

**STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES**

**TRANSFER OF WATER RIGHT
TRANSFER NO. 83687**

This is to certify that: JEFFREY BUCKWALTER
3724 ANTELOPE RD
MOORE, ID 83255

has requested a change to the water right(s) listed below. This change in water right(s) is authorized pursuant to the provisions of Section 42-222, Idaho Code. A summary of the changes is also listed below. The authorized change for each affected water right, including conditions of approval, is shown on the following pages of this document.

Summary of Water Rights Before the Proposed Changes

<u>Water Right</u>	<u>Origin/Basis</u>	<u>Priority Date</u>	<u>Diversion Rate</u>	<u>Diversion Volume</u>	<u>Acre Limit</u>	<u>Total Acres</u>	<u>Source</u>
34-14355	WR/DECREED	5/30/1883	1.870 cfs	N/A	93.7	196.0	ANTELOPE CREEK
34-14357	WR/DECREED	5/15/1908	0.430 cfs	N/A	N/A	196.0	ANTELOPE CREEK
34-14359	WR/DECREED	5/22/1911	0.440 cfs	N/A	N/A	196.0	ANTELOPE CREEK
34-14361	WR/DECREED	9/30/1879	0.750 cfs	N/A	37.4	196.0	ANTELOPE CREEK
34-14363	WR/DECREED	5/1/1904	0.400 cfs	N/A	20.2	196.0	ANTELOPE CREEK
34-14365	WR/DECREED	5/15/1904	0.820 cfs	N/A	N/A	196.0	ANTELOPE CREEK

Purpose of Transfer (Changes Proposed)

<u>Current Number</u>	<u>Split</u>	<u>POD</u>	<u>POU</u>	<u>Add POD</u>	<u>Period of Use</u>	<u>Nature of Use</u>
34-14355	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO
34-14357	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO
34-14359	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO
34-14361	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO
34-14363	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO
34-14365	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO

Summary Of Water Rights After the Approved Change

<u>Existing Right</u>	<u>New No. (Changed Portion)</u>	<u>Transfer Rate</u>	<u>Transfer Volume</u>	<u>Acre Limit</u>	<u>Total Acres</u>	<u>New No. (remaining portion)</u>	<u>Remaining Rate</u>	<u>Remaining Volume</u>	<u>Remaining Acre Limit</u>	<u>Remaining Total Acres</u>
34-14355	34-14355	1.870 cfs	N/A	93.7	177.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
34-14357	34-14357	0.430 cfs	N/A	N/A	177.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
34-14359	34-14359	0.440 cfs	N/A	N/A	177.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
34-14361	34-14361	0.750 cfs	N/A	37.4	177.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
34-14363	34-14363	0.400 cfs	N/A	20.2	177.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
34-14365	34-14365	0.820 cfs	N/A	N/A	177.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
COMBINED TOTALS		4.710 cfs	N/A	N/A	177.0		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

**Support Data
In File # 34-14355**

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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

TRANSFER OF WATER RIGHT
TRANSFER NO. 83687

This water right(s) is subject to all prior water rights and shall be administered in accordance with Idaho law and applicable rules of the Department of Water Resources. Detailed Water Right Description(s) attached.

Dated this 23rd day of June, 2020.



Regional Manager



Transfer No. 83687

Support Data
In File # 34-14355

WATER RIGHT NO. 34-14355**As Modified by Transfer No. 83687**

In accordance with the approval of Transfer No. 83687, Water Right No. 34-14355 is now described as follows:

Right Holder: JEFFREY BUCKWALTER
3724 ANTELOPE RD
MOORE, ID 83255

Priority Date: 5/30/1883

Source: ANTELOPE CREEK

Tributary: BIG LOST RIVER

BENEFICIAL USE

IRRIGATION
STOCKWATER

From

05/01
01/01

To

to 10/15
to 12/31

Diversion Rate

1.870 cfs
0.020 cfs
1.870 cfs

LOCATION OF POINT(S) OF DIVERSION

ANTELOPE CREEK NWSENE Sec 21 Twp 05N Rge 25E CUSTER County

PLACE OF USE: IRRIGATION

			NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
Twp	Rng	Sec	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
05N	25E	11									18.0			38.0	12.0	39.0	40.0	30.0	177.0

