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WATER RESOURCES  
WESTERN REGIONSTATE OF IDAHO  
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCESIdent. No. 65-23781

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WATER RESOURCES  
WESTERN REGION

## APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

To appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho

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1. Name of applicant(s) Kelly & Carrie Bench Phone 208-278-5572  
 Name connector (check one): ☐ and ☐ or ☐ and/or  
 Mailing address 3977 SW 2nd Ave City New Plymouth  
 State Idaho ZIP 83655 Email khenchegui@gmail.com
2. Name of representative, if any \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mailing address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_  
 State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_
- a. ☐ Send all correspondence for this application to the representative and not to the applicant OR  
☐ Send original correspondence to the applicant and copies to the representative.
- b. ☐ The representative may submit information for the applicant but is not authorized to sign for the applicant OR  
☐ The representative is authorized to sign for the applicant. Attach a Power of Attorney or other documentation.
3. Source of water supply drainage ditch which is a tributary of N/A
4. Location of point(s) of diversion:

| Twp        | Rge        | Sec      | Govt Lot | 1/4 | 1/4       | 1/4       | County         | Source | Local name or tag # |
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7. Proposed diverting works:
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Received by CJ Date 6/28/18 Time 12:30 Preliminary check by CP  
 Fee \$ 100.00 Receipted by CJ Receipt No. W046487 Date 6/28/18

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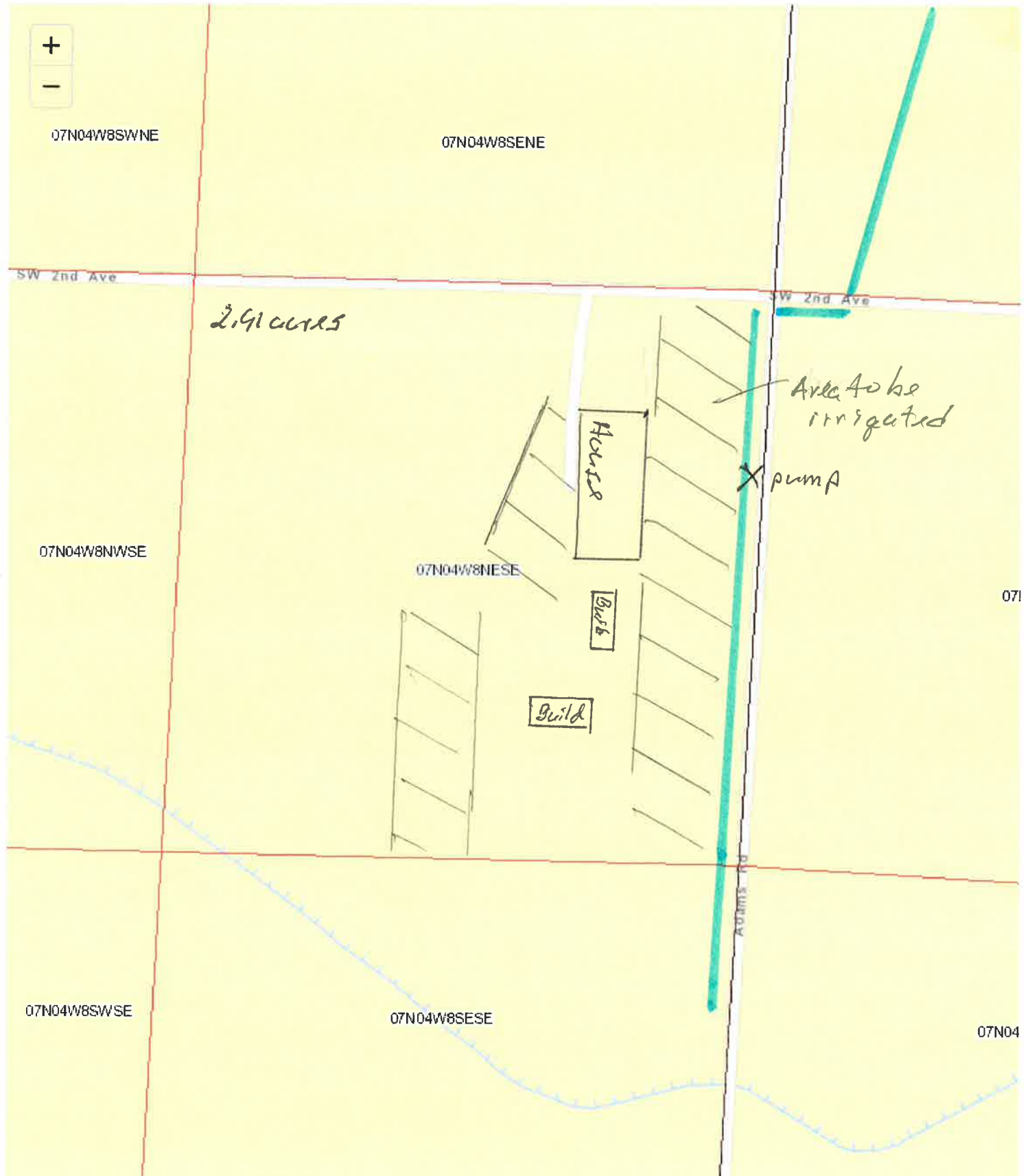
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Signature of Applicant  
Carrie L Bench  
Print Name (and title, if applicable)



