

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
BENEFICIAL USE FIELD REPORT

A. GENERAL INFORMATION

Permit No: 65-13955
Exam Date: 7/18/2017

1. Current Owner:
COUNTY OF PAYETTE
COUNTY CLERK
1130 3RD AVE N RM 104
PAYETTE, ID 83661
(208) 642-6000
2. Accompanied by: Allen Scarborough
Phone No: 208-642-6036
Address: 2560 Highway 52, Payette, ID 83661
Relationship to Permit Holder: Clay Peak (County of Payette) Landfill Supervisor

3. **SOURCE:**
PAYETTE RIVER

TRIBUTARY:
SNAKE RIVER

B. OVERLAP REVIEW

1. Other water rights with the same place of use: None
2. Other water rights with the same point-of-diversion: Lower-Payette Ditch Co. WR's, 65-2376, 65-4982, 65-11212, & 65-23147

C. DIVERSION AND DELIVERY SYSTEM**1. LOCATION OF POINT(S) OF DIVERSION:**

PAYETTE RIVER L3 (SE¼NW¼) Sec. 7, Twp 07N, Rge 03W, B.M. PAYETTE County
Method of Determination: Handheld GPS

2. PLACE OF USE: INDUSTRIAL

Twp	Rge	Sec	NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
08N	04W	5					X L 3	X L 4	X	X									
08N	04W	6	X L 1	X L 2	X	X	X L 3	X L 4	X L 5	X	X					X			
09N	04W	31									X		X L 4	X	X	X	X	X	
09N	04W	32									X	X	X	X					

Method of Determination: Handheld GPS, ArcMAP, and Aerial Imagery.

3.

Delivery System Diagram Attached (required). Indicate all major components and distances between components.

x Indicate weir size/pipe as applicable.

Map Attached Showing Location(s) of point(s) of diversion and place(s) of use (required). Scale must be 1:24,000 or greater.

x

NA Aerial Photo Attached (required for irrigation of 10+ acres).

X Photo of Diversion and System Attached

4.

Well or Diversion ID No.*	Motor Make	Hp	Motor Serial No.	Pump Make	Pump Serial No. or Discharge Size
NA	GE	25	23075612	NA	10"

*Code to correspond with No. on map and aerial photo

D. FLOW MEASUREMENTS

1.

Measurement Equipment	Type	Make	Model No.	Serial No.	Size	Calib. Date
NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

2. Measurements: The applicant had a Seametrics Flow Meter installed at the pumping point that measured instantaneous flow so no additional flow measurement was taken.

E. FLOW CALCULATIONS

Measured Method: Seametrics Flow Meter reading

Instantaneous flow reading of 245.4 gpm

245.4 gpm/448.83 gpm/1 cfs = 0.546 cfs→**0.55 cfs**

Conveyance Losses: 18.8%

0.20cfs x (0.188) = 0.0376→**0.04cfs**

0.04cfs lost through conveyance

F. VOLUME CALCULATIONS

1. Volume Calculations for Irrigation: NA

2. Volume Calculations for Other Uses: INDUSTRIAL

Volume was calculated based on estimates of usage provided by applicant. The water trucks filled used for dust suppression have 4,000 gallon tanks and are filled at most 7 times a day. Normal operations are 6 days a week and un-operational for the standard 10 government holidays. Using this information:

4,000 gal x 7 truckloads/day = 28,000 gal/day

28,000 gal/day x 302 operating days/year (6 days/week – 10 standard government holidays) = 8,456,000 gal/yr

