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STATE OF IDAHO

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

Ident. No. 95-17573

IDWR / NORTH

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

To appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho

1. Name of applicant(s) Snowy Fir Water Association Inc Phone 208-755-0405
 Name connector (check one): ☐ and ☐ or ☐ and/or
 Mailing address PO Box 162 City Athol
 State ID ZIP 83801 Email _____
2. Name of representative, if any Ben Dean or Sheri Dean Phone 208-755-0405
 Mailing address PO Box 162 City Athol
 State ID ZIP 83801 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 Ground Water which is a tributary of _____
4. Location of point(s) of diversion:

Twp	Rge	Sec	Govt Lot	1/4	1/4	1/4	County	Source	Local name or tag #
53N	03W	14			NW	SE	Kootenai	Ground Water	D 0017830

5. Water will be used for the following purposes:
 Amount 0.08 for Domestic purposes from 1-1 to 12-31 (both dates inclusive)
(cfs or acre-feet per year)
 Amount 0.0612 for Irrigation purposes from 4-1 to 10-31 (both dates inclusive)
(cfs or acre-feet per year)
 Amount _____ for _____ purposes from _____ to _____ (both dates inclusive)
(cfs or acre-feet per year)
 Amount _____ for _____ purposes from _____ to _____ (both dates inclusive)
(cfs or acre-feet per year)
6. Total quantity to be appropriated is (a) 0.12 cubic feet per second (cfs) and/or (b) _____ acre-feet per year (af).
7. Proposed diverting works:
- a. Describe type and size of devices used to divert water from the source. water lines from drilled well D0017830
Serving four homes extended to three additional homes. Pump HP 7
- b. Height of storage dam _____ feet; active reservoir capacity _____ acre-feet; total reservoir capacity _____ acre-feet. If the reservoir will be filled more than once each year, describe the refill plan in item 12. For dams 10 feet or more in height AND having a storage capacity of 50 acre-feet or more, submit a separate Application for Construction or Enlargement of a New or Existing Dam. Application required? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- c. Proposed well diameter is 8 inches; proposed depth of well is 442 feet.
- d. Is ground water with a temperature of greater than 85°F being sought? ☐ Yes ☒ No
- e. If well is already drilled, when? 10-4-2001; drilling firm H2O Well Service
 well was drilled for (well owner) Spencer, Larry; Drilling Permit No. 771294

For Department Use

Received by Ja Date 5-31-18 Time _____ Preliminary check by _____
 Fee \$ 1000 Receipted by Ja Receipt No. N033451 Date 5-31-18

12500 Well Upgrade Fee

8. Description of proposed uses (if irrigation only, go to item 9):
- Hydropower; show total feet of head and proposed capacity in kW. _____
 - Stockwatering; list number and kind of livestock. _____
 - Municipal; must complete and attach the Municipal Water Right Application Checklist.
 - Domestic; show number of households 3 (existing)
 - Other; describe fully. _____
9. Description of place of use:
- If water is for irrigation, indicate acreage in each subdivision in the tabulation below.
 - If water is used for other purposes, place a symbol of the use (example: D for Domestic) in the corresponding place of use below. See instructions for standard symbols.

TWP	RGE	SEC	NE				NW				SW				SE				TOTALS
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
53N	03W	14	<u>B</u>												<u>B</u>	<u>5-31-18</u>			
53N	03W	14	<u>B</u>	<u>31-18</u>											<u>6</u>				<u>6</u>

