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#### State of Idaho Department of Water Resources

# Permit to Appropriate Water

No. 63-34951

Priority: August 17, 2020

Maximum Diversion Rate: 0.11 CFS

This is to certify that

TODD W CORMAN 2565 S MILL POINT LN BOISE ID 83712-8512

has applied for a permit to appropriate water from:

Source : GROUND WATER

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

Beneficial Use	Period of Use	Rate of Diversion
IRRIGATION	03/01 to 11/15	0.11 CFS

#### Location of Point(s) of Diversion

GROUND WATER L4 (NE¼ SW¼), Sec. 19, Twp 03N, Rge 03E, B.M. ADA County

#### Place of Use: IRRIGATION

Twp Rng	Dag	Sec	NE			NW			SW			SE			Totals				
	Sec	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE		
03N	03E	19					1				2.1	1.4							3.5
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Total Acres: 3.5

#### **Conditions of Approval**

- 1. Proof of application of water to beneficial use shall be submitted on or before October 01, 2021.
- 2. Subject to all prior water rights.
- 3. This right when combined with all other rights shall provide no more than 0.03 cfs per acre nor more than 4.5 afa per acre at the field headgate for irrigation of the place of use.
- 4. Right holder shall comply with the drilling permit requirements of Idaho Code § 42-235 and applicable Well Construction Rules of the Department.
- 5. The point of diversion identified in this right is located within the boundaries of the Boise Front Low Temperature Geothermal Resource Groundwater Management Area. The well driller shall monitor water temperatures while drilling the well. If water with a temperature greater than 85 degrees Fahrenheit is encountered by the driller, drilling must immediately cease, and the Department must be notified. Drilling shall not resume until the Department has reviewed the drilling conditions, and established standards for construction with the driller.
- 6. To prevent injury to prior water rights appropriating water from the underlying shallow aquifer, the well used as a point of diversion for this water right shall be constructed and maintained with unperforated casing and sealed into the first significant confining layer located 200 feet or more below ground surface.
- 7. Water bearing zone to be appropriated is 200 to 300 feet.

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8. The Director retains jurisdiction to require the right holder to provide purchased or leased natural flow or stored water to offset depletion of Lower Snake River flows if needed for salmon migration purposes. The amount of water required to be released into the Snake River or a tributary, if needed for this purpose, will be determined by the Director based upon the reduction in flow caused by the use of water pursuant to this permit.

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

Signed this <u>09</u> day of _	Octoper	, 20 <u>_20</u>		
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## State of Idaho Department of Water Resources Attachment to Permit to Appropriate Water 63-34951

This map depicts the IRRIGATION 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.



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October 09, 2020

TODD W CORMAN 2565 S MILL POINT LN BOISE ID 83712-8512

RE: Permit No. 63-34951

## **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* ("Proof") 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. If you have already diverted and used water to the full extent intended, you may complete and submit the enclosed Proof form immediately.

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.

Also, please note that permit holders are required to report any change of ownership and/or mailing address to the Department within 120 days of the change. Failure to report these changes could result in a \$100 late filing fee. Forms to assign ownership or update your address are available from any office of the Department or on the Department's website.

If you have any questions concerning the enclosed information, please contact me at (208) 334-2190.

Sincerely, -(norner Kensic Patrick Kelly

Water Rights Supervisor

Enclosure(s)

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on October 09, 2020, I served a true and correct copy of Permit to Appropriate Water No. 63-34951 by U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, to the following:

TODD W CORMAN 2565 S MILL POINT LN BOISE ID 83712-8512

Kensie Thorneycroft Administrative Assistant 1

# 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. <u>It can and will become a final order without</u> <u>further action of the Department of Water Resources ("department") unless a party petitions</u> <u>for reconsideration, files an exception and brief, or requests a hearing as further described</u> <u>below:</u>

## 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 <u>received</u> 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.

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## **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.

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October 5, 2020

#### VIA U.S. MAIL AND FACSIMILE (208-334-2348)

Director c/o Nick Miller Idaho Department of Water Resources 2735 Airport Way Boise, Idaho 83705-5082

Re: *Application for Permit No. 63-34951* 

Dear Mr. Miller:

On behalf of Edwards Family LLC, I hereby submit the following comment in lieu of a formal Protest regarding Application for Permit No. 63-34951 (the "Application"). The Application proposes diversions from ground water within the boundaries of the Boise Front Low Temperature Geothermal Resource Ground Water Management Area. If the Application is approved, it should be conditioned to prevent the diversion of geothermal water and to assure that only cold water is diverted and to require monitoring to assure no geothermal water is diverted.

