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Re: Annual Reporting Requirements for Water Right License 95-9323

Dear Mr. Kimball:

This letter is written in response to your inquiry letter dated June 2, 2015 regarding the reporting requirements associated with Water Right 95-9323.

Your first inquiry:

1. *The meter (the "totalizing measuring device") installed at each well site (Pump #4 & Pump #6) measures the quantity of water diverted in gallons only. It does not measure "rate of flow" or "discharge pressure" as set forth in Section III of the annual report form. Your form indicates that for meters without rate of flow indicators we should refer to page 4. I could not find page 4 of the form.*

You noticed a remnant of our old form that needs to be removed. My apologies for the confusion this may have caused. You do not need to fill out a "page 4." The form you received is in the process of being reorganized by Department personnel.

Your second inquiry:

2. *In addition to the annual report form referenced above, we will be filing a report on January 15 showing the annual gallons used by each home owner. Each home owner has installed a meter which, again, only measures the gallons used. What form are we to use for this report or is my spreadsheet sufficient for this report?*

We appreciate Fernan Estates Corporation's efforts to maintain compliance with Water Right License 95-9323 thus far. The Department does not currently have a form for reporting individual homeowner use; therefore, please continue to utilize your spreadsheet to report the homeowner uses.

Your data will need to be submitted to Idaho Department of Water Resources on or before January 15 following the reporting year. (*Please submit your next report by January 15, 2016.*) There is a \$25.00 report processing fee associated with each diversion required to be reported, per Idaho Code 42-701. The form to be used for reporting purposes can be found on our website www.idwr.idaho.gov under: Forms, Water Measurement Forms, and "Measuring Device Method for Totalizing Flow Meters."

Thank you,

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