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C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER Governor

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August 7, 2014

CASSIA COUNTY ROAD & BRIDGE 1459 OVERLAND AVE BURLEY, ID 83318

- RE: Copy of Temporary Water Right Application: TP-43-46 (Approved)
- RE: Copy of Temporary Water Right Application: TP-43-44 (Denied)
- RE: Copy of Temporary Water Right Application: TP-43-45 (Denied)

Dear Cassia County:

Enclosed is a copy of the above referenced approved Application for Temporary Approval of Water Appropriation Permit. Please note, also enclosed are copies of (2) Temporary Water Right Applications in which were denied.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact this office, and any of our agents will be able to assist you.

Sincerely, Denisomaline Allen Merritt

Southern Region Manager

for:

Enclosure(s)

cc: Rick Neff, Water District 43B

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ID No. 11 43-46

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### **APPLICATION FOR TEMPORARY APPROVAL OF WATER APPROPRIATION**

(For a use not intended to become an established water right, not to exceed a total diverted volume of five (5) acre-feet, and not to exceed one (1) year duration in accordance with Section 42-202A, Idaho Code.)

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

This is to certify that the department has examined this application for temporary approval to use water under the provisions of Section 42-202A, Idaho Code, and has determined that:

\_\_\_\_\_A. The application for temporary approval should be denied.

B. The application for temporary approval should be approved, since

- 1. The temporary approval can be properly administered.
- 2. Other water sources are not readily available.
- 3. The approval is in the public interest.
- 4. The approval will not injure known public values associated with the water source or any known water rights.

This application is therefore hereby:

A. DENIED

**X** B. APPROVED, subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Diversion and use of water under this approval is subject to all valid existing water rights.
- 2. The applicant assumes all risk the use of the water under this approval may injure other water rights.
- 3. This approval authorizes a maximum diversion of \_\_\_\_\_\_ AF and a maximum rate of diversion of \_\_\_\_\_\_ cfs.
- 4. This approval does not grant a right-of-way across the land of another, does not create a continuing right to use the water and may not be used in connection with a use which requires a continuing water supply.
- 5. The department may cancel this approval at any time if the department identifies injury to other water rights.
- 6. This approval does not create a continuing right to use water.
- 7. The holder of this temporary permit shall not divert at a rate or in a manner that will significantly reduce the flow in the water source or otherwise adversely affect fish, wildlife or other public values. . . . . .

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For the Director

9. This approval expires on 10/31/2014Signed this 5t day of August

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### ADDITIONAL CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL FOR TEMPORARY PERMIT NO. <u>TP-43-46</u>

- SUBJECT TO curtailment by watermaster of Water District 43-D. Please contact Bruce Durfee, watermaster, to coordinate diversion (208-824-5566).
- The pump intake shall be screened with <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" mesh or smaller to avoid entraining juvenile fish.
- The pump placement in the stream shall be away from potential fish refugia like stream banks with overhanging vegetation or accumulated large woody debris.
- All equipment involved with transporting water shall be treated/sterilized to avoid spread of invasive aquatic species prior to use. If equipment involved with transporting water has been moved into Idaho from another state (Particularly from NV, CO, UT, AZ, CA or TX) contact ISDA for an inspection. We recommend contacting ISDA (Amy Ferriter @ 208-332-8686) for treatment recommendations.

### **MEMORANDUM**

### **DATE:** August 4, 2014

### **TO:** Allen Merritt, File TP-43-44, TP-43-45, TP-43-46

#### FROM: Jeff Cooper

### **RE:** Application for Temporary Approval of Water Appropriation

Three applications for temporary approval of water appropriation (TP-43-44, TP-43-45, TP-43-46) where filed with the Department on July 25, 2014 by Cassia Country Road and Bridge (receipt #S034195) for the purpose of dust abatement and magnesium chloride work on county roads in the Upper Raft River area. The applicant provided a detailed map of the location of the points of diversion and place of use along with legal descriptions.

- Application TP-43-46 proposes to divert up to 340 gpm, up to 0.15 AF/day, and up to 2 AF from April 1, 2013 to October 31, 2013, from points of diversion located at TWP 13S RNG 24E Sec. 15 NWNW & TWP 13S RNG 24E Sec. 16 NENE on an unnamed stream tributary to Almo Creek. The proposed points of diversion fall under the jurisdiction of the Almo Creek Water District (43-D). The current watermaster, E. Bruce Durfee, indicated that he had no objections to the proposed temporary appropriation, but water supply at this point is very low and he would like to be contacted when the water is taken (as per phone conversation on 08/04/2014). The proposed points of diversion are located within the road and/or highway easement.
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### MEMORANDUM

### DATE: June 10, 2013

### **TO:** Allen Merritt, File TP-43-41, TP-43-42, TP-43-43

#### FROM: Jeff Cooper

### **RE:** Application for Temporary Approval of Water Appropriation

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