8,456,000 gal / 325,850 gal/acre-foot = 25.95 af→**26.0 AF**

G. NARRATIVE/REMARKS/COMMENTS

Field exam was completed by Water Resource Agent Justin Shearer on July 18, 2017 and was accompanied by Clay Peak Landfill Supervisor Allen Scarborough; Clay Peak Landfill and Clay Peak Recreation Area are operated by Payette County. County of Payette manages both the Clay Peak Landfill and the Clay Peak Recreation Area. WR 65-23147 covers use for the motorsports park and WR 65-13955 covers use for the landfill. The County of Payette is the original permit holder. The point of diversion (POD) is located approximately 7 miles SE of the place of use (POU) on the Payette River. More specifically the water is diverted from the Payette River at the canal head-gate for Lower-Payette Ditch Co. From the POD, the water travels NW within the Lower-Payette Ditch Co.'s gravity canal to the pumping point whereupon the water is delivered uphill approximately ¾ mile through 10" steel pipe to three 20,000 gallon storage tanks at the Clay Peak Recreation Area for Industrial purposes. From the storage tanks the water is delivered approximately a ¼ mile SE downhill to a standpipe where it is made available for water trucks to fill up for dust abatement, and fire control purposes at the composting facility and landfill. Motor make, serial number, and HP information were obtained, however information regarding the type or serial information of the pump could not be obtained during the exam. There is POD overlap with Lower-Payette Ditch Co. WR's, as well as WR's 65-2376, 65-4982, 65-11212, & 65-23147. There is no pertinent POU overlap associated with this water right.

Aerial imagery and the on-site field exam were used to determine the POU. ArcMap tools were used to examine the extent of the landfill area and POU. Aerial imagery on ArcMap revealed that the legal extent of the landfill was greater than the described POU that was permitted. Consequently I am recommending to add the additional extent of POU. During the field examination Mr. Scarborough provided information regarding the amount of water used on an average basis to fill up the watering trucks for both the motorsports park and the landfill. This information was used to perform volume calculations and

the concluded volume recommendation of 26.0 af (see section F). Flow measurements were taken from the Seametrics Flow Meter installed at the pumping point which provided instantaneous flow rates so no additional measurement was taken. There was a totalizer on the flow meter, however Mr. Scarborough was not certain of when it was reset. Thus, the volume was estimated based on Standard Operating Procedure figures provided during field exam. The measured flow at the time of exam was 245.3 gpm or 0.55 cfs (see section E). The recommended rate on the license will remain 0.20 cfs as it is less than the measured 0.55 cfs measured at the time of exam.

In an effort to take into account any conveyance losses incurred while the water traveled from the POD to the pumping point, Ron Shurtleff, Watermaster of Water District No. 65, was contacted for information in regards to this matter. In response he provided an equitable conveyance loss rate based upon documents from the Lower Payette Ditch Company's back file regarding transmission loss calculations for the canal system (see letter from Ron Shurtleff dated 11/21/17). A 1978 study documented the percentage of loss over a 20.4 mile study length to be 28.6% over that distance. The measured distance from the POD to the pumping point is 13.42 miles. The distance is 65.8% of the study length of 20.4 miles. Thus, we concluded that an equitable loss rate to apply to the Water Rights 65-13955 and 65-23147 would be 18.8%, which is 65.8% of the loss incurred over a 20.4 mile distance. Using this rate of loss estimation, and knowing the limit of the permit, we should assume that 0.20 cfs is what is being diverted at the POD and that a portion of that amount is lost during conveyance in the canal. Therefore, while taking into account an estimated 18.8% conveyance loss, a rate of 0.04 cfs is lost in conveyance from the POD to the pumping point and the actual rate pumped from the ditch is 0.16 cfs. The recommended rate on the license will remain **0.20 cfs** to reflect the extent that the applicant's system has been developed to produce at the time of exam, and the conveyance losses associated with transporting the water in the Lower Payette Ditch Company's canal.

