## State of Idaho Department of Water Resources

### **Permit to Appropriate Water**

No. 34-7511

Priority: June 12, 1989

Maximum Diversion Rate: 1.85 CFS
Maximum Diversion Volume: 323.0 AF

This is to certify that

JAMES A RINDFLEISCH 3258 N 3350 W MOORE ID 83255-8761

has applied for a permit to appropriate water from:

Source: GROUND WATER

and a permit is APPROVED for development of water as follows:

Beneficial Use

Period of Use Rate of Diversion

**Annual Volume** 

**IRRIGATION** 

04/01 to 10/31

1.85 CFS

323.0 AF

#### Location of Point(s) of Diversion

GROUND WATER NE1/4 NE1/4, Sec. 18, Twp 03N, Rge 27E, B.M. BUTTE 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	27E	18	12.3	36.0	12.0	32.1	8	F 4	F 8	10.1	8108		10	- 39					92.4

Total Acres: 92.4

### **Conditions of Approval**

- 1. Proof of application of water to beneficial use shall be submitted on or before April 01, 2025.
- 2. Subject to all prior water rights.
- 3. This right when combined with all other rights shall provide no more than 0.02 cfs per acre nor more than 3.5 afa per acre at the field headgate for irrigation of the place of use.
- 4. 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.
- 5. Prior to the diversion and use of water under this right, the right holder shall install and maintain an acceptable measuring device at the authorized point of diversion, in accordance with Department specifications. The right holder shall also maintain an acceptable measuring device at the site used for ground water recharge under water rights 34-13665, 34-14299, and 34-14301.
- 6. 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.
- 7. Project construction shall commence within one year from the date of permit issuance and shall proceed diligently to completion unless it can be shown to the satisfaction of the Director of the Department of Water Resources that delays were due to circumstances over which the permit holder had no control.

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- 8. 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 divert water for ground water recharge as authorized by water rights 34-13665, 34-14299, and 34-14301. See Transfer 83703. If the specified mitigation rights, or portion thereof, is sold, transferred, leased, 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.
- 9. Ground water shall not be diverted under water right 34-7511 until an equivalent amount of surface water has been diverted into the recharge site under water rights 34-13665, 34-14299, and 34-14301 in the same year. The volume of ground water that may be diverted for irrigation under water right 34-7511 in any irrigation season shall not exceed the volume of surface water diverted into the recharge site during the same year.
- 10. Prior to December 31 each year, the right holder shall file a report with the Department summarizing the total volume of water diverted for ground water recharge under water rights 34-13665, 34-14299 and 34-14301 in the same year and the total volume of water diverted for this right in the same year.
- 11. This right is for the use of trust water, and it is subject to review 20 years after its initial approval (date of permit 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.
- 12. Administration of this right to satisfy the minimum stream flow water rights in the Snake River at Murphy Gage shall not be required because use of water pursuant to this right is either non-consumptive or the right holder is required to provide ongoing mitigation to offset the depletion of water resulting from the use of this right.
- 13. Right holder shall comply with the drilling permit requirements of Section 42-235, Idaho Code and applicable Well Construction Rules of the Department.
- 14. This right does not grant any right-of-way or easement across the land of another.
- 15. Failure of the right holder to comply with any condition of approval is cause for the Director to void this permit.

This permit is issued pursuant to the provisions of Idaho Code § 42-204.

Signed this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_20.

JAMES CEFALO

Eastern Regional Manager



# State of Idaho DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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March 09, 2020

**Brad Little** 

Governor

JAMES A RINDFLEISCH 3258 N 3350 W MOORE ID 83255-8761

RE: Permit No. 34-7511

### **Permit Approval Notice**

#### Dear Permit Holder:

The Department of Water Resources ("Department") has issued the enclosed permit authorizing you to establish a new water right. Please be sure to thoroughly review all the conditions of approval listed on your permit. The conditions include requirements that you must accomplish, such as timely submittal of proof of beneficial use or installation of a measuring device, as well as information about how your water use may be administered, such as regulation by a watermaster in a water district. Failure to comply with the conditions of approval may result in your permit lapsing or being canceled.

The permit is a PRELIMINARY ORDER issued 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.

The final step in the water right process is issuance of a water right license. To receive a water right license, you must first commence the excavation or construction of your diverting works within one year of the date the permit was issued, and you must proceed diligently until the project is complete. In addition, you must divert and use water to the full extent intended and submit a *Statement of Completion for Submitting Proof of Beneficial Use* by the date shown in condition no. 1 of your permit. The Department will send you a *Proof Due Notice* approximately 60 days prior to the date listed in condition no. 1 of your permit.

You may also require approvals from other Department programs, such as Ground Water Protection, Safety of Dams, or Stream Channel Protection, to accomplish your proposed development. Please call or visit any Department office or see the Department's website at idwr.idaho.gov for more information about these programs.

Also, please note that permit holders are required to report any change of 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. Forms to assign ownership or update your address are available from any office of the Department or on the Department's website.

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 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 March 09, 2020, I served a true and correct copy of Permit to Appropriate Water No. 34-7511 by U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, to the following:

JAMES A RINDFLEISCH 3258 N 3350 W MOORE ID 83255-8761

WATER DISTRICT #34 LUCAS YOCKEY PO BOX 53 MACKAY ID 83251

> Christina Henman Administrative Asst. I