## Kaiser, Anna

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**From:** Kaiser, Anna  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 13, 2019 2:00 PM  
**To:** 'Ron Shurtleff'  
**Subject:** Application for Permit 65-23781  
**Attachments:** Watermaster Recommendation Form.docx; 65-23781.pdf

March 13, 2019

RON SHURTLEFF  
WATER DISTRICT #65  
102 N MAIN  
PAYETTE, ID 83661

**RE: Application for Permit 65-23781**

Dear Watermaster:

The Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) is seeking written comment and/or recommendations from you regarding the above referenced water right applications. Copies of the applications are enclosed with this email for your reference. Please review the applications, complete a recommendation form, and submit your reply, if any, to this office by **April 8, 2019**.

IDWR will assume you do not object to these applications if a timely response is not received. Please contact me if you have any questions in this matter. Thank you for your help.

Sincerely,

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**Anna Kaiser** | Administrative Assistant I  
IDWR-Western Region  
2735 W Airport Way, Boise ID 83705  
(208).334.2190 | [anna.kaiser@idwr.idaho.gov](mailto:anna.kaiser@idwr.idaho.gov)



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BRAD LITTLE  
Governor

GARY SPACKMAN  
Director

March 13, 2019

LAKE RESERVOIR CO  
102 N MAIN ST  
PAYETTE ID 83661

**Re: Application for Permit No. 65-23781**

Dear Interested Party:

The above referenced application may be of interest to you. I would like to inform you that the application has been submitted to the *Independent Enterprise* for advertising. I have enclosed a copy of the application for your convenience. This information is also available on our website [www.idwr.idaho.gov](http://www.idwr.idaho.gov).

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If you have any questions regarding the application, please contact this office at 208-334-2190.

Sincerely,

Anna Kaiser  
Administrative Assistant  
Western Regional Office

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FARMERS COOPERATIVE IRRIGATION  
108 E IDAHO ST  
NEW PLYMOUTH ID 83655

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KELLY BENCH  
CARRIE BENCH  
3977 SW 2ND AVE  
NEW PLYMOUTH, ID 83655

### Application for Permit No. 65-23781

Dear Applicants:

The Department of Water Resources has received your water right application. Please refer to the number referenced above in all future correspondence regarding this application.

A legal notice of the application has been prepared and is scheduled for publication in the INDEPENDENT ENTERPRISE on 3/20/2019 and 3/27/2019. Protests to this application may be submitted for a period ending ten (10) days after the second publication.

If the application is protested, you will be sent a copy of each protest. All protests must be resolved before the application can be considered for approval. If the protest(s) cannot be resolved voluntarily, the Department will conduct a conference and/or hearing on the matter.

If the application is not protested, the Department will process your application and notify you of any action taken on the application. If your application is approved, the Department will send you a copy of the permit.

Please contact this office if you have any questions regarding the application.

Sincerely,

Anna Kaiser  
Administrative Assistant

## Kaiser, Anna

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**From:** Kaiser, Anna  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 13, 2019 11:09 AM  
**To:** 'Ind-Ent Legals'  
**Subject:** Payette Legal Ad  
**Attachments:** Cover Letter.docx; Legal Notice.docx

**Follow Up Flag:** Follow up  
**Flag Status:** Flagged

Good Morning Legal Clerk,

Please see the attached ad for publication on 3/20/2019 & 3/27/2019.