Total number of acres to be irrigated: 6

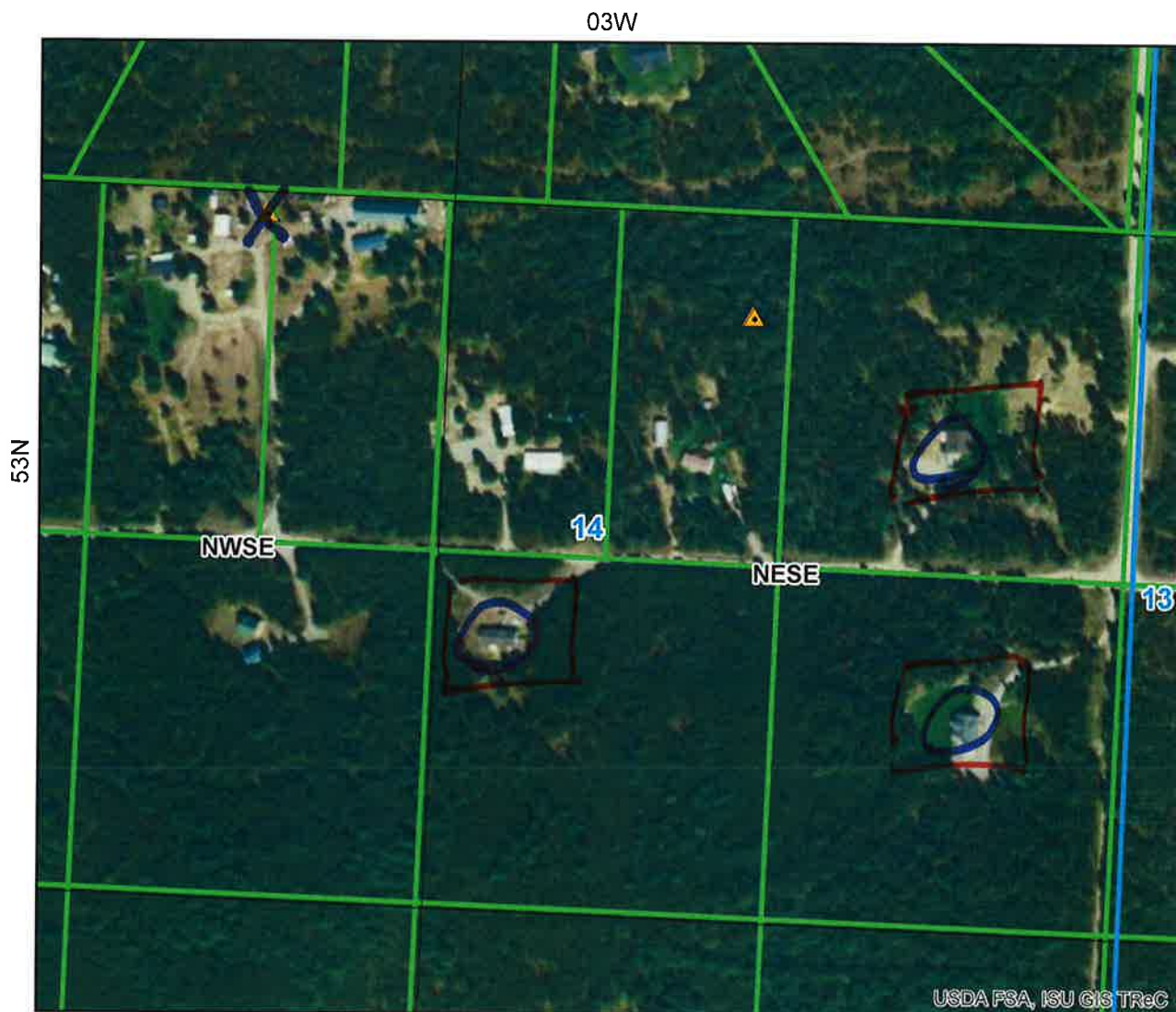
10. Describe any other water rights used for the same purposes as described above. Include water delivered by a municipality, canal company, or irrigation district. If this application is for domestic purposes, do you intend to use this water, water from another source, or both, to irrigate your lawn, garden, and/or landscaping? 95-9481
11. a. Who owns the property at the point of diversion? Snowy Fir Water Association Inc
b. Who owns the land to be irrigated or place of use? members of Applicant Association
c. If the property is owned by a person other than the applicant, describe the arrangement enabling the applicant to make this filing: _____
12. Describe your proposal in narrative form, and provide additional explanation for any of the items above. Attach additional pages if necessary. Kootenai County parcels # 53N03W147300, # 53N03W147500 and # 53N03W147600 And four existing homes served under Water Right License 95-09481 parcels # 53N03W147900, # 53N03W147850, # 53N03W147450 and # 53N03W147400
13. Time required for completion of works and application of water to proposed beneficial use is 1 years (minimum 1 year).
14. **MAP OF PROPOSED PROJECT REQUIRED** - Attach an 8½" x 11" map or maps clearly identifying the proposed point of diversion, place of use, section #, township & range. The map scale shall not be less than two (2) inches equal to one (1) mile.

