Water Right License

Water Right No. 35-14467

Priority: May 05, 2016

Maximum Diversion Rate:

2.50 CFS

Maximum Diversion Volume: 500.8 AF

It is hereby certified that:

GOLD EMBLEM FARMS PO BOX 51780 IDAHO FALLS ID 83405

has complied with the terms and conditions of the permit, issued pursuant to Application for Permit dated May 05, 2016, and has submitted Proof of Beneficial Use on May 22, 2020. An examination confirms water is diverted from:

Source: GROUND WATER

Beneficial Use

Period of Use

Rate of Diversion

Annual Volume

IRRIGATION

04/01 to 10/31

2.50 CFS

500.8 AF

Location of Point(s) of Diversion

GROUND WATER NE¼ SW¼, Sec. 13, Twp 03N, Rge 34E, B.M.

BONNEVILLE 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	
03N	34E	13					30.8	32.3	31.5	30.4		- B	10						125.0
03N	34E	14	0.1			0.1	1		3,6		1201,00	-490	100						0.2

Total Acres: 125.2

Conditions of Approval

- 1. Use of water under this right will 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. 120.
- 2. A lockable device subject to the approval of the Department shall be maintained on the diverting works in a manner that will provide the watermaster suitable control of the diversion.
- 3. Prior to diversion and use of water under this right the right holder shall install and maintain an acceptable flow meter measuring device(s) at the authorized point(s) of diversion, in accordance with Department specifications.
- 4. Upon specific notification of the Department, the right holder shall install and maintain data loggers to record water usage information at the authorized point(s) of diversion in accordance with Department specifications.
- 5. This right when combined with all other rights shall provide no more than 0.02 cfs per acre nor more than 4.0 afa per acre at the field headgate for irrigation of the place of use.

Water Right License

Water Right No. 35-14467

6. To mitigate for the depletion of water resulting from the use of water under this right and to prevent injury to senior water right holders, the right holder shall cease diverting and using water as authorized by the following water rights for the purposes and amounts specified below. Moreover, the official record for the following water right will be changed to show that diversion and use of water is not authorized because the rights, or portion thereof, are being dedicated to mitigation by non-use. The mitigating right may also include a condition stating that the mitigation by non-use is for the benefit of this right.

	Use Changed to	Mitigation	Mitigation		
Right No.	Mitigation by Non-Use	Rate (cfs)	Volume (AF)		
35-13855	Industrial	0.70	506.8		

If the specified mitigation right, or portion thereof, is sold, transferred, leased, used on any place of use, or is not deliverable due to a shortage of water or a priority call, then the amount of water authorized for diversion under this right approval shall be reduced by the same proportion as the reduction to the mitigation rights.

7. In the event the right holder does not maintain the right to use water right 35-13855 for mitigation purposes, this right shall terminate and be of no further force or effect. The right holder shall not have the right to submit a substitute mitigation plan.

8. This right may be used to irrigate the place of use described herein and may not be amended through a transfer application to authorize irrigation of lands outside of the NW ¼, Section 13 and NE ¼, Section 14, T03N, R34E, B.M..

9. The authorized point of diversion for this right is an existing well which shall be the only location used to divert water under this right. This permit does not authorize the construction of any new well.

10. This right is for the use of trust water, and it is subject to review 5 years after its initial approval to re-evaluate the availability of trust water for the authorized use and to re-evaluate the public interest criteria for reallocating trust water.

11. This right shall remain subject to review by the director consistent with the terms and limits imposed upon trust water rights by the State and arising out of the Swan Falls Settlement. Further, this right is within a moratorium area requiring mitigation as provided below. Regulation of this right to satisfy the minimum flows of 3,900 cfs from April 1 through October 31 and 5,600 cfs from November 1 through March 31 measured at the Murphy gaging station shall not be required so long as mitigation is satisfied and reported to IDWR.