Because the storage system does not exceed the 24-hour refill rule, there is no need to add storage components to the beneficial uses described by the license. Additionally, because the applicant uses the same system for WR 65-23147 I am recommending a combined use limit for the WR's 65-23147 & 65-13955 where the two rights when combined, shall not exceed 0.68 cfs, and the volume of 26.0 AF. Additional POU for INDUSTRIAL uses being recommended as part of the amendment include:

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09N	04W	31									X		X L 4	X	X	X	X		
09N	04W	32									X	X		X					

The system does have the capabilities to be lockable that would provide the watermaster suitable control of the diversion. And although not required as condition of the permit for 65-13955, a measuring device acceptable to the Department has been installed and maintained at the pumping point. Condition X35 was added to create a combined use limit for WR's 65-13955 & 65-23147. Condition 106 pertaining to requirements administered by the Department of Environmental Quality or the Department of Agriculture was removed because there is no special circumstance in this particular case requiring it to remain on at licensing. Condition 185 was added as per requirements for WD 65 surface water permits and licenses, as well as to have consistency with 65-23147 since they share the same system. Condition X56 was added to identify how much of the right is considered to be conveyance loss.

Have conditions of permit approval been met? x Yes No

H. RECOMMENDATIONS

1. Recommended Amounts

<u>BENEFICIAL USE</u>	<u>PERIOD OF USE</u>	<u>DIVERSION RATE</u>	<u>ANNUAL VOLUME</u>
INDUSTRIAL	01/01 to 12/31	0.20 CFS	26.0 AF
<u>Totals:</u>		0.200 CFS	26.00 AF

