ORDER issued pursuant to Rule 730 of the Department's Rules of Procedure (IDAPA 37.01.01.730). It can and will become a final order without further action by the Department unless a party petitions for reconsideration, files exceptions, or requests a hearing as described in the enclosed information sheet.

The final step in the water right process is issuance of a water right license. To receive a water right license, you must divert and use water to the full extent intended and submit a *Statement of Completion for Submitting Proof of Beneficial Use* by the date shown in condition no. 1 of your permit. The Department will send you a *Proof Due Notice* approximately 60 days prior to the date listed in condition no. 1 of your permit.

You may also require approvals from other Department programs, such as Ground Water Protection, Safety of Dams, or Stream Channel Protection, to accomplish your proposed development. Please call or visit any Department office or see the Department's website at idwr.idaho.gov for more information about these programs.

Please be advised that Idaho Code § 42-248, requires you or the owner of this water permit to maintain current ownership and address records on file with the Department. Forms to file an assignment of permit and/or a change in the address of the permit owner are available from any Department office or at the Department's website at www.idwr.idaho.gov.

If you have any questions concerning the enclosed information, please contact me at (208) 497-3784.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J Cefalo', written in a cursive style.

James Cefalo
Eastern Regional Manager

Enclosure(s)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on February 04, 2022, I served a true and correct copy of Permit to Appropriate Water No. 74-16255 by U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, to the following:

McFARLAND LIVESTOCK CO INC
PO BOX 50
LEMHI ID 83465-0050



Christina Henman
Administrative Asst. I

EXPLANATORY INFORMATION TO ACCOMPANY A PRELIMINARY ORDER

(To be used in connection with actions when a hearing was held)

The accompanying order is a **Preliminary Order** issued by the Idaho Department of Water Resources (Department) pursuant to section 67-5243, Idaho Code. **It can and will become a final order without further action of the Department unless a party petitions for reconsideration or files an exception and brief as further described below:**

PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION

Any party may file a petition for reconsideration of a preliminary order with the hearing officer within fourteen (14) days of the service date of the order as shown on the certificate of service. **Note: the petition must be received by the Department within this fourteen (14) day period.** The hearing officer will act on a petition for reconsideration within twenty-one (21) days of its receipt, or the petition will be considered denied by operation of law. See section 67-5243(3) Idaho Code.

EXCEPTIONS AND BRIEFS

Within fourteen (14) days after: (a) the service date of a preliminary order, (b) the service date of a denial of a petition for reconsideration from this preliminary order, or (c) the failure within twenty-one (21) days to grant or deny a petition for reconsideration from this preliminary order, any party may in writing support or take exceptions to any part of a preliminary order and may file briefs in support of the party's position on any issue in the proceeding to the Director. Otherwise, this preliminary order will become a final order of the agency.

If any party appeals or takes exceptions to this preliminary order, opposing parties shall have fourteen (14) days to respond to any party's appeal. Written briefs in support of or taking exceptions to the preliminary order shall be filed with the Director. The Director retains the right to review the preliminary order on his own motion.

ORAL ARGUMENT

If the Director grants a petition to review the preliminary order, the Director shall allow all parties an opportunity to file briefs in support of or taking exceptions to the preliminary order and may schedule oral argument in the matter before issuing a final order. If oral arguments are to be heard, the Director will within a reasonable time period notify each party of the place, date and hour for the argument of the case. Unless the Director orders otherwise, all oral arguments will be heard in Boise, Idaho.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

All exceptions, briefs, request for oral argument and any other matters filed with the Director in connection with the preliminary order shall be served on all other parties to the proceedings in accordance with Rules of Procedure 302 and 303.

FINAL ORDER

The Department will issue a final order within fifty-six (56) days of receipt of the written briefs, oral argument or response to briefs, whichever is later, unless waived by the parties or for good cause shown. The Director may remand the matter for further evidentiary hearings if further factual development of the record is necessary before issuing a final order. The Department will serve a copy of the final order on all parties of record.

Section 67-5246(5), Idaho Code, provides as follows:

Unless a different date is stated in a final order, the order is effective fourteen (14) days after its service date if a party has not filed a petition for reconsideration. If a party has filed a petition for reconsideration with the agency head, the final order becomes effective when:

- (a) The petition for reconsideration is disposed of; or
- (b) The petition is deemed denied because the agency head did not dispose of the petition within twenty-one (21) days.

APPEAL OF FINAL ORDER TO DISTRICT COURT

Pursuant to sections 67-5270 and 67-5272, Idaho Code, if this preliminary order becomes final, any party aggrieved by the final order or orders previously issued in this case may appeal the final order and all previously issued orders in this case to district court by filing a petition in the district court of the county in which:

- i. A hearing was held,
- ii. The final agency action was taken,
- iii. The party seeking review of the order resides, or
- iv. The real property or personal property that was the subject of the agency action is located.

The appeal must be filed within twenty-eight (28) days of this preliminary order becoming final. See section 67-5273, Idaho Code. The filing of an appeal to district court does not itself stay the effectiveness or enforcement of the order under appeal.