

State of Idaho
Department of Water Resources
Permit to Appropriate Water
No. 55-14042

Priority: September 22, 2020

Maximum Diversion Rate: 0.04 CFS

This is to certify that

MELVIN EDWARD SEEBECK JR PO BOX 8 CLARKSBURG CA 95612-0008 AND/OR
LOUIS ARLENE SEEBECK FAMILY TRUST PO BOX 8 CLARKSBURG CA 95612-0008

has applied for a permit to appropriate water from:

Source : SPRING

Tributary: CATTLE CREEK

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

Beneficial Use

DOMESTIC

Period of Use

01/01 to 12/31

Rate of Diversion

0.04 CFS

Location of Point(s) of Diversion

SPRING L1 (NE¼ NE¼ NE¼), Sec. 2, Twp 07S, Rge 06W, B.M. OWYHEE County

Place of Use: DOMESTIC

Twp	Rng	Sec	NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
07S	06W	2	X L1																

Conditions of Approval

1. Proof of application of water to beneficial use shall be submitted on or before **December 01, 2025**.
2. Subject to all prior water rights.
3. Domestic use is for 1 home.

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

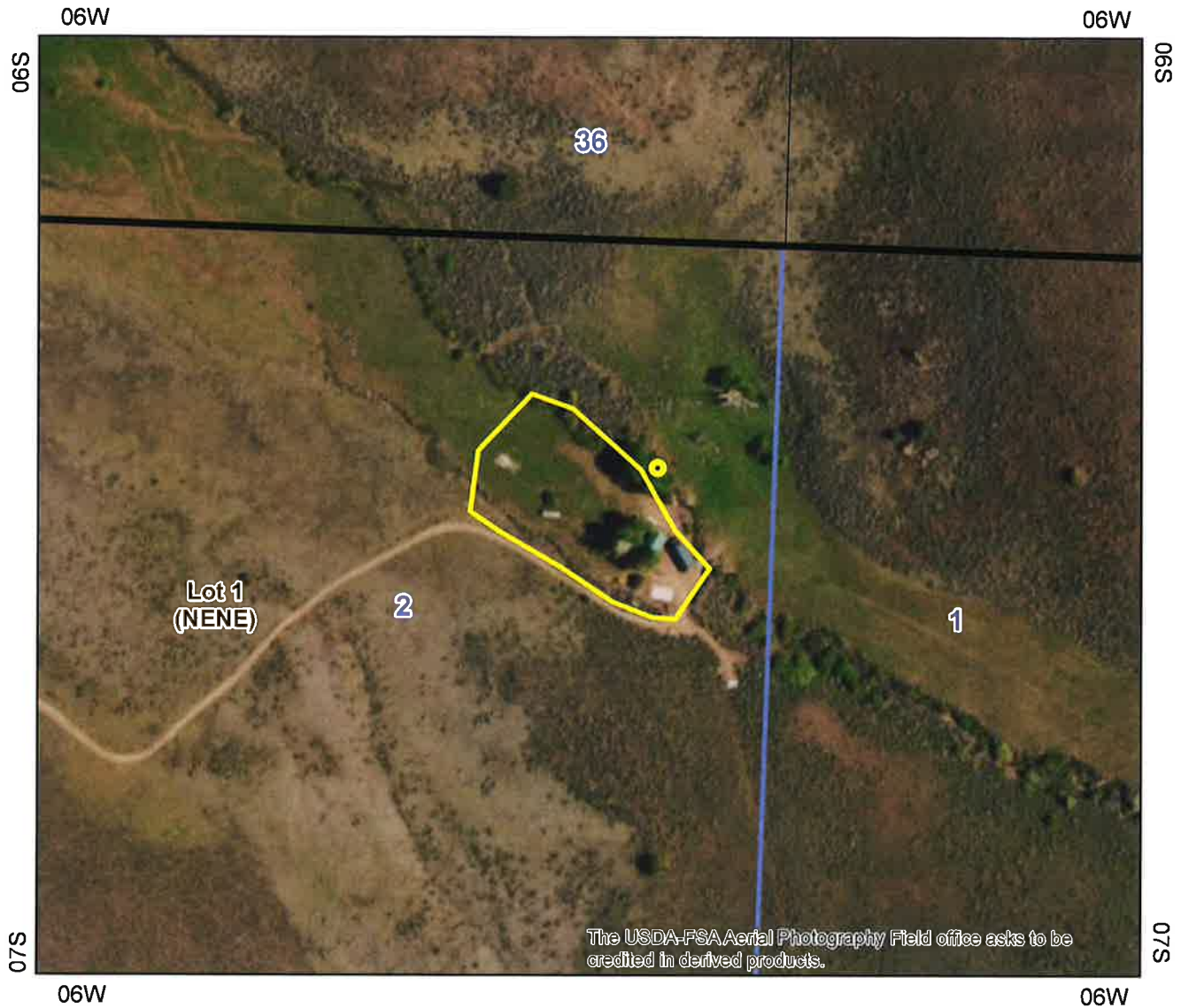
Signed this 30 day of November, 2020.