Right Acre Limit: 93.7

POU Total Acres: 177.0

PLACE OF USE: STOCKWATER

			NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
Twp	Rng	Sec	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
05N	25E	11									X			X		X	X		

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

1. This right is limited to the irrigation of 93.7 acres within the authorized place of use in a single irrigation season.
2. Rights 34-14355, 34-14357, 34-14359, 34-14361, 34-14363, 34-14365 when combined shall not exceed the irrigation of 177 acres.
3. Use of water under this right may be regulated by a watermaster with responsibility for the distribution of water among appropriators within a water district. At the time of this approval, this water right is within State Water District No. 34.

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WATER RIGHT NO. 34-14355

As Modified by Transfer No. 83687

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

4. The right holder shall maintain a measuring device and lockable controlling works of a type approved by the Department in a manner that will provide the watermaster suitable control of the diversion(s).
5. Stockwater use is for 300 range cattle.
6. The quantity of water under this right for stockwater use shall not exceed 13,000 gallons per day.
7. The quantity of water decreed for this water right for stockwater use is not a determination of historical beneficial use.
8. The appropriator is entitled to the quantity of water described for stockwater purposes at a point of measurement where the delivery ditch enters the place of use described.
9. The period of use for irrigation described above may be extended in seasons of unusual characteristics to a beginning date of 04-20 and an ending date of 10-31 at the discretion of the Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources.
10. Water is delivered through the Hanrahan Ditch.
11. The right holder shall accomplish the change authorized by this transfer within one year of the date of this approval.
12. Failure of the right holder to comply with the conditions of this transfer is cause for the Director to rescind approval of the transfer.
13. Pursuant to Idaho Code § 42-1412(6), this water right is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of water rights as determined by the Snake River Basin Adjudication court in the final unified decree entered 08/26/2014.

WATER RIGHT NO. 34-14357**As Modified by Transfer No. 83687**

In accordance with the approval of Transfer No. 83687, Water Right No. 34-14357 is now described as follows:

Right Holder: JEFFREY BUCKWALTER
3724 ANTELOPE RD
MOORE, ID 83255

Priority Date: 5/15/1908

Source: ANTELOPE CREEK

Tributary: BIG LOST RIVER

BENEFICIAL USE

IRRIGATION
STOCKWATER

From

05/01
01/01

to 10/15
to 12/31

To**Diversion Rate**

0.430 cfs
0.020 cfs
0.430 cfs

LOCATION OF POINT(S) OF DIVERSION

ANTELOPE CREEK NWSENE Sec 21 Twp 05N Rge 25E CUSTER County

PLACE OF USE: IRRIGATION

			NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
Twp	Rng	Sec	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
05N	25E	11									18.0			38.0	12.0	39.0	40.0	30.0	177.0

POU Total Acres: 177.0

PLACE OF USE: STOCKWATER

			NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
Twp	Rng	Sec	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
05N	25E	11									X			X		X	X		

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

1. Rights 34-14355, 34-14357, 34-14359, 34-14361, 34-14363, 34-14365 when combined shall not exceed the irrigation of 177 acres.
2. Use of water under this right may be regulated by a watermaster with responsibility for the distribution of water among appropriators within a water district. At the time of this approval, this water right is within State Water District No. 34.
3. The right holder shall maintain a measuring device and lockable controlling works of a type approved by the Department in a manner that will provide the watermaster suitable control of the diversion(s).

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WATER RIGHT NO. 34-14357
As Modified by Transfer No. 83687

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

4. Stockwater use is for 300 range cattle.
5. The quantity of water under this right for stockwater use shall not exceed 13,000 gallons per day.
6. The quantity of water decreed for this water right for stockwater use is not a determination of historical beneficial use.
7. The appropriator is entitled to the quantity of water described for stockwater purposes at a point of measurement where the delivery ditch enters the place of use described.
8. The period of use for irrigation described above may be extended in seasons of unusual characteristics to a beginning date of 04-20 and an ending date of 10-31 at the discretion of the Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources.
9. Water is delivered through the Hanrahan Ditch.
10. The right holder shall accomplish the change authorized by this transfer within one year of the date of this approval.
11. Failure of the right holder to comply with the conditions of this transfer is cause for the Director to rescind approval of the transfer.
12. Pursuant to Idaho Code § 42-1412(6), this water right is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of water rights as determined by the Snake River Basin Adjudication court in the final unified decree entered 08/26/2014.

