

IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES  
Proof Report

7/24/2020

Water Permit 47-7965

<u>Owner Type</u>	<u>Name and Address</u>
Current Owner	TWIN FALLS SCHOOL DISTRICT #411 201 MAIN AVE W TWIN FALLS, ID 83301-6103 (208) 733-6900

Status: Lapsed

Source

Tributary

<u>Beneficial Use</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Diversion Rate</u>	<u>Volume</u>
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Source and Point(s) of Diversion

Place Of Use

Conditions of Approval:

Comments:

Dates and Other Information

Water District Number: TBD  
Mitigation Plan: False

Combined Use Limits

N/A

SubCase:

N/A

Water Supply Bank:

N/A





State of Idaho  
**DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES**  
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Governor

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Director

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MAR 13 1985  
Department of Water Resources  
Southern District Office

March 8, 1985

Twin Falls School District No. 411  
201 Main Avenue West  
Twin Falls, ID 83301

Gentlemen:

Re: Permit No. 47-7964 and 47-7965

The Department has recently received inquiries from water right permit holders in the Twin Falls area relative to development or continued development of their projects seeking to use the warm groundwater resource in the area. In addition, the Department recently noticed an editorial in the Times News urging taxpayer support for a swimming pool bond issue.

The Department would like to call to the attention of undeveloped water right permit holders as well as to others in the area that there are potential resource problems that should be carefully considered in the decision to proceed with development.

In direct response to reports of declining pressures and temperatures from the warm water resource in the area, on January 11, 1984 the Department created the Twin Falls Groundwater Management Area. The area is roughly described as extending from Salmon Falls Creek on the western boundary to the Kimberly area on the east. The northern boundary is approximately the location of the Snake River and extends southerly averaging from 5 to 15 miles in depth.

A groundwater management area (GWMA) is defined as any groundwater basin or part thereof which may be approaching the conditions of a critical ground water area. Applications for permit in a GWMA may only be approved after it has been determined on an individual basis that sufficient water is available and that other right holders will not be injured. The Director of the Department of Water Resources is also authorized by statute to require water right holders in a GWMA to report withdrawals of ground water and other information for the purpose of assisting him in determining available ground water supplies and their usage.

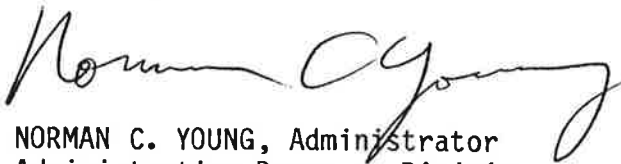
The Department has in fact monitored and will continue to monitor

select wells for pressure and temperature with the express intent of future management and/or regulation of the resource if appropriate. Depending on the findings of the monitoring, it is possible that the Department would limit withdrawal of water from the resource, require reinjection of water diverted for various permitted uses or impose other regulatory criteria. The Department has recently ordered the owners of a well in the area to repair the well in order that flow may be adequately controlled.

With the monitoring data gathered so far by the Department, it is premature to predict what, if any, action the Department may pursue; however, it would only be prudent for undeveloped water right permit holders to carefully consider their potential investment before making a commitment.

Data gathered from the monitoring effort may be reviewed at the Department's regional office in Twin Falls or in the state office in Boise.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Norman C. Young".

NORMAN C. YOUNG, Administrator  
Administration Resource Division

cc: Southern Region

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Department of Water Resources  
Southern District Office

STATE OF IDAHO  
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES  
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

APPROVED

To appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho

1. Name of applicant Twin Falls School District #411 Phone 733-6900  
Post office address 201 Main Ave. West, Twin Falls, ID 83301

2. Source of water supply Groundwater which is a tributary of \_\_\_\_\_

3. Location of point of diversion is NE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 16 Township 10S  
Range 17E B.M. Twin Falls County, additional points of diversion if any: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Water will be used for the following purposes:

Amount 0.49 cfs for Heating purposes from Jan 1 to Dec 31 (both dates inclusive)  
(cfs or acre-feet per annum)  
Amount \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ purposes from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ (both dates inclusive)  
(cfs or acre-feet per annum)  
Amount \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ purposes from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ (both dates inclusive)  
(cfs or acre-feet per annum)  
Amount \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ purposes from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ (both dates inclusive)  
(cfs or acre-feet per annum)

5. Total quantity to be appropriated:

a. 0.49 cubic feet per second and/or b. \_\_\_\_\_ acre-feet per annum.