Patrick Kelly

PATRICK KELLY
Water Rights Supervisor

State of Idaho
Department of Water Resources
Attachment to Permit to Appropriate Water
55-14042

This map depicts the DOMESTIC place of use boundary for this water right at the time of this approval and is attached to the approval document solely for illustrative purposes.



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

0 0.035 0.07 0.14 Miles





State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

Western Region • 2735 W AIRPORT WAY • BOISE, ID 83705-5082

Phone: (208)334-2190 • Fax: (208)334-2348 • Website: www.idwr.idaho.gov

Brad Little
Governor

Gary Spackman
Director

November 30, 2020

LOUIS ARLENE SEEBECK FAMILY TRUST
MELVIN EDWARD SEEBECK JR
PO BOX 8
CLARKSBURG CA 95612-0008

RE: Water Permit No. 55-14042

Permit Approval Notice

Dear Permit Holder(s):

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) 605-4621.

Sincerely,



Anna Kaiser

Nick Miller

Western Regional Manager

Enclosure(s)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on November 30, 2020, I served a true and correct copy of Permit to Appropriate Water No. 55-14042 by U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, to the following:

LOUIS ARLENE SEEBECK FAMILY TRUST (Current Owner)
MELVIN EDWARD SEEBECK JR (Current Owner)
PO BOX 8
CLARKSBURG CA 95612-0008



Anna Kaiser
Water Resource Agent

EXPLANATORY INFORMATION TO ACCOMPANY A PRELIMINARY ORDER

(To be used in connection with actions when a hearing was **not** held)

(Required by Rule of Procedure 730.02)

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

PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION

Any party may file a petition for reconsideration of a preliminary order with the department within fourteen (14) days of the service date of this order. **Note: the petition must be received by the department within this fourteen (14) day period.** The department 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 with the Director. Otherwise, this preliminary order will become a final order of the agency.

REQUEST FOR HEARING

Unless a right to a hearing before the Department or the Water Resource Board is otherwise provided by statute, any person aggrieved by any final decision, determination, order or action of the Director of the Department and who has not previously been afforded an opportunity for a hearing on the matter may request a hearing pursuant to section 42-1701A(3), Idaho Code. A written petition contesting the action of the Director and requesting a hearing shall be filed within fifteen (15) days after receipt of the denial or conditional approval.

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, requests 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 IDAPA Rules 37.01.01302 and 37.01.01303 (Rules of Procedure 302 and 303).

FINAL ORDER

The Director 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.

The Owyhee Avalanche

P.O. Box 97 • HOMEDALE, IDAHO 83628

208 / 337-4681
EMAIL: OFFICE@OWYHEE.COM

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WATER RESOURCES
WESTERN REGION

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF IDAHO)
) ss
COUNTY OF OWYHEE)

I, Joe E. Aman, being first duly sworn, depose and say:

1. That I am a citizen of the United States of America, and at all times hereinafter mentioned was and now over the age of twenty-one years, not a party to nor interested in the proceedings hereinafter mentioned.

2. That during the time of publication of the notice hereinafter mentioned, I was and now am the publisher of The Owyhee Avalanche, a newspaper of general circulation printed and published weekly, on Wednesday of each and every week, in the City of Homedale, County of Owyhee and State of Idaho.

3. That the said The Owyhee Avalanche has been printed and published continuously and uninterruptedly in said County during a period of more than seventy-eight weeks prior to the first publication of the attached notice.