WATER RIGHT NO. 34-14359**As Modified by Transfer No. 83687**

In accordance with the approval of Transfer No. 83687, Water Right No. 34-14359 is now described as follows:

Right Holder: JEFFREY BUCKWALTER
3724 ANTELOPE RD
MOORE, ID 83255

Priority Date: 5/22/1911

Source: ANTELOPE CREEK

Tributary: BIG LOST RIVER

BENEFICIAL USE

IRRIGATION
STOCKWATER

From

05/01
01/01

to 10/15
to 12/31

To**Diversion Rate**

0.440 cfs
0.020 cfs
0.440 cfs

LOCATION OF POINT(S) OF DIVERSION

ANTELOPE CREEK NWSENE Sec 21 Twp 05N Rge 25E CUSTER County

PLACE OF USE: IRRIGATION

Twp	Rng	Sec	NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
05N	25E	11									18.0			38.0	12.0	39.0	40.0	30.0	177.0

POU Total Acres: 177.0

PLACE OF USE: STOCKWATER

Twp	Rng	Sec	NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
05N	25E	11									X			X		X	X		

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

1. Rights 34-14355, 34-14357, 34-14359, 34-14361, 34-14363, 34-14365 when combined shall not exceed the irrigation of 177 acres.
2. Use of water under this right may be regulated by a watermaster with responsibility for the distribution of water among appropriators within a water district. At the time of this approval, this water right is within State Water District No. 34.
3. The right holder shall maintain a measuring device and lockable controlling works of a type approved by the Department in a manner that will provide the watermaster suitable control of the diversion(s).

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WATER RIGHT NO. 34-14359
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CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

4. Stockwater use is for 300 range cattle.
5. The quantity of water under this right for stockwater use shall not exceed 13,000 gallons per day.
6. The quantity of water decreed for this water right for stockwater use is not a determination of historical beneficial use.
7. The appropriator is entitled to the quantity of water described for stockwater purposes at a point of measurement where the delivery ditch enters the place of use described.
8. The period of use for irrigation described above may be extended in seasons of unusual characteristics to a beginning date of 04-20 and an ending date of 10-31 at the discretion of the Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources.
9. Water is delivered through the Hanrahan Ditch.
10. The right holder shall accomplish the change authorized by this transfer within one year of the date of this approval.
11. Failure of the right holder to comply with the conditions of this transfer is cause for the Director to rescind approval of the transfer.
12. Pursuant to Idaho Code § 42-1412(6), this water right is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of water rights as determined by the Snake River Basin Adjudication court in the final unified decree entered 08/26/2014.

WATER RIGHT NO. 34-14361**As Modified by Transfer No. 83687**

In accordance with the approval of Transfer No. 83687, Water Right No. 34-14361 is now described as follows:

Right Holder: JEFFREY BUCKWALTER
3724 ANTELOPE RD
MOORE, ID 83255

Priority Date: 9/30/1879

Source: ANTELOPE CREEK

Tributary: BIG LOST RIVER

BENEFICIAL USE

IRRIGATION
STOCKWATER

From

05/01
01/01

to 10/15
to 12/31

To**Diversion Rate**

0.750 cfs
0.020 cfs
0.750 cfs

LOCATION OF POINT(S) OF DIVERSION

ANTELOPE CREEK NWSENE Sec 21 Twp 05N Rge 25E CUSTER County

PLACE OF USE: IRRIGATION

			NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
Twp	Rng	Sec	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
05N	25E	11									18.0			38.0	12.0	39.0	40.0	30.0	177.0

Right Acre Limit: 37.4

POU Total Acres: 177.0

PLACE OF USE: STOCKWATER

			NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
Twp	Rng	Sec	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
05N	25E	11									X			X		X	X		

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

1. This right is limited to the irrigation of 37.4 acres within the authorized place of use in a single irrigation season.
2. Rights 34-14355, 34-14357, 34-14359, 34-14361, 34-14363, 34-14365 when combined shall not exceed the irrigation of 177 acres.
3. Use of water under this right may be regulated by a watermaster with responsibility for the distribution of water among appropriators within a water district. At the time of this approval, this water right is within State Water District No. 34.

