



**State of Idaho**  
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December 4, 2019

BIG SPRINGS CREEK RANCH LLC  
7 W MAIN ST STE 202  
BOZEMAN MT 59715

**RE: NOTIFICATION OF WATER SUPPLY BANK LEASE EXPIRATION FOR WATER RIGHTS: 73-101**

Dear Lessor:

Idaho Department of Water Resources (Department) records show that all or a portion of the above referenced water right(s) were leased to the Water Supply Bank (Bank) through December 31, 2018. **This letter is notice that the following right(s) will soon be released from the Bank:**

Lease Contract ID	Contracted Water Rights	Contract Start	Contract End
213	73-101	04/16/2015	12/31/2019

If you would like to renew the lease of these right(s) to the Bank, a new [Application to Sell or Lease a Water Right to the Water Supply Bank](#) form is required. If you have not already done so, you can download and complete a new lease application form by visiting the Department's website at [www.idwr.idaho.gov](http://www.idwr.idaho.gov).

A water right is not protected from forfeiture unless it is accepted into the Bank or unless an exception or defense to forfeiture applies as described under Idaho Code § 42-223. The five-year period of nonuse related to forfeiture of a water right shall begin to accrue upon release of the right from the bank or shall continue to accrue if a period of nonuse occurred prior to the lease date of the right to the Bank.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact our office at (208) 287-4800.

Sincerely,

Water Supply Bank

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