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WATER RESOURCESSTATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCESSTATEMENT OF COMPLETION
FOR SUBMITTING PROOF OF BENEFICIAL USE

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	
Amt. of Fee \$:	50.00
Receipt No.	WD44553
Receipt By:	CS
Date Received:	8/25/16

The Idaho Department of Water Resources considers this form a statement by the permit holder(s) that development of a water right has been completed and that water has been applied to beneficial use to the extent described below. This form must be accompanied by an examination fee, when necessary, or by a completed Beneficial Use Field Report prepared by a certified water right examiner. Please refer to the instructions and fee schedule for this form. If ownership of the permit has changed, please contact any Department office or visit the Department's website at: www.idwr.idaho.gov for an Assignment of Permit form. If you wish to relinquish your permit because you have not established the authorized use of the water and are not applying for an extension, please notify the Department in writing.

1. Permit No.: 65-23612 Telephone No.: 208-989-3544

2. Name of Permit Holder(s): Ben L. Shorts And/OR Debra A Shorts

3. Mailing Address: 669 Middlefork Rd City: Garden Valley
State: ID Zip: 83622 Email: debbie@debuwilliamsinsurance.com

4. Source of Water: unnamed stream If GROUND WATER (well), Date Drilled: mo. na / yr. na
Well Driller: na Drilling Permit Number: na

5. Extent of use(s) completed (as authorized by the water right permit):

Domestic (No. of households): NA Stockwater (No. and type of stock): Less than 25 horses/cattle
Irrigation (No. of acres): na Other: na

6. Total rate of diversion or storage volume for which proof is submitted: na cfs OR 1.9 acre-feet.

7. Compliance with a measuring device requirement, lockable controlling device requirement, and/or other conditions of permit: Refer to the approval conditions on your permit and respond accordingly. The Department will not issue a license if permit conditions are not met.

Measuring Device: Is a measuring device required?

If yes, has the measuring device been installed?

Yes ☐	No ☐
Yes ☐	No ☐

see attached letter.
Ron Shurtleff will
recommend waiver.

Lockable Controlling Device: Is a lockable device required to control the diversion?

If yes, has the lockable device been installed?

Yes ☐	No ☐
Yes ☐	No ☐

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Other Conditions of Permit: Do the approval conditions on your permit require you to submit additional information in connection with your proof of beneficial use? If yes, list the conditions below and attach documents with the required information.

Letter from Ron Shurtleff

Completed?

Ron will send
Yes ☐ No ☒

8. Fee Enclosed: \$50.00 See fee schedule on back of the instructions for filing proof of beneficial use. Proofs filed without an appropriate fee, will be considered incomplete.

9. Person to contact to accompany the Department representative during field examination of the water system.

Name: Debra Shorts Telephone Number: 208-989-3544
Mailing Address: 669 Middlefork Rd City: Garden Valley
State: ID Zip: 83622 Email: debbie@debuwilliamsinsurance.com

The information given on this form is my true statement of the extent to which the above numbered permit has been developed and water has been diverted and applied to a beneficial use. I understand that any undeveloped portion of the permit is relinquished to the State of Idaho.

Signature of permit holder:

Debra Shorts
(Include your title, if on behalf of company or organization)

Date: 8-24-16

Mail to: Idaho Department of Water Resources, PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0098



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Director

August 31, 2016

BEN L SHORTS
DEBRA A SHORTS
669 MIDDLEFORK RD
GARDEN VALLEY ID 83622

PROOF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT LETTER

RE: Permit No. 65-23612

Dear Permit Holder(s):

The Department acknowledges receipt of the proof of beneficial use form submitted for the above referenced permit. The next step in the process of developing a water right is for the Department to conduct a field examination to determine and confirm the use being made of the water.

Your proof form and accompanying letter indicated that the watermaster would be recommending a waiver of permit condition nos. 3 and 4 listed on this permit.

Condition no. 3 of this permit states:

"Prior to diversion of water under this right, the right holder shall install a lockable device, subject to the approval of the Department, in a manner that will provide the watermaster suitable control of the diversion."

Condition no. 4 of this permit states:

"Prior to diversion of water under this right, the right holder shall provide a means acceptable to the department to measure the amount of water entering the reservoir and the amount of water released from the reservoir."

If you feel these requirements are unnecessary you may request in writing to the Department that the requirements be waived. Additionally, you must contact the watermaster about his need for the requirements. If he agrees that the measurement device and lockable device requirements are unnecessary, request that he/she provide the Department with written agreement that the requirements can be waived at this time. Upon receipt of your request and his acknowledgement the Department will issue an order waiving the requirements at the time of licensing.

Please be advised that Section 42-248, Idaho Code, requires you or the owner of this water right to maintain current ownership and address records on file with the Department. Forms to file a change of ownership of a water right and/or a change in the address of the water right owner are available from any Department office or at the Department's website at: www.idwr.idaho.gov.

If you have questions about the field examination, please contact the Western Regional Office of the Department located in Boise at (208) 334-2190.

Sincerely,



Darla Block
Technical Records Specialist

Enclosure(s)

c: WATER DISTRICT # 65

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August 1, 2016

Ben L. & Debra A. Shorts
669 Middlefork Road
Garden Valley, Idaho 83622

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WATER RESOURCES
WESTERN REGION

Idaho Department of Water Resources
2735 Airport Way
Boise, Idaho 83705

Re: Permit No. 65-23612

Dear Sir or Madam:

Attached is our Statement of Completion for our pond. This letter adds additional information related to the project.

Ron Shurtleff, Water Master, 208-642-4465, has been to our project twice. He indicated there was no need for a locking or measuring device on spring runoff as our seasonal creek comes from a culvert under the road and we don't have control over the amount of water coming down. The spring runoff in our creek stopped the first week of June, so our creek is now dry. Ron also indicated that you would request a letter from him stating which conditions would not apply so you can amend the order.

In planning our pond, we were advised to let you know by Patrick at IDWR to plan our inspection when the livestock is on the property. Because our pond is in wetlands, it's marshy into late spring so the livestock is put in the pasture late spring. Once the grass is grazed, they are removed until the following spring.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call at 208-989-3544 (Debra).

Thank you.

Sincerely,




Ben L. Shorts
Debra A. Shorts