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WATER RIGHT NO. 34-14361

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CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

4. The right holder shall maintain a measuring device and lockable controlling works of a type approved by the Department in a manner that will provide the watermaster suitable control of the diversion(s).
5. Stockwater use is for 300 range cattle.
6. The quantity of water under this right for stockwater use shall not exceed 13,000 gallons per day.
7. The quantity of water decreed for this water right for stockwater use is not a determination of historical beneficial use.
8. The appropriator is entitled to the quantity of water described for stockwater purposes at a point of measurement where the delivery ditch enters the place of use described.
9. The period of use for irrigation described above may be extended in seasons of unusual characteristics to a beginning date of 04-20 and an ending date of 10-31 at the discretion of the Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources.
10. Water is delivered through the Hanrahan Ditch.
11. The right holder shall accomplish the change authorized by this transfer within one year of the date of this approval.
12. Failure of the right holder to comply with the conditions of this transfer is cause for the Director to rescind approval of the transfer.
13. Pursuant to Idaho Code § 42-1412(6), this water right is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of water rights as determined by the Snake River Basin Adjudication court in the final unified decree entered 08/26/2014.

WATER RIGHT NO. 34-14363**As Modified by Transfer No. 83687**

In accordance with the approval of Transfer No. 83687, Water Right No. 34-14363 is now described as follows:

Right Holder: JEFFREY BUCKWALTER
3724 ANTELOPE RD
MOORE, ID 83255

Priority Date: 5/1/1904

Source: ANTELOPE CREEK

Tributary: BIG LOST RIVER

BENEFICIAL USE

IRRIGATION
STOCKWATER

From

05/01
01/01

To

to 10/15
to 12/31

Diversion Rate

0.400 cfs
0.020 cfs
0.400 cfs

LOCATION OF POINT(S) OF DIVERSION

ANTELOPE CREEK NWSENE Sec 21 Twp 05N Rge 25E CUSTER County

PLACE OF USE: IRRIGATION

Twp	Rng	Sec	NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
05N	25E	11									18.0			38.0	12.0	39.0	40.0	30.0	177.0

Right Acre Limit: 20.2

POU Total Acres: 177.0

PLACE OF USE: STOCKWATER

Twp	Rng	Sec	NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
05N	25E	11									X			X		X	X		

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

1. This right is limited to the irrigation of 20.2 acres within the authorized place of use in a single irrigation season.
2. Rights 34-14355, 34-14357, 34-14359, 34-14361, 34-14363, 34-14365 when combined shall not exceed the irrigation of 177 acres.
3. Use of water under this right may be regulated by a watermaster with responsibility for the distribution of water among appropriators within a water district. At the time of this approval, this water right is within State Water District No. 34.

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WATER RIGHT NO. 34-14363
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CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

4. The right holder shall maintain a measuring device and lockable controlling works of a type approved by the Department in a manner that will provide the watermaster suitable control of the diversion(s).
5. Stockwater use is for 300 range cattle.
6. The quantity of water under this right for stockwater use shall not exceed 13,000 gallons per day.
7. The quantity of water decreed for this water right for stockwater use is not a determination of historical beneficial use.
8. The appropriator is entitled to the quantity of water described for stockwater purposes at a point of measurement where the delivery ditch enters the place of use described.
9. The period of use for irrigation described above may be extended in seasons of unusual characteristics to a beginning date of 04-20 and an ending date of 10-31 at the discretion of the Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources.
10. Water is delivered through the Hanrahan Ditch.
11. The right holder shall accomplish the change authorized by this transfer within one year of the date of this approval.
12. Failure of the right holder to comply with the conditions of this transfer is cause for the Director to rescind approval of the transfer.
13. Pursuant to Idaho Code § 42-1412(6), this water right is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of water rights as determined by the Snake River Basin Adjudication court in the final unified decree entered 08/26/2014.