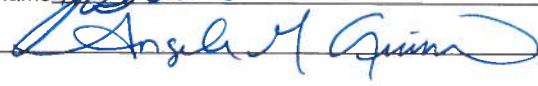
2. Recommended Amendments

☐ Change P.D. as reflected above ☐ Add P.D. as reflected above ☐ Other-NOU

☐ Change P.U. as reflected above ☒ Add P.U. as reflected above ☐ None

I. AUTHENTICATION

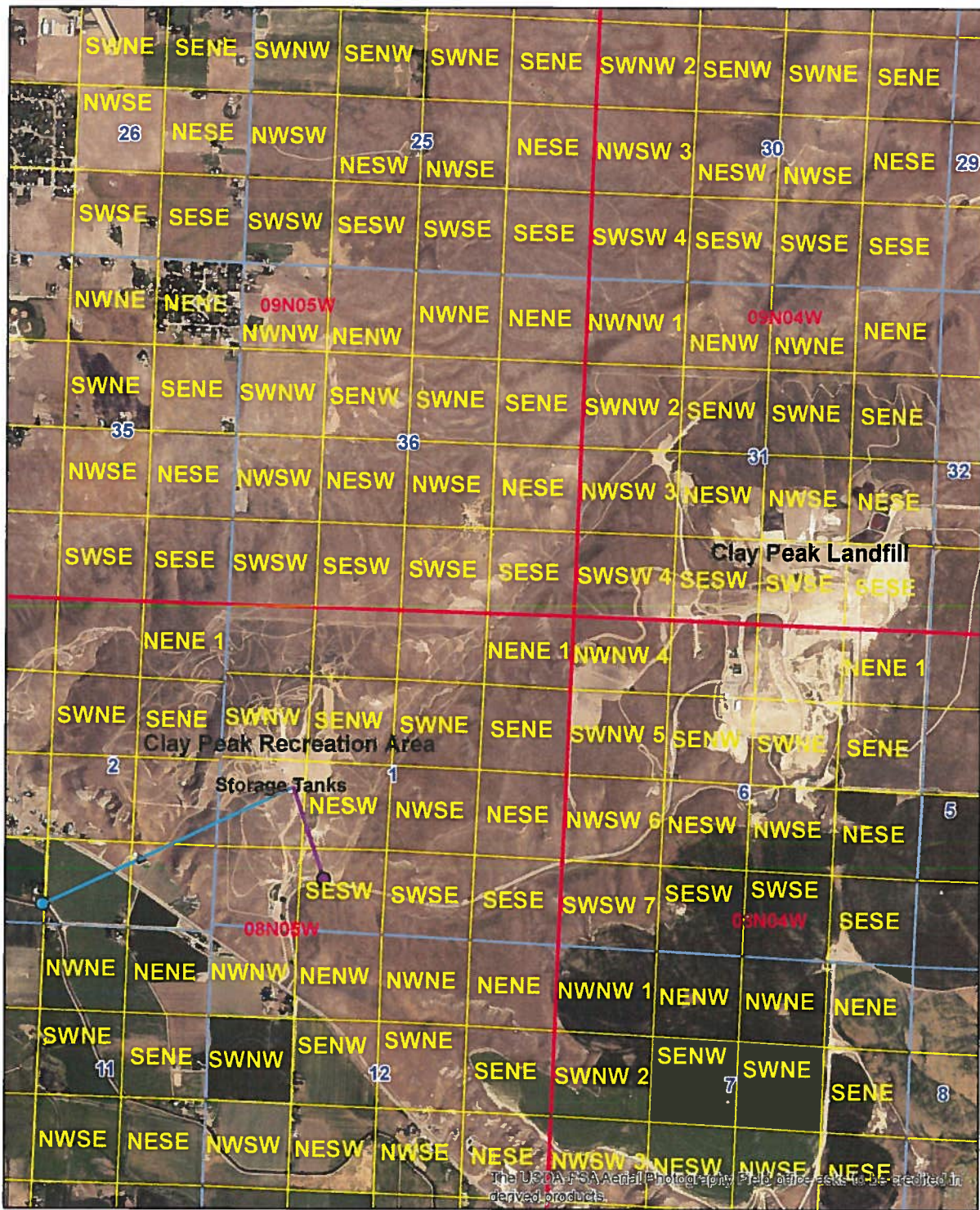
Field Examiner's Name  Date 12/28/2017

Reviewer  Date 12/29/17

This map depicts the INDUSTRIAL place of use boundary for this water right at the time of this approval and is attached to the approval document solely for illustrative purposes.



Delivery System Diagram



The USGS Aerial Photography Field Office is to be credited in derived products.

Legend

- Pump Diversion from Canal
- Water Line from Canal to Storage Tanks
- Storage Tanks
- Water Line from Storage Tanks
- Standpipe
- Township/Range
- Sections
- QQ



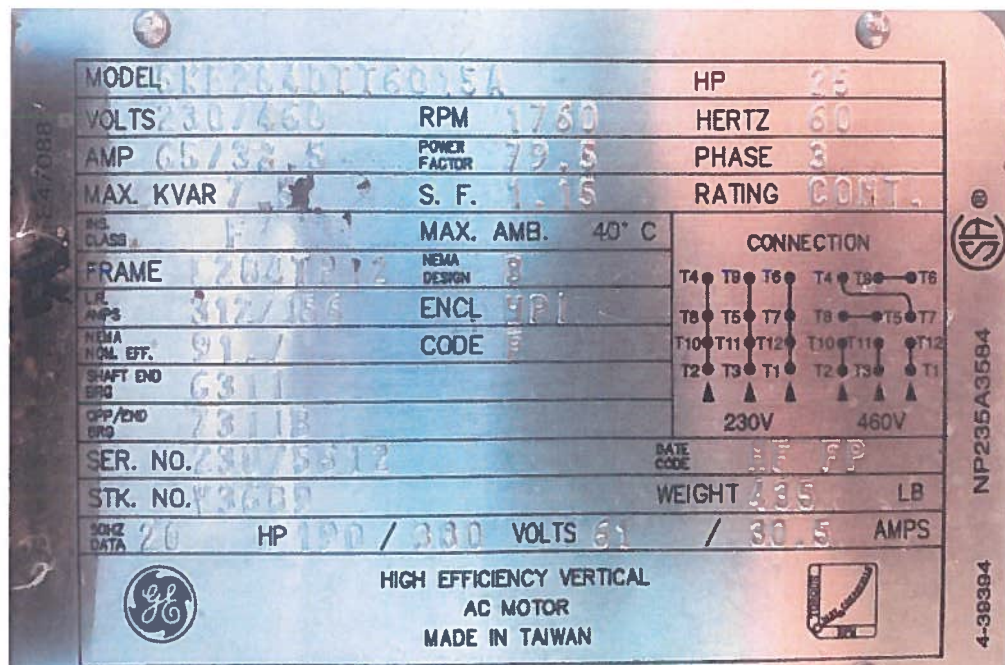
Pic of pumping point showing motor-pump system diverting water from Lower-Payette Ditch Co.'s gravity canal.