The information contained in this application is true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any willful misrepresentations made in this application may result in rejection of the application or cancellation of an approval.

Ben Deon 5/31/18
Signature of Applicant
Ben Deon President
Print Name (and title, if applicable)

Sheri Deon 5-31-18
Signature of Applicant
Sheri Deon Secretary
Print Name (and title, if applicable)

State of Idaho
Department of Water Resources
Application For Permit
95-XXXXXX



0 0.04 0.08 0.16 Miles

 PLS Sections
 Taxlots

 = Irrigation Place of use
 = Domestic Place of use
 = Well-point of Diversion



Tax parcel information provided by Kootenai County.

Snowy Fir Water User Association

03/22/03

The first meeting of the Snowy Fir Water User Association was brought to order at 2:00 pm by John Thaxter, Pres.

The meeting was attended by John & Cathy Thaxter, and Jason & Annaka Smith & children.

Matters discussed were the potential amount of the power bill for the well. It was estimated, from a discussion that John Thaxter had with Kootenai Electric, that each household would probably have to pay \$15.00 per month. There are 4 households on the water system at this time. Until the first power bill is received the actual cost will not be known.

It was also discussed that in order for the association to defray any repair or upgrade costs to the water system that a fee of \$100.00 per year, per household, would be assessed. Said year would run from March 1st through Feb 28. The manner in which this is paid is at the discretion of each household.

The need to put a fence around the property where the well is was discussed and materials for this will either be donated or purchased as funds allow.

Putting in a 3500 gal cistern was discussed and may be done as funds allow.

Water meters eventually will be put in as funds allow. At that time, charges for water useage will be reevaluated.

The meeting was called to a close at 3:00 pm.

Cathy Thaxter/Secy

SNOWY FIR WATER USERS ASSOCIATION

DATE: APRIL 8, 2012

TO: MEMBERS

FROM: JOHN & CATHY THAXTER

RE: RESIGNATION

Due to circumstances beyond our control, we will be resigning as corporate officers of Snowy Fir Water Users Association.

Snowy Fir Water Association is a Non-Profit corporation. All members have equal votes in the Corporation. As such, a meeting will need to be held to elect new corporate officers.

Duties of the officers include but are not limited to, distributing monthly bills, maintaining water system, taking payments, paying monthly water bill to Kootenai Electric, maintaining checking account and providing an accounting of water association funds to all members.

If you have any questions, please contact John Thaxter @ 683-2205.

When new officers have been elected, we will turn over all paperwork concerning the association.

Thank you,

John & Cathy Thaxter

9-16-13

File Number: C 147453

To whom it may concern,

My name is Charles Myers and I am the Vice President/ Secretary/ and Officer of the Snowy Fir Water Association. Our acting President, Darwin Hall, has resigned his position due to traveling issues. On 8-4-13 a meeting was held to elect a new President for our Water Association. A vote was taken and the new President for the Snowy Fir Water Association is Adam Mott. Please make any changes needed as applicable. For any questions or concerns, please contact Charles Myers at (208)627-8072. Thank you for your time.

Charles Myers

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Charles A. Myers". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "C" and "M".

