

MEMORANDUM

Date: August 23, 2017
To: Transfer 81876
From: Cooper Fritz
Re: Review & Evaluation of Sufficiency of Information

This transfer changes the place of use for rights 29-13896 and 29-13898 and reduces the rights from a pre-transfer total of 280 acres down to 214 acres. Total combined diversion rate (2.71 cfs) is still less than 0.02 cfs per acre.

Authority to File:

The applicants, Dale and Mary Wade, have the authority to file.
Per Department records, the applicants are the joint owners of the water rights.
Quitclaim deed 21504058 grants the pre-transfer and post-transfer places of use from Dale and Mary Wade to Wade Crest Land, LLC. Dale Wade is the registered agent for Wade Crest Land LLC, according to the Idaho Secretary of State's website. Ownership of the water rights will be updated after transfer approval.

Water Right Validity:

The water rights are valid.
29-13896 was licensed in 1994. 29-13898 was decreed in 2004.
Review of post-licensing and post-decree aerial photography indicates consistent irrigation.

Injury to Other Water Rights:

No other water rights will be injured as a result of this transfer.

Enlargement of Use:

No enlargement of use will result from this transfer's approval.
Total irrigated acres and volume authorized are reduced as part of this transfer's approval.

Review of the application finds there is no clear inconsistency with criteria set forth in Section 42-222 Idaho Code preventing processing of this application.