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JAN 2 2 2020 REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

DEPT OF WATER RESOURCE To provide additional time in which to submit proof of beneficial use for a water right permit

The Idaho Department of Water Resources will consider this form a request that the permit holder(s) be granted an additional period of time under the provisions of Section 42-204. Idaho Code, in which to complete development of a water right and file

Permit no. 43-13735	Date proof is due 2/	1/2020
Name(s) of permit holder(s) Raft River Ground	Water District	
Mailing address PO BOX 122		State ID Zip 83312
Telephone no	Email raftrivergwd@	hotmail.com
Describe what work has been completed toward the If no work has been completed, show "none".		
Carpenter site- settling pond and injection	well	
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The well previously used for injection colla	psed shortly after use bega	n and the delivery ditch has
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GARY SPACKMAN Director

April 22, 2020

RAFT RIVER GROUND WATER DISTRICT PO BOX 122 ALMO ID 83312-0122

#### REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME LETTER

RE: Permit No. 43-13731, 43-13732, 43-13733, 43-13734, 43-13735, 43-13736 & 43-13737

Dear Permit Holder(s):

Enclosed is a copy of the approved requests for extension of time submitted in connection with the above referenced permits which extends the proof due date to **February 01, 2025**.

The department granted this extension based on evidence of good cause. It is important that you work diligently toward the completion of the project during the development period allowed according to Section 42-204(6), Idaho Code.

The extension is a PRELIMINARY ORDER issued by the Department pursuant to Rule 730 of the Department's Rules of Procedure (IDAPA 37.01.01). It can and will become a final order without further action by the Department unless a party 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.

Please be advised that Section 42-248, Idaho Code, requires you or the owner of these water rights to maintain current ownership and address records on file with the department. Forms to file a change of ownership of a water right and/or a change in the address of the water right owner are available from any department office or at the department's website at <a href="https://www.idwr.idaho.gov">www.idwr.idaho.gov</a>.

If you have any questions concerning this permits, please contact the State Office of the Department located in Boise at (208) 287-4800.

Sincerely,

Technical Records Specialist

Enclosure(s)

c: WATER WELL CONSULTANTS OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL IDAHO WATER RESOURCE BOARD

#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on **April 22, 2020** I mailed a true and correct copy, postage prepaid, of the foregoing PRELIMINARY ORDERS (**PRELIMINARY ORDER APPROVING REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**) to the person(s) listed below:

RE: Preliminary Order in the Matter of Permits No. 43-13731, 43-13732, 43-13733, 43-13734, 43-13735, 43-13736 & 43-13737

RAFT RIVER GROUND WATER DISTRICT PO BOX 122 ALMO ID 83312-0122

WATER WELL CONSULTANTS ATTN: BRIAN HIGGS 355 W 500 S BURLEY ID 83318

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL 700 W JEFFERSON RM 210 PO BOX 83720 BOISE ID 83720-0010

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL 700 W STATE ST 2ND FLOOR PO BOX 83720 BOISE ID 83720-0010

// Jean Hersley//
Technical Records Specialist

## 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.