Vice President/ Secretary/ Officer

3-12-17

Notes for Snowy Fir Water Association

- Check for possible insurance for well
- Possible generator next year
- Ben & Sheri Deon are now collecting the water payments
- All paper work has been handed over to Sheri.
- Ben is President
- Sheri is Secretary
- Nick is Vice President

Ben Deon 3/12/17

~~BD~~

Maxey, Shaun

From: Sheri D <sheri_0925@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, December 21, 2018 12:44 PM
To: Maxey, Shaun
Subject: Well Upgrade Fee Refund- Disregard

Please disregard the previous email regarding the refund of the upgrade fee.

I have received the refund check in the mail today after submitting the email to you this morning. Again sorry for the delay in communication on this issue.

Thank you
Sheri Deon
Snowy Fir Water Association

Sent from my iPad

Maxey, Shaun

From: Sheri D <sherj_0925@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, December 21, 2018 9:35 AM
To: Maxey, Shaun
Subject: Well Upgrade Fee Refund

This is the written request for the well upgrade fee refund, that was overpaid for the application 95-17573 for Snowy Fir Water Association.

Amount to be refunded: \$125.00

Receipt Number: N033451

Name and complete mailing address:
Snowy Fir Water Association
PO Box 162
Athol, ID 83801

Contact Phone Number:
208-661-8223

Thank you for the attention in this matter.

Sheri Deon
Sent from my iPad

Alleman, Tammy

From: Alleman, Tammy
Sent: Monday, June 18, 2018 10:58 AM
To: June.Bergquist@deq.idaho.gov
Cc: 'Anna.Moody@deq.idaho.gov'
Subject: Application for Permit 95-17573
Attachments: 95-17573 Application for Permit.pdf

Dear Department of Environmental Quality:

The Department of Water Resources is seeking written comment and/or recommendations from your agency regarding the above referenced water right application. You can find a copy of the application attached to the email and also at: <http://www.idwr.idaho.gov/apps/ExtSearch/WRAJSearch/WRADJSearch.aspx>.

This office can publish notice of the application as soon as the initial review is completed; therefore, your prompt response to this request is appreciated. If your agency desires to formally protest the approval of the application, you may do so after the notice is published by filing a written protest along with a \$25.00 filing fee within 10 days after final publication. **The deadline for comments on the application is July 9, 2018.**

Please contact the Northern Region Office at (208) 772-2800 if you have any questions regarding the application.

Thank you,

Tammy

*Tammy Alleman
Administrative Assistant
Idaho Department of Water Resources
7600 North Mineral Drive, Suite 100
Coeur d'Alene, ID 83815
Tammy.Alleman@idwr.idaho.gov
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C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER
Governor

GARY SPACKMAN
Director

June 14, 2018

SNOWY FIR WATER ASSN INC
PO BOX 162
ATHOL, ID 83801-0162

Application For Permit No. 95-17573

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 COEUR D ALENE PRESS on 6/21/2018 and 6/28/2018. 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,

Tammy Alleman
Administrative Assistant

CC:

BEN DEON
SHERI DEON
PO BOX 162
ATHOL, ID 83801

Alleman, Tammy

From: Alleman, Tammy
Sent: Thursday, June 14, 2018 2:31 PM
To: 'LEGALS@CDAPRESS.COM'
Subject: Legal Notice for CdA Press
Attachments: 95-17573 & 95-17575-95-17578 Legal Notice.doc

Please publish the enclosed legal notice in the **Coeur d'Alene Press** on the dates indicated June 21st & June 28th (once a week for two consecutive weekly issues). If you cannot publish the notice on the proposed dates, please contact us immediately. Please send a proof once you have the article ready for print for our review.