Please confirm these are okay to publish as shown.

Thank you,

**Anna Kaiser** | Administrative Assistant I  
IDWR-Western Region  
2735 W Airport Way, Boise ID 83705  
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LEGAL NOTICE DEPARTMENT  
INDEPENDENT ENTERPRISE  
124 S MAIN  
PAYETTE, ID 83661

**RE: Application For Permit No: 65-23781**

Dear Legal Notice Department:

Please publish the enclosed legal notice on the dates indicated (once a week for two consecutive weekly issues). If you cannot publish the notice on the proposed dates, please contact us immediately.

An affidavit of publication must be submitted to the Department along with the publication bill. Please send the affidavit and bill to this office before 4/8/2019. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Anna Kaiser  
Administrative Assistant

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The following application has been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho:

**65-23781**

KELLY BENCH

CARRIE BENCH

3977 SW 2ND AVE

NEW PLYMOUTH, ID 83655

Point of Diversion NESE S8 T07N R04W PAYETTE County Source WASTE WATER Tributary PAYETTE RIVER

Use: IRRIGATION 01/01 to 12/31 0.06 CFS

Total Diversion: 0.06 CFS

Date Filed: 6/28/2018

Place Of Use: IRRIGATION

T07N R04W S8 NESE

Total Acres: 2

Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. For additional information concerning the property location, contact Western Region office at (208) 334-2190; or for a full description of the right(s), please see [www.idwr.idaho.gov](http://www.idwr.idaho.gov). Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Idaho Code § 42-203A. Any protest against the approval of the application(s) must be filed with the Director, Dept. of Water Resources, Western Region, 2735 Airport Way, Boise ID 83705 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 4/8/2019. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

GARY SPACKMAN, Director

Published on 3/20/2019 and 3/27/2019

Farmers Co-operative Irrigation Co.  
102 N. Main  
Payette, ID 83661  
(208) 642-9424

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December 12, 2018

Cody Parker  
Water Resource Agent  
IDWR Western Region  
2735 Airport Way  
Boise, ID 83705-5082

RE: Kelly and Carrie Bench

Dear Mr. Parker,

Farmers Co-operative Irrigation Manager Norm Collinsworth inspected property located at 3977 SW 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave., New Plymouth, ID regarding the proposed waste water filing.

After much review, it was determined that approving this waste water filing would not create any ill effects to Farmers Co-op Irrigation water delivery.

Thank you for allowing our input on this matter.

Sincerely,



Peggy Murphy  
Sec./Trea.

## **Parker, Cody**

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**From:** Parker, Cody  
**Sent:** Monday, December 03, 2018 8:37 AM  
**To:** 'kbenchequip@gmail.com'  
**Subject:** Water Right Application No. 65-23781  
**Attachments:** Letter\_wastewater.docx

Dear Applicants,

The Idaho Dept. of Water Resources is waiting on information from you before we can advertise your application for a water right permit. On July 23, 2018 the Department sent a letter requesting information regarding the status of the waste water you have applied to use. That letter had a 60-day deadline which, if not met, would result in the application becoming void. The deadline has passed and we have not received the requested information. Please review the attached letter. Let me know of any progress being made towards collecting the requested information. If I do not hear from you within fourteen (14) days I will assume that you have no further interest in pursuing a water right permit. The application will be voided without a timely reply. Thank you for your help.

Best,

Cody Parker  
Water Resource Agent  
IDWR Western Region



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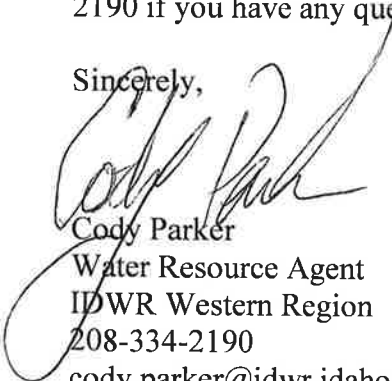
Dear Applicants:

I am writing you today in regard to the application referenced above. The Department received your amended application on July 19, 2018. After review of your proposal it appears that the water you propose to divert is waste water which may be under the control of an irrigation delivery organization to satisfy downstream users. To confirm that the water proposed for use is available for appropriation, you must provide written consent from the correct irrigation delivery organization showing that the water does not remain under its control for other users. Also, please provide written confirmation of a right-of-way to use the waste ditch or waste drain if that conveyance is owned by the organization. The irrigation organizations in your area appear to be Farmers Cooperative Irrigation Co. Ltd. and the Lake Reservoir Co.