Please contact me if you have any further questions or need further information. Thank you.

Sincerely,

HAWLEY TROXELL ENNIS & HAWLEY LLP

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DH:tas cc: Todd Corman

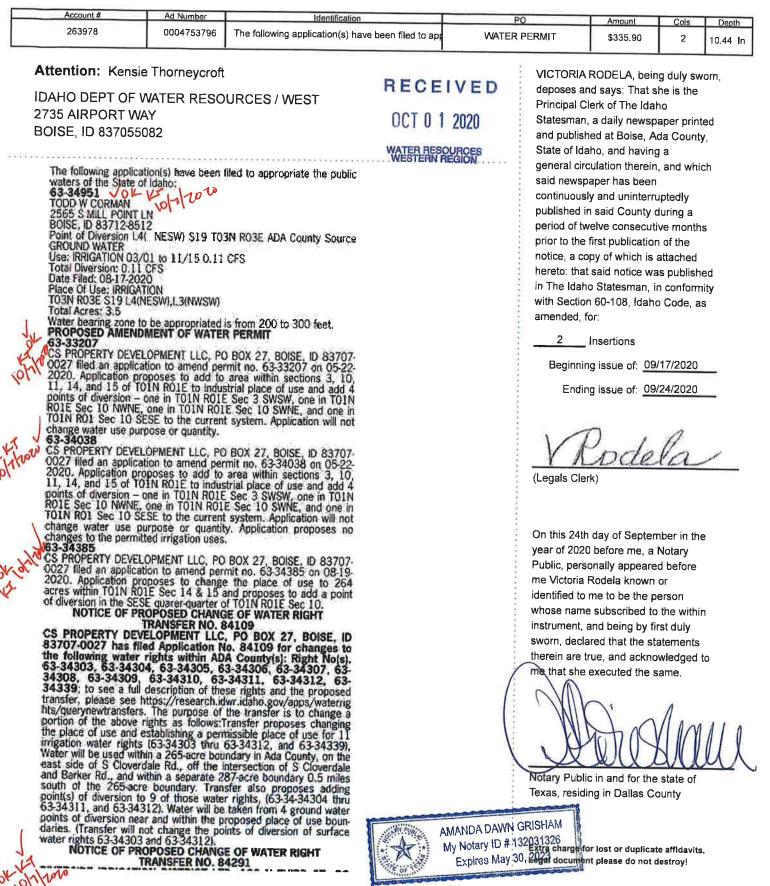
#### MEMORANDUM

TO:Water Right Files: 63-34951FROM:Anna KaiserDATE:10/8/2020RE:Boise Front GWMA & GWRA Applicant Response

On September 3, 2020, I sent applicant Todd Corman a letter which, in part, provided some background information on the Boise Front Ground Water Management Area (GWMA) and Ground Water Restricted Areas (GWRAs), and explained the Department's concerns about new groundwater proposals within the boundaries of these two GW areas. The letter stated the Department's well depth requirements for new wells within both GW areas and requested information from the applicant on his well construction plans. Corman met with me in person on September 9, 2020 to discuss his permit application no. 63-34951 and a related transfer application. During this meeting, he informed me that he plans to drill his well between 200 and 300 feet, satisfying the Department's requirements of new wells within both the Boise Front GWMA and the GWRA and will accept any Department-required well depth conditions on his permit approval.



# **AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION**



BOX 1080, PARMA, ID 83660 has ad Application No. 84291 for changes to the following rights within CAN-YON County(s): Right No(s), 63-226 227, 63-2279, 63-228, 63-229, 63-2374, 63-2389, 62. ..., 6, 63-267, 63-268, 63-299, 63-300, 63-33252, 63-33682, 63-33683, 63-33735, 63-33736A, 63-337366, 63-4007, 63-4008, 63-4010; to see a full description of these rights and the proposed transfer, please see https://research.idwr.idaho.gov/apps/waterrig hts/querynewtransfers. The purpose of the transfer is to change a portion of the above nights as follows: Riverside Irrigation District LTD is an irrigation district that operates multiple water rights within Canyon County. The company filed transfer no. 84291 to change the place of use on its irrigation rights to include an additional 90 acres within its service boundary. The new acres will be irrigated from treasury shares that have been returned to Riverside. Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. For additional infor-mation 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 filed with the Director. Dept. of Water Resources, Western Re-gion, 2735 W AIRPORT WAY, BOISE ID 83705-5082 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 10/5/2020. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the appli-cant. GARY\_SPACKMAN, DirectorPublished on 9/37/2020 and

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