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 7/9/2018. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Thank you,

Tammy

*Tammy Alleman
Administrative Assistant
Idaho Department of Water Resources
7600 North Mineral Drive, Suite 100
Coeur d'Alene, ID 83815
Tammy.Alleman@idwr.idaho.gov
208-762-2800 Phone
208-762-2819 Fax*

The following application(s) have been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho:

95-17573

SNOWY FIR WATER ASSN INC
PO BOX 162
ATHOL, ID 83801-0162
Point of Diversion NWSE
S14 T53N R03W
KOOTENAI County
Source GROUND WATER
Use: DOMESTIC
01/01 to 12/31 0.08 CFS
Use: IRRIGATION
04/01 to 10/31 0.12 CFS
Total Diversion: 0.12 CFS
Date Filed: 5/31/2018
Place Of Use: DOMESTIC
T53N R03W S14 NESE
Place Of Use: IRRIGATION
T53N R03W S14 NESE
Total Acres: 6

95-17575

BIG SKY CAPITAL INC
10063 N NAVION DR
HAYDEN, ID 83835-5040
Point of Diversion NENE
S24 T53N R03W
KOOTENAI County
Source GROUND WATER
Use: DOMESTIC
01/01 to 12/31 0.1 CFS
Total Diversion: 0.1 CFS
Date Filed: 5/30/2018
Place Of Use: DOMESTIC
T53N R03W S24 NENE

95-17576

BERNE M INDAHL
4203 E 17TH AVE
SPOKANE, WA 99223
Point of Diversion L4(SWSW)
S31 T53N R04W
KOOTENAI County
Source TWIN LAKES
Tributary RATHDRUM CREEK
Use: IRRIGATION
03/15 to 11/15 0.03 CFS
Total Diversion: 0.03 CFS
Date Filed: 6/1/2018
Place Of Use: IRRIGATION
T52N R04W S6 L3(NWNW)
T53N R04W S31 L4(SWSW)
Total Acres: 1

95-17577

ELAINE CAIRNS LIVING TRUST
2975 W CRESCENT BAY RD
COEUR D ALENE, ID 83814
Point of Diversion NWSW
S35 T49N R04W
KOOTENAI County
Source COEUR D ALENE LAKE
Tributary SPOKANE RIVER
Use: DOMESTIC
01/01 to 12/31 0.04 CFS
Total Diversion: 0.04 CFS
Date Filed: 5/31/2018
Place Of Use: DOMESTIC
T49N R04W S35 NWSW

95-17578

LAWRENCE DUARTE

CHRISTINE DUARTE

PO BOX 403

RATHDRUM, ID 83858

Point of Diversion L4(SWNNW)

S1 T52N R05W

KOOTENAI County

Source TWIN LAKES

Tributary RATHDRUM CREEK

Use: DOMESTIC

01/01 to 12/31 0.04 CFS

Total Diversion: 0.04 CFS

Date Filed: 6/8/2018

Place Of Use: DOMESTIC

T52N R05W S1 L4(SWNNW)

Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. For additional information concerning the property location, contact Northern Region office at (208) 762-2800. Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Idaho Code § 42-203A. Any protest against the approval of this application must be filed with the Director, Dept. of Water Resources, Northern Region, 7600 N MINERAL DR STE 100, COEUR D ALENE ID 83815-7763 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 7/9/2018. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

GARY SPACKMAN, Director

Published on 6/21/2018 and 6/28/2018

CONVERSATION MEMO

OV- Office Visit T-Telephone M-Meeting O- Other

TO Right No. 95-17573

FROM Shaun MAXEY

☐ OV ☒ T ☐ M ☐ Other _____ DATE 6/1/18 WITH Ben DEON / Sheri DEON
Left voicemail message requesting Mr. or Mrs. Deon send
in letter, or drop by office, to request refund of well
upgrade fee (\$125) and check box on Application to
indicate where correspondence should be sent.

☐ OV ☐ T ☐ M ☐ Other _____ DATE _____ WITH _____

☐ OV ☐ T ☐ M ☐ Other _____ DATE _____ WITH _____

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