WATER RIGHT NO. 34-14365
As Modified by Transfer No. 83687

In accordance with the approval of Transfer No. 83687, Water Right No. 34-14365 is now described as follows:

Right Holder: JEFFREY BUCKWALTER
 3724 ANTELOPE RD
 MOORE, ID 83255

Priority Date: 5/15/1904

Source: ANTELOPE CREEK

Tributary: BIG LOST RIVER

BENEFICIAL USE

IRRIGATION
 STOCKWATER

From

05/01
 01/01

to

To

10/15
 12/31

Diversion Rate

0.820 cfs
 0.020 cfs
 0.820 cfs

LOCATION OF POINT(S) OF DIVERSION

ANTELOPE CREEK NWSENE Sec 21 Twp 05N Rge 25E CUSTER County

PLACE OF USE: IRRIGATION

Twp	Rng	Sec	NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
05N	25E	11									18.0			38.0	12.0	39.0	40.0	30.0	177.0

POU Total Acres: 177.0

PLACE OF USE: STOCKWATER

Twp	Rng	Sec	NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
05N	25E	11									X			X		X	X		

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

1. Rights 34-14355, 34-14357, 34-14359, 34-14361, 34-14363, 34-14365 when combined shall not exceed the irrigation of 177 acres.
2. Use of water under this right may be regulated by a watermaster with responsibility for the distribution of water among appropriators within a water district. At the time of this approval, this water right is within State Water District No. 34.
3. The right holder shall maintain a measuring device and lockable controlling works of a type approved by the Department in a manner that will provide the watermaster suitable control of the diversion(s).

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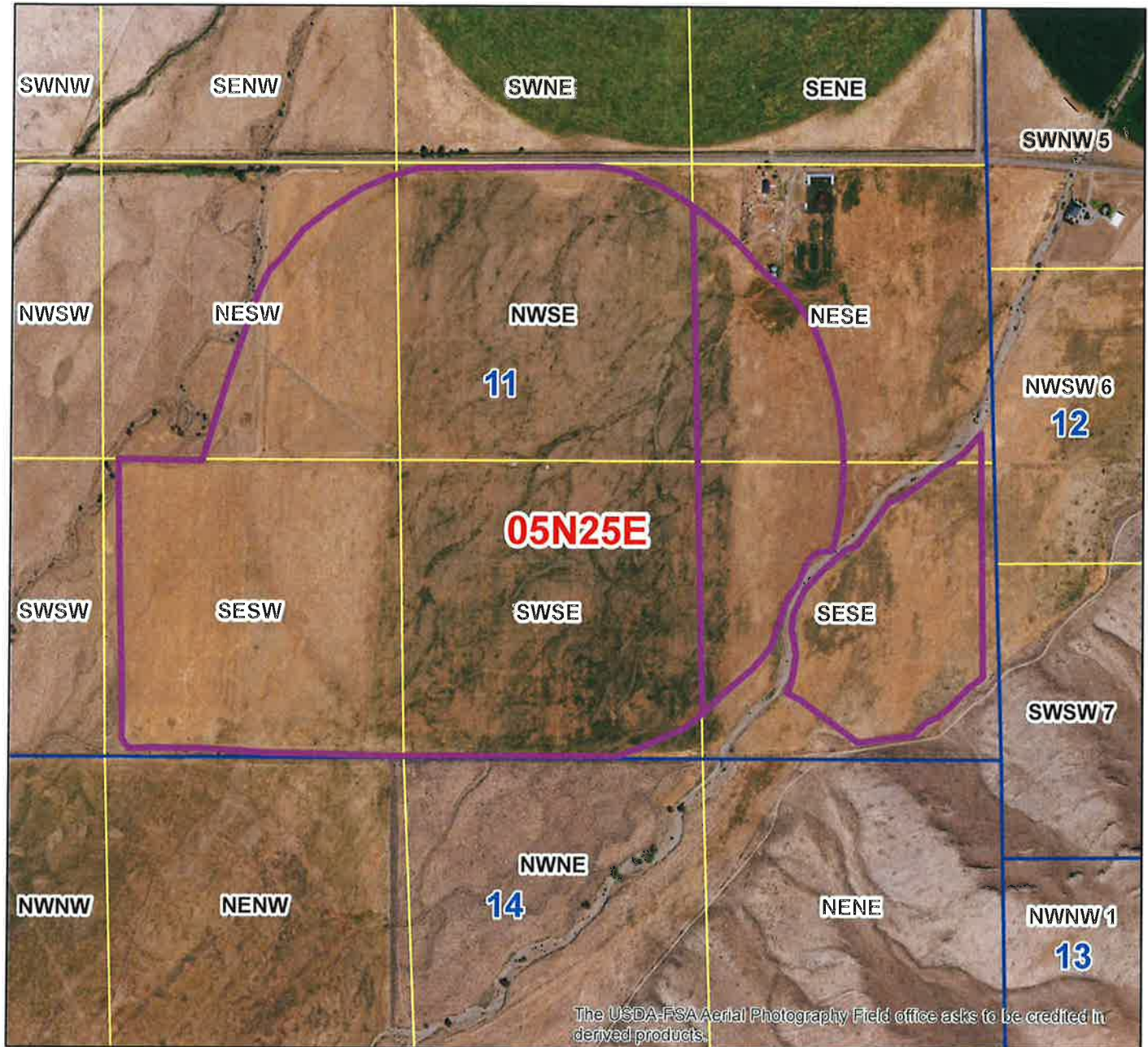
WATER RIGHT NO. 34-14365
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CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