Please provide the requested information within sixty (60) days. You may request up to six months additional time if necessary. The application will be voided without a timely written response. Refunds are not issued for voided applications.

IDWR forms and other information are available at [www.idwr.idaho.gov](http://www.idwr.idaho.gov). Please contact me at 208-334-2190 if you have any questions. Thank you for your attention to these matters.

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## MEMORANDUM

**Date:** July 23, 2018  
**To:** Water Right File 65-23781  
**From:** cparker  
**Re:** Source of water

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The application proposes to divert water from a drainage ditch to irrigate 2 acres of land. The ditch is shown on the DRG layer without a name. It appears to cross several irrigated fields on the way from its head to the Payette River. I believe that the ditch conveys waste water from the surrounding irrigation projects. The source and tributary information have been clarified on the application without an amendment. The change is not a physical change to the proposed system but rather a clarification/explanation of the originally-intended source.



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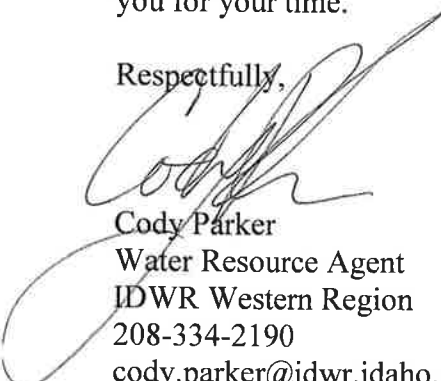
Dear applicants,

I am writing you today in regard to the application referenced above which proposes to divert 0.03 cfs from a drainage ditch for irrigation of up to 2 acres. The Idaho Department of Water Resources received your application in its completed form on June 28, 2018. The next step in the water appropriation process is to advertise your application in the local newspaper to give the public the opportunity to protest your project.

Prior to advertising, I must ensure that your application accurately describes your proposed project. You have applied to divert 0.03 cfs (roughly 13 gpm) to irrigate up to 2 acres of land. Department standards for irrigation projects less than 5 acres allow us to approve a diversion rate of up to 0.03 cfs/acre. If you wish, you may apply for up to 0.06 cfs to irrigate the 2 acres you show on your application. To apply for more water, please amend the enclosed copy of your application and return to me. If you do not need more water please let me know and I will forward your application to advertising.

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding the content of this letter. I look forward to your reply within thirty (30) days of the date of this letter. If I do not hear from you before that time, I will assume that you wish to proceed with your application as it is and I will forward it to advertising. Thank you for your time.

Respectfully,



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**Re: Water Right Application Incomplete - Returned**

Dear Applicant:

This office received your application on June 18, 2018. The application cannot be accepted into the records of the Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) until the following items are complete:

- Diversion quantity  
*Please complete item 6 of the application by writing in the 0.03 cfs diversion rate you propose above in item 5.*
- Place of Use or acres irrigated was not provided correctly.  
*Amend item 9 of the application to show where the acres to be irrigated are located. Also, if you plan to irrigate between 1 and 2 acres you should put 2 acres of total irrigation in the line below the table.*
- Period of Time to complete the project works and application of water to the proposed use was not provided correctly.  
*Complete item 13 of the application. You have between 1 and 5 years to complete the development of your project.*
- The Fee was not provided correctly.  
*The fee to submit this application is \$100 (see the enclosed fee schedule.)*

The original incomplete application is enclosed. Please make the necessary amendments to the original form and re-submit together with payment of the fee within the next thirty (30) days. IDWR forms and other information are available on the Internet at [www.idwr.idaho.gov](http://www.idwr.idaho.gov). Please consult the IDWR website or contact this office at 208-334-2190 and ask for the "office day person" if you have any questions about the necessary information or fee.

Sincerely,

Western Region Water Rights Staff

Enclosure: Original Application  
Fee Schedule