6. Proposed diverting works:

a. Description of ditches, flumes, pumps, headgates, etc. Existing capped artesian well, pipelines

b. Height of storage dam \_\_\_\_\_ feet, active reservoir capacity \_\_\_\_\_ acre-feet; total reservoir capacity \_\_\_\_\_ acre-feet, materials used in storage dam: \_\_\_\_\_

Period of year when water will be diverted to storage \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ inclusive.  
(Month/Day) (Month/Day)

c. Proposed well diameter is \_\_\_\_\_ inches; proposed depth of well is \_\_\_\_\_ feet.

7. Time required for the completion of the works and application of the water to the proposed beneficial use is 5 years (minimum 1 year - maximum 5 years).

8. Description of proposed uses:

a. If water is not for irrigation:

(1) Give the place of use of water: E $\frac{1}{2}$  of SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 16 Township 10S  
Range 17E B.M.

(2) Amount of power to be generated: \_\_\_\_\_ horsepower under \_\_\_\_\_ feet of head.

(3) List number of each kind of livestock to be watered \_\_\_\_\_

(4) Name of municipality to be served \_\_\_\_\_, or number of families to be supplied with domestic water \_\_\_\_\_

(5) If water is to be used for other purposes describe: Heating of Bickel Elementary School

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b. If water is for irrigation, indicate acreage in each subdivision in the tabulation below:

TWP	RANGE	SEC.	NE¼				NW¼				SW¼				SE¼				TOTALS
			NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	

Total number of acres to be irrigated \_\_\_\_\_

c. Describe any other water rights used for the same purposes as described above. \_\_\_\_\_

9. a. Who owns the property at the point of diversion Applicant

b. Who owns the land to be irrigated or place of use "

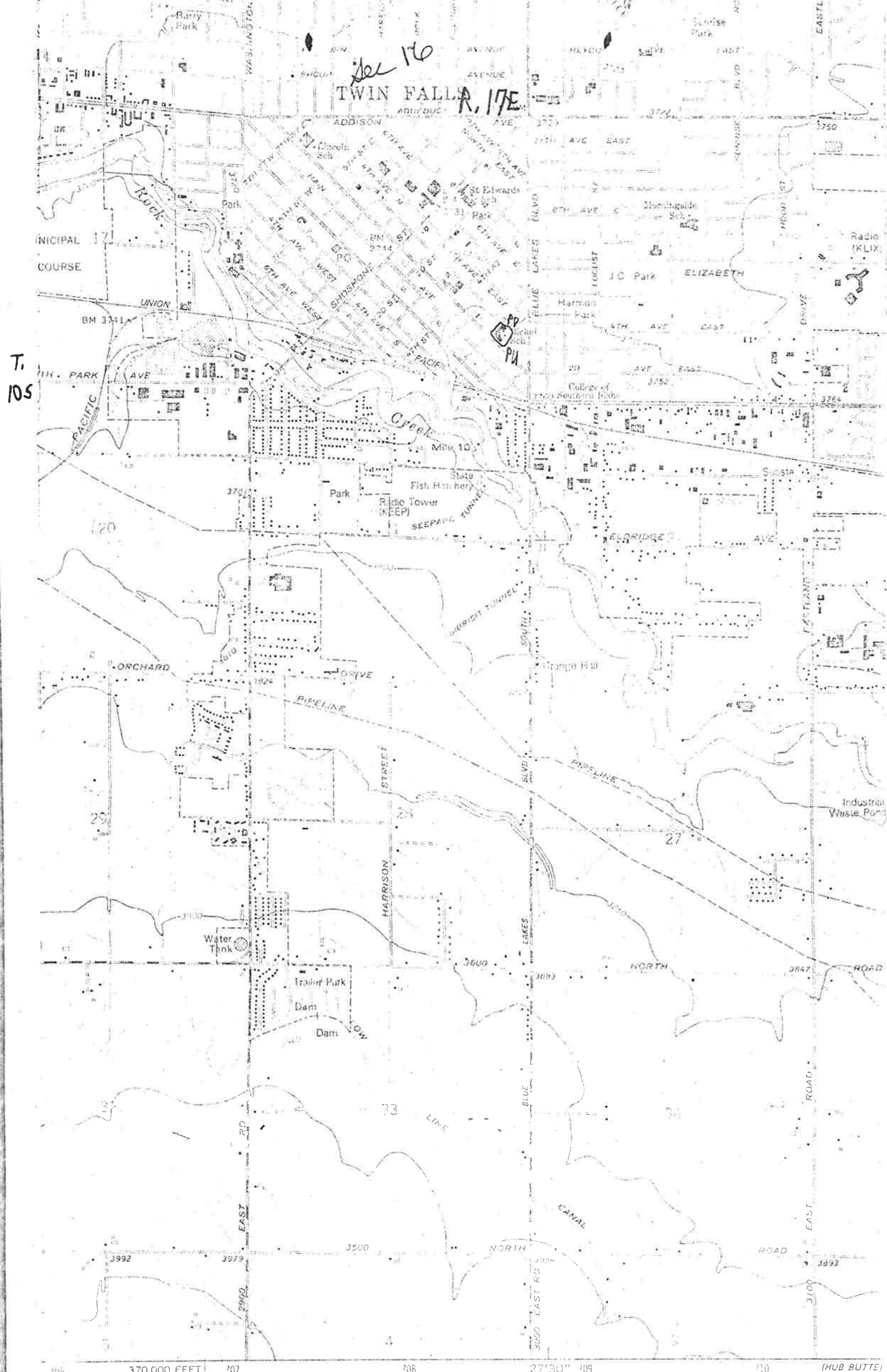
c. If the property is owned by a person other than the applicant, describe the arrangement enabling the applicant to make this filing \_\_\_\_\_