4. That said notice of which a copy of said newspaper, is hereto affixed, was published in the regular issue thereof, and not a supplement thereto, in said newspaper

in two
(consecutive) calendar weekly issue(s) of said newspaper, in the following date(s):

10-21, 10-28 2020

SIGNED: _____

STATE OF IDAHO }
COUNTY OF OWYHEE }

On this 5th day of November in the year 2020, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared JOE E. AMAN, known or identified to me to be the person whose name subscribed to the within instrument, and being by me duly sworn, declared that the statements therein are true, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Shelley Blodgett
Notary Public of Idaho

Residing at Homedale, ID
My commission expires:

6 / 2 / 2023



Public notices

From previous page

TRIBUTARY: TROUT CREEK
PRIORITY DATE:
05/15/1919

POINT OF DIVERSION: T05S
R05W SEC 15 NESW
PURPOSE OF USE:
STOCKWATER
PLACE OF USE: T05S R05W
SEC 15 NESW

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10/28.11/4.11/2020

NOTICE OF CLAIM TO A WATER RIGHT

The following Notices of Claim and Motions for Determination of Deferred De Minimis Domestic or Stock Water Use to a water right have been led in the Snake River Basin Adjudication. Note that the places of use are in Owyhee County, on private land within BLM South Mountain Area Grazing Allotment. For information specific to the individual claims search here:

<https://idwr.idaho.gov/apps/ExtSearch/WRAJSearch/WRADJSearch.aspx>

Water Rights: 55-13994
NAME & ADDRESS:
LEQUERICA & SONS INC
3910 SUMPTER WAY
BOISE ID 83709

SOURCE: UNNAMED STREAM

TRIBUTARY: JUNIPER CREEK

PRIORITY DATE:
11/15/1920

POINT OF DIVERSION: T08S
R05W SEC 9 SWSW

PURPOSE OF USE:
STOCKWATER

PLACE OF USE: T08S R05W
SEC 9 SWSW

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Water Rights: 55-13995
NAME & ADDRESS:
LEQUERICA & SONS INC
3910 SUMPTER WAY
BOISE ID 83709

SOURCE: SPRING

TRIBUTARY: SINKS

PRIORITY DATE:
04/17/1924

POINT OF DIVERSION: T08S
R05W SEC 4 Lot 10 SWSE

PURPOSE OF USE:
STOCKWATER

PLACE OF USE: T08S R05W
SEC 4 Lot 10 SWSE

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Water Rights: 55-13993
NAME & ADDRESS:
LEQUERICA & SONS INC
3910 SUMPTER WAY
BOISE ID 83709

SOURCE: UNNAMED STREAMS

TRIBUTARY: LONE TREE CREEK

LONE TREE CREEK

JORDAN CREEK

PRIORITY DATE:
04/17/1924

POINT OF DIVERSION:
MULTIPLE POINTS OF
DIVERSION IN: T08S R05W

PURPOSE OF USE:
STOCKWATER

PLACE OF USE: MULTIPLE

PLACES OF USE IN: T08S
R05W

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Water Rights: 55-13996
NAME & ADDRESS:
LEQUERICA & SONS INC
3910 SUMPTER WAY
BOISE ID 83709

SOURCE: UNNAMED STREAM

TRIBUTARY: JUNIPER CREEK

JUNIPER CREEK

NORTH FORK OUYHEE RIVER

PRIORITY DATE:
12/06/1926

POINT OF DIVERSION:
MULTIPLE POINTS OF
DIVERSION IN: T08S R05W

T09S R05W

PURPOSE OF USE:
STOCKWATER

PLACE OF USE: MULTIPLE

PLACES OF USE IN: T08S
R05W

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NOTICE OF CLAIM TO A WATER RIGHT

The following Notices of Claim and Motions for Determination of Deferred De Minimis Domestic

AMENDMENT NUMBER AND QUESTION HJR4

Shall Section 2, Article III, of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended to require that the Senate shall consist of thirty-ve members; and shall Section 4, Article III, of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended to require that the Legislature shall be apportioned to thirty-ve legislative districts?

Legislative Council's Statement of Meaning, Purpose, and Results to Be Accomplished

The purpose of the proposed amendment is to permanently set the number of senators in the Idaho Legislature, as well as the number of legislative districts in Idaho, at 35. (There are twice as many representatives as senators, which this amendment would not change.) Since 1992, there have been 35 districts and senators, but the Idaho Constitution permits as few as 30 and as many as 35 districts and senators, with the number determined during redistricting (the process of redrawing legislative district boundaries after a United States census). If this amendment is adopted, the number of districts and senators would be fixed at 35 and could not be changed during redistricting.