12. The diversion and use of water described in this right may be subject to additional conditions and limitations agreed to by the protestant and the right holder under a separate agreement to which the Department is not a party. Because the Department is not a party, the Department is not responsible for enforcement of any aspect of the agreement not specifically addressed in other conditions herein. Enforcement of those portions of the agreement not specifically addressed in other conditions shall be the responsibility of the protestant and the water right holder.

13. This right does not grant any right-of-way or easement across the land of another.

14. Noncompliance with any condition of this right, including the requirement for mitigation, is cause for the director to issue a notice of violation, cancel or revoke the right, or, if the right is included in a water district, request that the watermaster curtail diversion and use of water.

Water Right License

Water Right No. 35-14467

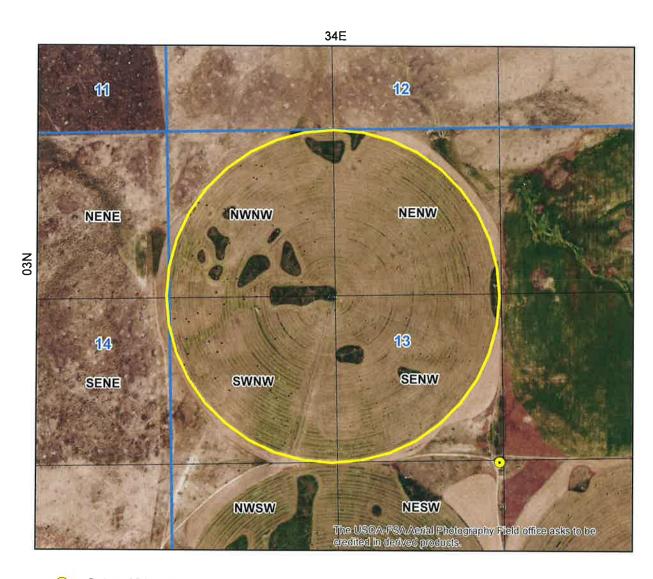
This license is issued pursuant to the provisions of Idaho Code § 42-219. The water right confirmed by this license is subject to all prior water rights and shall be used in accordance with Idaho law and applicable rules of the Department of Water Resources.

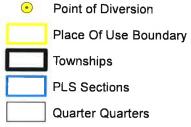
Signed this 16th day of June

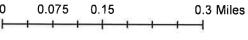
JAMES CEFALO

Eastern Regional Manager

Water Right License 35-14467











State of Idaho DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

Eastern Region • 900 N SKYLINE DR STE A • IDAHO FALLS, ID 83402-1718 Phone: (208)525-7161 • Fax: (208)525-7177 • Website: www.idwr.idaho.gov

Gary Spackman Director

June 16, 2020

GOLD EMBLEM FARMS PO BOX 51780 IDAHO FALLS ID 83405

RE: License No. 35-14467

Issuance of License

Dear Water Right Holder(s):

The Department of Water Resources ("Department") has issued the enclosed Water Right License confirming that a water right has been established in accordance with your permit. Please be sure to thoroughly review all the conditions of approval listed on your license. The conditions may include ongoing requirements, such as maintenance of a measuring device or implementation of mitigation, as well as information about how your water use may be administered, such as regulation by a watermaster in a water district.

The license is a PRELIMINARY ORDER issued by the Department 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.

Also, 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. Water right forms are available from any office of the Department or on the Department's website at idwr.idaho.gov

If you have any questions concerning the enclosed information, please contact me at (208) 497-3784.

Sincerely,

James Cefalo

Eastern Regional Manager

Enclosure(s)

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 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:</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.

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 16, 2020, I served a true and correct copy of Water Right License No. 35-14467 by U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, to the following:

GOLD EMBLEM FARMS PO BOX 51780 IDAHO FALLS ID 83405

ROBERT L HARRIS PO BOX 50130 IDAHO FALLS ID 83405-0130

> Christina Henman Administrative Asst. I