

MEMORANDUM

Date: September 27, 2017

To: Transfer 81919

From: Kerrie Mathews

Re: Transfer Evaluation

Transfer No. 81919 for water rights 29-7283 and 29-10635 proposes to change the place of use.

Authority to file:

The water rights are in the name of the applicant, a portion of the purposed place of use is in the name of A Ladd Carter. The application contained a letter from Ladd and June Carter, authorizing the transfer of the water rights on this property. The remainder of the proposed place of use is owned by the Applicant.

Validity of the Water Right:

Water rights 29-7283 and 29-10635 were decreed on March 22, 2004. Aerial photography shows consistent irrigation. Forfeiture does not appear to be an issue.

Injury to Other Water Rights:

No injury to other water rights was identified. The application was not advertised and no ESPA analysis was conducted because no change to the point of diversion is occurring. The water master for WD29B (Garden Creek) was notified of the transfer and did not oppose the transfer.

Local Public Interest:

No issues identified.

Beneficial Use / Conservation of Water Resources:

No issues identified.

Review of the application finds there is not clear inconsistency with criteria set forth in Section 42-222 Idaho Code preventing processing of this transfer application.