



Oct. 22, 2014 ①

To IDWA,

The historic Jenkins Creek Ranch (1881) owned by Double C + J Land Co. Inc (John + Christy Hoff) has been dried up because of ponds built on BLM, and Eckhout Family Trust land. Damage to us may go back years, but this being a dry year made it obvious that these ponds still have water as I flew over a week ago.

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Most the Tributaries to Jenkins
Creek are blocked with pond
dams causing damage to us.
Current damage:

- ① Loss of East Pasture, no stock
water,
- ② forced to move cows to canyon
pasture on public Road, sold
replacement heifers to cut risk
of loss,
- ③ Income from crops, as we
use all the water in Jenkins
Creek for irrigation.
- ④ Old growth trees tipping over
as creek completely dry.
- ⑤ Pumped water for Cows
- ⑥ Loss of customer base, sales
of Organic Alfalfa and Wheat

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Jenkins Creek Ranch;

500 acres Sprinkled with Wheel Lines

700 acres pasture

Two 300 acre ft reservoirs

One 50 acre ft pump pond

One Small pump pond

1881 water Claims for
Jenkins Creek + Tributaries

Certified Organic by State of Idaho

All irrigation water goes through
pumps.

Pump Station 11N05W071 Station 11N05W0202

2014	3,856 hrs	36,039 hrs
2013	5,406 hrs	70,254 hrs
2012	13,280 hrs	79,982 hrs
2011	20,137 hrs	98,936 hrs

Attachments

- Idaho Power Record show decline in water used
- Vernon Kelley letter demonstrates what ponds do to downstream users
- Gerald Myers Watermaster includes tributaries in judgment
- Water rights paper include Tributaries.

Conclusion,

I bought Jenkins Creek ranch understanding we had minimum water and use it all until it runs out, usually August. Up stream claims have damaged our ability to farm and ranch

John + Christy Hoff