

MEMORANDUM

Date: April 16, 2021

To: Transfer 84732

From: Michael Holliday

Re: Review & Evaluation of Sufficiency of Information

After Gem State Dam was constructed Woodville Canal Co moved its main canal diversion about 1.5 miles downstream from its original canal heading. Over the years the company also added several pumps and a siphon to their system. This transfer changes and adds points of diversion to its 3 primary water rights in order to reflect the current delivery system. The company has 3 smaller rights that are delivered through different points of diversion.

The transfer application lists 7 points of diversion. One of those points of diversion was the Griffin Pump, located in Lot 10 Sec 10 T01N R37E. During transfer review Doyle Rumsey, the Woodville secretary, said that the Griffin Pump should not be included in the transfer because the land irrigated by the pump is assessed by New Sweden Irrigation District and does not have any Woodville shares associated with it. Therefore, the Griffin Pump will not be included in the transfer approval.

Transfer review also revealed that the Woodville digital boundary needed to be updated to include land in sections 9 and 10 that has historically been served by both New Sweden Irrigation District and Woodville Canal Co. shares. The applicant submitted a place of use supplement page and a map of the proposed digital boundary. Since the transfer amendment will not have any hydrologic impact, a second legal notice will not be required. Rights 1-235B, 1-10604 and 1-10605 will be brought into the transfer as associated rights due to the large POU correction. Conditions will also be updated as appropriate.

Authority to File:

Department records show the applicant as the current owner of the rights included in the transfer. The company is currently registered with the State of Idaho as a corporation in good standing. The transfer application was signed by Doyle Rumsey, registered agent of the canal company.

Water Right Validity:

The rights included in this transfer were decreed in the SRBA in 2008. Water District 1 records show regular delivery of these rights. Forfeiture is not an issue.

Injury to Other Water Rights:

Other water rights should not be impacted by the change because the quantities authorized to be diverted under the rights will not increase and the total number of acres authorized to be irrigated will not change. The application was advertised and no protests were filed. The Water District 1 Watermaster reviewed the application and indicated that he did not oppose its approval.

Enlargement of Use:

The company's digital boundary will increase in size but the number of acres authorized to be irrigated within the boundary will not increase.

Local Public Interest:

No issues identified.

Beneficial Use / Conservation of Water Resources:

No issues identified.

Review of the application finds there is no clear inconsistency with criteria set forth in Section 42-222 Idaho Code preventing processing of this application.

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Proof Report

4/19/2021

Water Right 1-235B

Owner Type **Name**
Current Owner WOODVILLE CANAL CO
Priority Date: 1/22/1916
Basis: Decreed
Status: Active

Source **Tributary**
SNAKE RIVER COLUMBIA RIVER

Beneficial Use	From	To	Diversion Rate	Volume
IRRIGATION	04/01	10/31	1.620 CFS	
	Total Diversion		1.620 CFS	

Source and Point(s) of Diversion

SNAKE RIVER NENW Sec. 31, Twp 01N, Rge 37E, BINGHAM County

Place Of Use

IRRIGATION within BINGHAM, BONNEVILLE Counties

Large POU not displayed
Total Acres = 2,453.0

Conditions of Approval:

1. 129 Place of use is within the area served by Woodville Canal Company.
2. 135 The boundary encompassing the place of use for this water right is described with a digital boundary as defined by I.C. Section 42-202B(2) and authorized pursuant to I.C. Section 42-1411(2)(h). The data comprising the digital boundary are incorporated herein by reference and are stored on a CD-ROM disk issued in duplicate originals on file with the SRBA District Court and the Idaho Department of Water Resources. A map depicting the place of use is attached hereto to illustrate the place of use described by the digital boundary.
3. R05 Use of water under this right will 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. 01.
4. R43 The right holder shall maintain a measuring device and lockable controlling works of a type approved by the Department in a manner that will provide the watermaster suitable control of the diversion.
5. T07 The right holder shall accomplish the change authorized by this transfer within one year of the date of this approval.
6. T08 Failure of the right holder to comply with the conditions of this transfer is cause for the Director to rescind approval of the transfer.
7. T19 Pursuant to Section 42-1412(6), Idaho Code, this water right is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of water rights as may be determined by the Snake River Basin Adjudication court at a point in time no later than the entry of the final unified decree.

Dates and Other Information

Decreed Date: 1/29/2008

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4/19/2021

Water Right 1-10604

Owner Type **Name**
Current Owner WOODVILLE CANAL CO
Priority Date: 4/30/1893
Basis: Decreed
Status: Active

Source **Tributary**
SNAKE RIVER COLUMBIA RIVER

Beneficial Use	From	To	Diversion Rate	Volume
IRRIGATION	04/01	10/31	3.500 CFS	
	Total Diversion		3.500 CFS	

Source and Point(s) of Diversion

SNAKE RIVER NENE Sec. 35, Twp 04N, Rge 37E, JEFFERSON County

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Dates and Other Information

Decreed Date: 1/29/2008
Civil Case Number: 39576
Judicial District: FIFTH
Water District Number: 01
Generic Max Rate Per Acre: 0.020
Generic Max Volume Per Acre: 4.0
Mitigation Plan: False

4/19/2021

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<u>Basis:</u> Decreed	
<u>Status:</u> Active	

<u>Beneficial Use</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Diversion Rate</u>	<u>Volume</u>
IRRIGATION	04/01	10/31	3.640 CFS	
	<u>Total Diversion</u>		3.640 CFS	

SNAKE RIVER NENW Sec. 31, Twp 01N, Rge 37E, BINGHAM County

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