Pic showing motor-pump system and 10" discharge pipe heading into the ground.



Pic showing
pumping point and
Seametrics
Flowmeter.



Motor tag with
serial no., hp,
model, etc.



Seametrics
Flowmeter.



Reading on
flowmeter showing
measured 245.4
gpm flow rate.



Pic of the three
20,000 gallon
storage tanks.



Pic showing the
Inflow-Line (left)
that fills the tanks,
and a return line
(right).



Pic showing
Outflow-Line that
heads downhill to
standpipe.



Pic of standpipe
platform.



Water truck filling
up at standpipe
platform.



Water truck filling
up at standpipe
platform.



Pic of landfill POU



Pic of landfill POU.

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Payette River Basin, State of Idaho
State, Water District No. 65

Watermaster,
Ron Shurtleff

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November 21, 2017

Justin Shearer
Idaho Department of Water Resources
Western Region
2735 Airport Way
Boise, ID 83705-5082

Dear Justin,

I found three documents in the Lower Payette Ditch Company's Back File regarding transmission loss calculations for the canal system. A March 31, 1970 document reported a loss of 30% but qualified its statement stating it was a rough calculation. Another document circa June of 1971 calculated also a 30% loss. The document dated September 19, 1978 appears to me to be the best documented and the percentage of loss over a 20.4 mile study length calculated to 28.6% over the stated distance.

I measured the distance of the Payette County's diversion point (Pump) on the Lower Payette Ditch Company's canal, from the point where the canal is diverted from the Payette River. That distance is 13.42 miles. The distance is 65.8% of the study length of 20.4 miles which calculated the 28.6% loss. In the study the loss per mile appears to be very consistent. I conclude that an equitable loss rate to apply to the Water Rights 65-13955 and 65-23147 would be 18.8% which is 65.8% of the loss incurred over a 20.4 mile distance.

I have included the documents for your review. If you need anything further please do not hesitate to give me a call.

Sincerely,


Ron Shurtleff

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March 31, 1970

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Annabel Anderson
114 North 8th
Payette, Idaho 83661

Dear Mrs. Anderson:

Our office was requested to perform some calculations on ditch loss. Based on one inch per acre, the quantity needed at the headgate would be 185.4 c.f.s. plus an estimated loss assuming the type of soil as sandy loams for Lower Payette Ditch. We estimate that the approximate loss would be about 54. c.f.s., making the total quantity needed to be 239.4 c.f.s.

29% loss

We would caution you that these are very rough calculations. We supply them only to give you some guidelines or directions in figuring what your needs for irrigation would be.

Very truly yours,

Gary L. Page
Survey Examiner

GLP:mh

? 185.4 cfs to 9270 Acres

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Measurements on Lower Fayette Canal Co. (Attached)

Place	Date	Discharge (cfs)	Acreage
	6-22-71	241 ⁸⁰	12,090
	7-8-69	262 ⁰⁸	13,104
#2	4-30-70	192 ⁰¹	9,600
2D. #1	4-30-70	214 ⁰⁷	10,704
	7-2-70	278 ⁶⁶	12,933
Way 52 Sta.	5-10-71	234 ⁶³	11,731

$$\bar{x} = 237 \frac{21}{100}$$

$$\bar{x} - \#2 = 246 \frac{25}{100} \text{ cfs for } 12,312.5 \text{ acres}$$

Found 13,546 Acres; made 270.92 cfs
All lands (companies) + loss of 30% = 352.2 cfs

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09/19/78 D.P.T.