4. Stockwater use is for 300 range cattle.
5. The quantity of water under this right for stockwater use shall not exceed 13,000 gallons per day.
6. The quantity of water decreed for this water right for stockwater use is not a determination of historical beneficial use.
7. The appropriator is entitled to the quantity of water described for stockwater purposes at a point of measurement where the delivery ditch enters the place of use described.
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Attachment to Transfer Approval 83687

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



Legend

- Water Right POD
- Water Right POU
- Township/Range
- Sections
- QQ

0 385 770 1,540 Feet



Date: 6/23/2020



State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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BRAD LITTLE
Governor

GARY SPACKMAN
Director

June 23, 2020

JEFFREY BUCKWALTER
3724 ANTELOPE RD
MOORE ID 83255

Re: Transfer No: 83687

Water Right No(s): 34-14355, 34-14357, 34-14359, 34-14361, 34-14363, 34-14365

Transfer Approval Notice

Dear Water Right Holder:

The Department of Water Resources has issued the enclosed approved Transfer of Water Right(s). Please be sure to thoroughly review the conditions of approval and remarks listed on the approval document.

The Transfer of Water Right(s) 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 by the Department unless the APPLICANT petitions for reconsideration or files an exception and/or brief within fourteen (14) days of the service date as described in the enclosed information sheet.

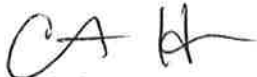
ANY PERSON aggrieved by any decision, determination, order or action of the Department and who has not previously been afforded an opportunity for a hearing on the matter may request a hearing pursuant to section 42-1701A(3), Idaho Code. A written petition contesting the action of the Department and requesting a hearing shall be filed within fifteen (15) days after receipt of the denial or conditional approval.

If the transfer approval includes a condition requiring measuring and recording devices, such devices shall comply with specifications established by the Department. Detailed specifications are available on the Department's home page on the Internet, or you can request a copy by contacting any office of the Department. Please be sure to thoroughly review the specifications to avoid unnecessary costs for reinstallation or modification due to non-conforming or improperly installed devices.

Please note that water right owners are required to report any change of water right 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. Contact any office of the Department or visit the Department's homepage on the Internet to obtain the proper forms and instructions.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (208) 525-7161.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'CA H', is written over the printed name.

Christina Henman
Administrative Assistant

Enclosure
CC

RONALD L SWAFFORD
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IDAHO FALLS, ID 83401

LUKE H. MARCHANT
KEVIN AND JULEE WING
PO BOX 50130
IDAHO FALLS, ID 83405

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.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on June 23, 2020 I mailed a true and correct copy, postage prepaid, of the foregoing PRELIMINARY ORDER (Approved Transfer) to the person(s) listed below:

Re: Transfer No.: 83687

Water Right No(s): 34-14355, 34-14357, 34-14359, 34-14361, 34-14363, 34-14365

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