10. Remarks Flow determined as follows: 28 BTU's/sw ft/hr X 39000 sq ft = 1092000 BTU's.

Temp. drop = 10° F.

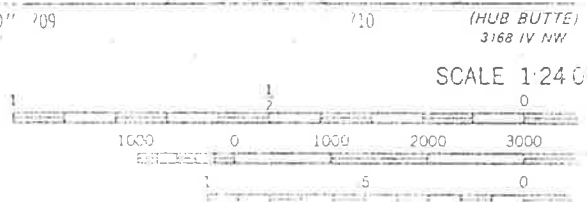
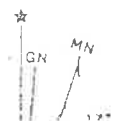
1092000/(500 X 10) = 218 gpm = 0.49 cfs

This well was drilled many years ago but has never been used.



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and NOS/NOAA

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1956, 1957 and 1962. Field checked 1964  
al photographs taken 1970



Proposed Priority 10/17/83

Received by JF Date 10-17-83 Time 4:25 p.m.  
Preliminary check by L.F. Fee \$ 45.00  
Receipted by JF Date 10-17-83 # 32703  
Publication prepared by mwp Date 11/16/83  
Published in Times News  
Publication dates 11/24 & 12/1/83  
Publication approved mwp Date 11/23/83  
Protests filed by: None

Copies of protests forwarded by \_\_\_\_\_  
Hearing held by \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Recommended for approval denial by ADM kw

#### ACTION OF THE DIRECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

This is to certify that I have examined Application for Permit to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho No. 47-7965, and said application is hereby APPROVED.

1. Approval of said application is subject to the following limitations and conditions:

- a. SUBJECT TO ALL PRIOR WATER RIGHTS.
- b. Proof of construction of works and application of water to beneficial use shall be submitted on or before January 1, 19 89.
- c. The rate of diversion, if water is to be used for irrigation under this permit, when combined with all other water rights for the same land shall not exceed 0.02 cubic feet per second for each acre of land.
- d. Other: Permit holder shall commence the excavation or construction of diverting works within one year of the date this permit is issued and shall proceed diligently until the project is complete.  
Return flow if discharged to a subsurface system must be authorized by a separate injection well permit, and return flow if discharged to a surface water system shall meet Idaho Water Quality Standards.  
Use of water under this right shall be non-consumptive.

The Director retains jurisdiction of this permit and may require reinjection of the water if determined to be necessary for protection of the resource or other water rights.

Prior to use of the well permit holder shall submit well construction details for review and approval of the Department and shall modify the construction of the well if determined to be necessary to protect the warm and cold water resources.

Dated this 26<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1984.

J. Glen Saxton  
Chief, Operations Bureau