* MACALLISTER'S MODIFICATION OF MORITZ *
* LOSS CALCULATION FOR *
* THE LOWER PAYETTE DITCH *
* WATER RIGHT NO. 0165X ABC *

Q DIVERTED: 283.09 TYPE OF SOIL: SANDY LOAM
Q DELIVERED: 220.08 (11,004 ACRES) SUBJECT SOIL CONSTANT= 1.50 (FEET/DAY)
PERCENTAGE LOSS: 28.6 TO RINSE CHANGE LENGTH OF HEAD OF DITCH: 8.40
LENGTH OF DELIVERY SECTION: 20.40

NOTE: PERCENTAGE LOSS WILL CHANGE VERY
LITTLE WITH SMALL (500 AC) CHANGES IN ACREAGE.
LOSS TABLE FOR HEAD OF DITCH

MILE	Q (CFS)	LOSS (CFS)
1.00	280.54	2.55
2.00	278.00	2.54
3.00	275.46	2.54
4.00	272.92	2.54
5.00	270.39	2.53
6.00	267.86	2.53
7.00	265.33	2.53
8.00	262.81	2.52
8.40	261.81	1.01

FLOW = 94.96 (1.286)

= 122.12 cfs

AMT = 21366 (1.286)

= 27476.7 AFA

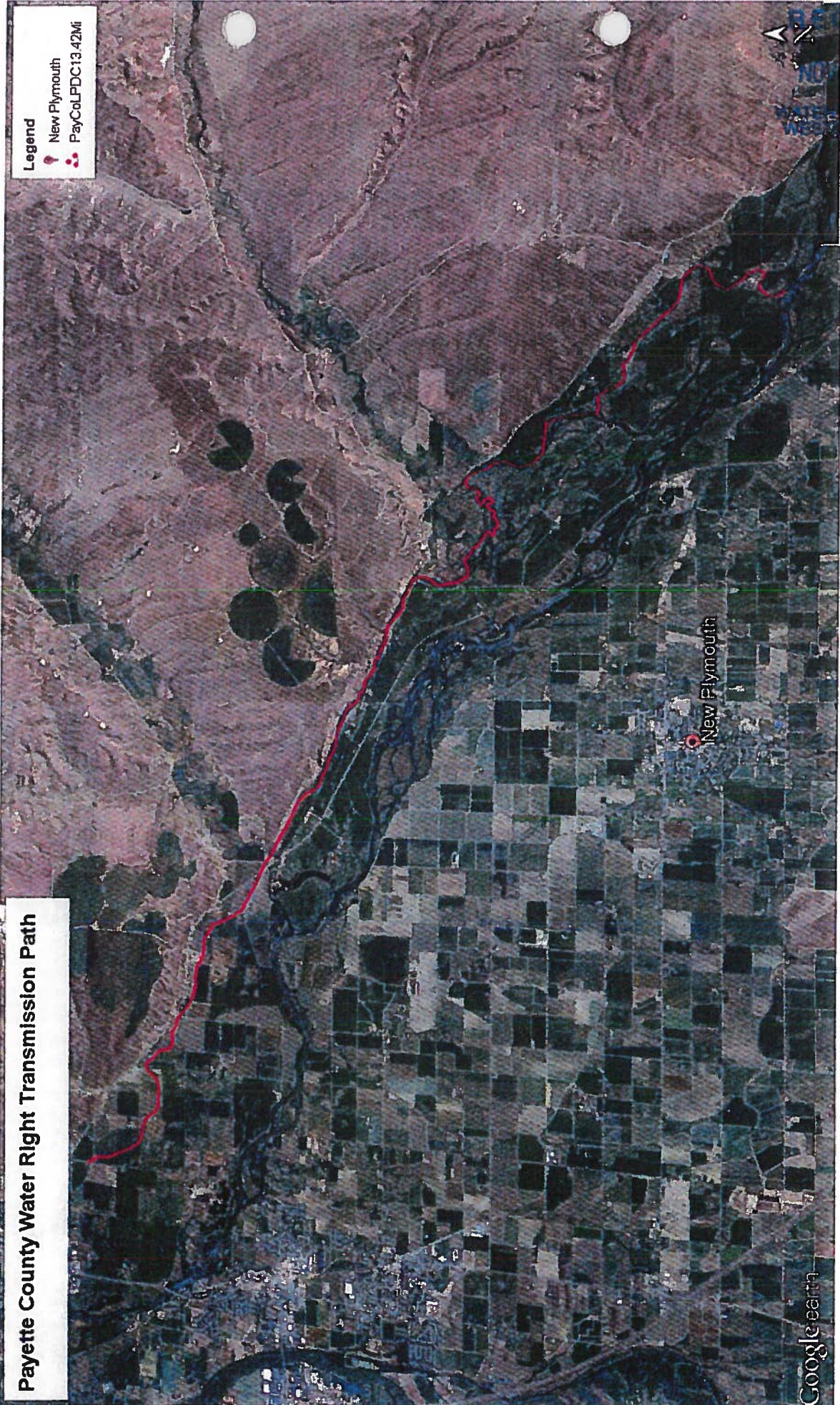
LOSS TABLE FOR DELIVERY

MILE	Q (CFS)	LOSS (CFS)	Q DELIVERED (CFS)
1.00	248.50	2.52	10.79
2.00	235.22	2.49	10.79
3.00	221.96	2.47	10.79
4.00	208.72	2.45	10.79
5.00	195.52	2.42	10.79
6.00	182.34	2.39	10.79
7.00	169.19	2.36	10.79
8.00	156.09	2.32	10.79
9.00	143.02	2.28	10.79
10.00	130.00	2.23	10.79
11.00	117.03	2.18	10.79
12.00	104.12	2.13	10.79
13.00	91.27	2.06	10.79
14.00	78.50	1.99	10.79
15.00	65.81	1.90	10.79
16.00	53.23	1.79	10.79
17.00	40.77	1.67	10.79
18.00	28.47	1.54	10.79
19.00	16.37	1.31	10.79
20.00	4.54	1.04	10.79
20.40	.00	.23	4.32

Payette County Water Right Transmission Path

Legend

- New Plymouth
- PayCoLPDC13.42Mi



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Governor

GARY SPACKMAN
Director

June 29, 2017

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COUNTY OF PAYETTE
COUNTY CLERK
1130 3RD AVE N RM 104
PAYETTE, ID 83661

