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DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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January 31, 2014

MARY GUTHRIE
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WEISER ID 83672

RE: WATER SUPPLY BANK LEASE CONTRACT FOR RIGHTS 3-7001B and 3-7001E

Dear Lessor:

Water Rights 3-7001B and 3-7001E were leased into the Water Supply Bank on January 1, 2014 in accordance with the executed original Lease Contract enclosed. **Your water rights as described on the Lease Contract are considered leased into the Bank and should remain unused until they are formally released from the Bank.**

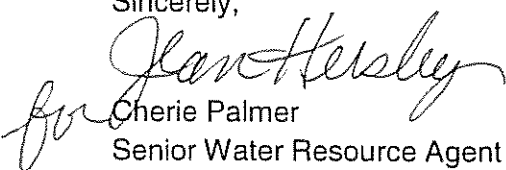
The rights will automatically be released from the Bank on **December 31, 2018**, unless the rights are released earlier by the Board, or upon your request. **Please note your rights may not be available for immediate release if they have been rented.** To release the right from the Bank prior to the release date, submit a written request on the *Request to Release a Water Right from the Bank* form. To request an extension of the lease period, submit a *Request to Extend the Lease Term* form along with applicable fees to the Department prior to the release date. These forms are available from our public website at www.idwr.idaho.gov.

Please review the conditions of acceptance listed on the Lease Contract, including #3 which says:

"While a right is in the bank, **the lessor may not use the right** without approval of the department even if the right is not rented from the bank. Any violation of the terms of this lease may result in enforcement procedures pursuant to Idaho Code § 42-351 for illegal diversion and use of water and may include civil penalties pursuant to Idaho Code § 42-1701B."

If you have questions regarding this matter, please contact me at 287-4944.

Sincerely,


Cherie Palmer
Senior Water Resource Agent
WSB Process Point of Contact

Enclosure: Executed Lease Contract

c: John Westra- IDWR Western Regional Manager

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January 21, 2014

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RE: APPLICATION(S) TO LEASE WATER RIGHT(S) 3-7001B and 3-7001E TO THE WATER SUPPLY BANK

******TIME SENSITIVE RESPONSE REQUIRED******

Dear Applicant:

The Department of Water Resources has completed its review of your application to lease the above-mentioned water right to the Water Supply Bank. **I have enclosed two original Water Supply Bank Lease Contracts for your review and signature. Please sign and return BOTH Lease Contracts within 14 days.** Upon signature and return of the contracts, the Department will also sign the original contracts and return an executed copy to you. The Lease Contract is not considered final until you and the Department have both signed.

You requested to be considered for the "indefinite" lease period. However, the Board is not approving indefinite leases at this time. The rights will automatically be released from the Bank on **December 31, 2018**, unless the rights are released earlier by the Board, or upon your request. To release the rights from the Bank prior to the release date, submit a written request on the Request to Release a Water Right from the Bank form. To propose a new lease period, submit a new Application to Sell or Lease a Water Right to the Water Supply Bank form along with applicable fees to the Department. These forms are available from any IDWR office or from our public website at <http://www.idwr.idaho.gov>. Please note your rights may not be available for immediate release if they have been rented.

Please review the conditions of acceptance listed on the Lease Contract, including #3 which says:

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Sincerely,

for Jean Hershey
Cherie Palmer
Senior Water Resource Agent
WSB Process Point of Contact

Enclosure: Proposed Lease Contracts

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