Statements FOR the Proposed Amendment

1. Setting the number of districts at 35 would prevent the number of districts from being reduced during redistricting in 2021. If the number of districts is reduced, Idaho would have fewer legislators, meaning that Idahoans would have less representation in the Legislature at a time when the state's population is growing and the Legislature is addressing complex issues related to population growth. With fewer legislators representing more constituents, Idahoans would have less access to their legislators, limiting their ability to discuss issues of concern with the people elected to represent their interests. Additionally, with more constituents per legislator, legislators might not be able to provide as many individuals with constituent services.
2. Setting the number of districts at 35 and thus preventing any reduction in the number of districts would also keep urban and rural interests in balance. If the number of districts is reduced, rural residents could be added to mostly urban districts, and urban residents could be added to mostly rural districts. This could result in legislators being less responsive to some constituents' interests than others. Furthermore, reducing the number of districts might require districts of great geographical size, which could include many communities that have few interests in common. Large districts might also make travel difficult, and more remote areas of the district could be ignored by legislative candidates during campaigns and by elected legislators who focus on areas where more constituents live. By preserving 35 districts, this amendment makes it more likely that Idaho residents will have representation responsive to their local interests.
3. Redistricting in Idaho is done by the bipartisan Citizens' Commission for Reapportionment and is often contentious. If the number of districts is set by law, the commission would not need to determine the number of districts, eliminating a potential point of conflict between the commissioners.

Statements AGAINST the Proposed Amendment

1. Redistricting is a complicated process, because redistricting plans must comply with several legal requirements that can be in conflict with each other. For example, districts must be roughly equal in population, but must also avoid, to the extent possible, splitting up counties and communities - even though some counties and communities have significantly larger populations than others. Redistricting plans that fail to comply with all requirements can be challenged in court. By adding another redistricting requirement, this amendment would make redistricting more difficult and might invite court challenges. The commission currently has the flexibility to determine the number of districts within a certain range because it is possible that a plan with 30 larger districts could better satisfy legal requirements than a plan with 35 smaller districts. The commission's flexibility should be preserved.
2. Changes to the redistricting process should be proposed well in advance of a redistricting year, with enough time to consider all possible consequences of the change. This amendment would cause a significant change to be made right before redistricting occurs in 2021 without sufficient time to consider the consequences.
3. Reducing the number of legislative districts would mean a corresponding reduction in the number of legislators. This would reduce the size of the government and could potentially save public funds spent on legislator salaries and benefits.

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Water Rights: 55-13999
NAME & ADDRESS:
LEQUERICA & SONS INC
3910 SUMPTER WAY
BOISE ID 83709

SOURCE: CORRAL CREEK

TRIBUTARY: CABIN CREEK

UNNAMED STREAM

CORRAL CREEK

PRIORITY DATE:
05/27/1920

POINT OF DIVERSION:
MULTIPLE POINTS OF
DIVERSION IN: T09S R05W

PURPOSE OF USE:
STOCKWATER

PLACE OF USE: MULTIPLE

PLACES OF USE IN: T09S
R05W

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Water Rights: 55-13993
NAME & ADDRESS:
LEQUERICA & SONS INC
3910 SUMPTER WAY
BOISE ID 83709

SOURCE: UNNAMED STREAMS

TRIBUTARY: LONE TREE CREEK

JORDAN CREEK

PRIORITY DATE:
04/17/1924

POINT OF DIVERSION:
MULTIPLE POINTS OF
DIVERSION IN: T08S R05W

PURPOSE OF USE:
STOCKWATER

PLACE OF USE: MULTIPLE

PLACES OF USE IN: T08S
R05W

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The following application(s) have been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of

Idaho:
55-14042
LOUIS ARIENE SEEBECK
FAMILY TRUST
MELVIN EDWARD SEEBECK JR.
PO BOX 8
CLARKSBURG, CA 95612-0008

Point of Diversion
LI(NENENE) S2 T07S R06W
OWYHEE County Source
SPRING Tributary CATTLE CREEK

Use: DOMESTIC 01/01 to
12/31 0.04 CFS

Total Diversion: 0.04 CFS

Date Filed: 09-22-2020

Place Of Use: DOMESTIC
T07S R06W S2 LI(NENE)

Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. For additional information concerning the property location, contact the Western office at (208) 334-2190; or for a full description of the right(s), please see <https://idwr.idaho.gov/apps/ExtSearch/WRApplicationResults/>. Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Idaho Code § 42-203A. Any protest against the approval of this application must be led with the Director, Dept. of Water Resources, Western Region, 2735 W AIRPORT WAY, BOISE ID 83705-5082 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 11/9/2020. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

GARY SPACKMAN, Director
10/21.28/2020

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11-9-2020