RE: Scheduling Field Exam for Water Right Permit No. 65-13955

Dear Permit Holder:

We are planning to conduct water right examinations in the vicinity of the above-referenced permit **this season**. An examination is needed to verify the water use in order to issue a water right license.

The above-referenced permit authorizes **0.200 CFS** from **PAYETTE RIVER** tributary to **SNAKE RIVER** for **INDUSTRIAL** use. **If you have developed a beneficial use and still own the place of use property, please contact me at your earliest convenience to schedule an examination.**

If you did not develop a beneficial use of water under the permit during the beneficial use period, a license cannot be issued and the permit should be relinquished. If that use was developed, but have ceased using the water and you currently carry no interest in it, please relinquish the permit by submitting the enclosed Relinquishment of Permit form (no fee required).

If you did develop a beneficial use of water under the permit, but you no longer own the place of use property identified in the permit, please submit the enclosed Assignment of Permit form with the applicable \$25 processing fee.

Please contact me within the next thirty (30) days at (208) 334-2190 to either schedule an examination or submit a relinquishment or assignment form. If you no longer own the place of use property and/or do not respond to this letter, the department will work with the current property owner to issue a license or void the permit.

Sincerely,

Justin Shearer
Water Resource Agent

Enclosures: Relinquishment of Permit form
Assignment of Permit form
Water Permit Report and Map