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DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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GARY SPACKMAN
Director

07/10/2013

ERIC N SNITTER
PO BOX 217
708 B STREET
PINEHURST ID 83850

RE: Temporary Permit No. TP-94-140

Dear Applicant(s):

Your application for Temporary approval of Water Appropriation has been granted and assigned number TP-94-140.

Please be advised that THE PERMIT IS SUBJECT TO THE EFFECTIVE DATES AND CONDITIONS STATED ON PAGE TWO OF THE APPLICATION.

The Idaho Department of Fish & Game (IDFG) now requires a Special Use Permit if their property is to be used for a point of diversion. IDFG contact person is Mary Terra-Berns at 208-769-1414.

If you have any questions or if this office can be of further assistance, please contact us.

Sincerely,

Keith E. Franklin
Program Manager

Enclosure Copy of TP-94-140

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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.)

Name of applicant: Eric N. Snitter Phone: 208-512-4611
Address: PO Box 217 704 B Street Pinehurst 83850 Email: snittere@gmail
1. Source of water: Beaver Creek Drainage tributary to North Fork, C'd'A River

2. Location of point(s) of diversion:

TWP	RGE	SEC	GOVT LOT	1/4	1/4	1/4	County	Source	Local name or tag #
49N	4E	23				NE	Shoshone	Beaver Cr. drainage	
49N	4E	24				NW	Shoshone	" "	
49N	4E	27						" "	

3. Location of place of use:

TWP	RGE	SEC	NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
49N	4E	23		m			m												
49N	4E	24					m												

49N 4E 27

4. Describe proposed use of water Intermittent sampling & protecting

5. Amount of water:

Maximum rate of diversion _____ cfs or 160 gpm.

Maximum daily volume _____ AF; total volume 5 AF.

6. Duration of diversion: from _____ to _____
Day-month Day-month

7. Describe proposed diverting works: None

8. a. Who owns the property at the requested point of diversion? Public Land USFS

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

c. If the property is owned by a person other than the applicant, describe the arrangement allowing access to the water:

existing roads and trails

9. Additional remarks: _____

I hereby acknowledge that I assume all risk if the diversion and use of the water under this approval injures other water rights. I certify this is a temporary use and that I am not seeking a continuing right to use water.

Signature of applicant Eric N. Snitter

Date

6/28/13

Received by J.T. Date 6/28/13 Time 9:40am

\$50.00 fee received by J.T. # N029975 Date 6/28/13

Watermaster Comments received? N/A. Date _____

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
- ☒ 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 5 AF and a maximum rate of diversion of 0.22 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.
 8. Other: Water intakes should be screened to prevent entrainment or impingement of fish or other aquatic life. The maximum screen mesh size should be 0.25 inches; approach velocities should not exceed 0.5 ft/second.
 9. This approval expires on 12/31/13.

Signed this 10 day of July, 2013.

Beth L. Davidson
For the Director

Franklin, Keith

From: Franklin, Keith
Sent: Monday, July 01, 2013 8:43 AM
To: 'Terra Berns,Mary'
Subject: Application For Temporary Water Appropriation, Suitter.
Attachments: DOC005.pdf

Mary,

Attached is an application to temporarily appropriate water for a high bank mining operation from Beaver Creek, for your review and comment. If you have any questions, feel free to give me a call.

Thanks.

Keith.



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July 1, 2013

MARY TERRA BERNIS
IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF FISH & GAME
2885 KATHLEEN AVE.
COEUR D'ALENE, ID 83815

Re: Application For a Temporary Approval of a Water Appropriation

Dear MARY:

The Department of Water Resources is seeking comment and/or recommendation from your agency, regarding an application to temporarily appropriate 5.0 acre-feet of water from Beaver Creek which is tributary to the North Fork of the Coeur d'Alene River, for high bank mining, by Eric N. Sutter. A copy of the application is attached for your reference.

Would you please submit your comments no later than July 8, 2013? If we do not hear from you by that date, we will assume that no comment from you means you have no objection to, concerns about, or conditions pertaining to the issuance of this permit.

You may send comments by regular mail to the above address, by FAX to 208-762-2819 or by e-mail to keith.franklin@idwr.idaho.gov.

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact me at this office.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Keith E Franklin
Program Manager, Northern Region

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*No comments received
as of 7/10/13.
KJ.*