



State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

322 East Front Street • P.O. Box 83720 • Boise, Idaho 83720-0098

Phone: (208) 287-4800 • Fax: (208) 287-6700 • Website: www.idwr.idaho.gov

C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER
Governor

GARY SPACKMAN
Director

March 26, 2015

MORNINGVIEW WATER CO INC
PO BOX 598
RIGBY ID 83442

RE: Permit Nos. 25-14199 & 25-14236

Dear Permit Holder(s):

Enclosed are copies of the approved requests for extension of time submitted in connection with the above referenced permits. These orders extend the time within which to submit proofs of beneficial use to **November 19, 2017**. The period of time from January 22, 2010 (Water Right Permit Approval Date) to November 09, 2012 (Date of attachment D submitted as evidence of government delay by Department of Environmental Quality), has been granted due to a delay of development caused by a government agency.

These approved requests reinstate each permit since the requests and the filing fees were submitted after the proof due date listed on each permit and the priority of each permit advances. The priority date of permit no. 25-14199 advances to August 21, 2007, and the priority date of permit no. 25-14236 advances to June 22, 2009, as referenced in Section 42-218a, Idaho Code.

Please note that the department has granted this period of your extensions based on the actual time delayed by the Department of Environmental Quality in connection with conditions of approval for your permit, according to Section 42-204(1), Idaho Code.

The extensions are PRELIMINARY ORDERS issued by the Department pursuant to Rule 730 of the Department's Rules of Procedure (IDAPA 37.01.01). They can and will become final orders without further action by the Department unless a party petitions for reconsideration or files an exception and/or brief within fourteen (14) days of the service date as described in the enclosed information sheet.

Section 42-248, Idaho Code, requires you or the owner of the water rights 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 any questions, please contact me at (208) 287-4945.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Darla Block".

Darla Block
Technical Records Specialist

Enclosure(s)

cc: ROBERT L HARRIS

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on **March 27, 2015** I mailed true and correct copies, postage prepaid, of the foregoing PRELIMINARY ORDERS (**Approved Requests for Extension of Time**) to the person(s) listed below:

RE: Water Permit Nos. **25-14199 & 25-14236**

**MORNINGVIEW WATER CO INC
PO BOX 598
RIGBY ID 83442**

**ROBERT L HARRIS
HOLDEN KIDWELL HAHN & CRAPO PLLC
PO BOX 50130
IDAHO FALLS ID 83405-0130**


Darla Block
Technical Records Specialist

EXPLANATORY INFORMATION TO ACCOMPANY A PRELIMINARY ORDER

(To be used in connection with actions when a hearing was **not** held)

(Required by Rule of Procedure 730.02)

The accompanying order or approved document is a "Preliminary Order" issued by the department pursuant to section 67-5243, Idaho Code. **It can and will become a final order without further action of the Department of Water Resources ("department") unless a party petitions for reconsideration, files an exception and brief, or requests a hearing as further described below:**

PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION

Any party may file a petition for reconsideration of a preliminary order with the department within fourteen (14) days of the service date of this order. **Note: the petition must be received by the department within this fourteen (14) day period.** The department will act on a petition for reconsideration within twenty-one (21) days of its receipt, or the petition will be considered denied by operation of law. See Section 67-5243(3) Idaho Code.

EXCEPTIONS AND BRIEFS

Within fourteen (14) days after: (a) the service date of a preliminary order, (b) the service date of a denial of a petition for reconsideration from this preliminary order, or (c) the failure within twenty-one (21) days to grant or deny a petition for reconsideration from this preliminary order, any party may in writing support or take exceptions to any part of a preliminary order and may file briefs in support of the party's position on any issue in the proceeding with the Director. Otherwise, this preliminary order will become a final order of the agency.

REQUEST FOR HEARING

Unless a right to a hearing before the Department or the Water Resource Board is otherwise provided by statute, any person aggrieved by any final decision, determination, order or action of the Director of the Department and who has not previously been afforded an opportunity for a hearing on the matter may request a hearing pursuant to section 42-1701A(3), Idaho Code. A written petition contesting the action of the Director and requesting a hearing shall be filed within fifteen (15) days after receipt of the denial or conditional approval.

ORAL ARGUMENT

If the Director grants a petition to review the preliminary order, the Director shall allow all parties an opportunity to file briefs in support of or taking exceptions to the preliminary order and may schedule oral argument in the matter before issuing a final order. If oral arguments are to be heard, the Director will within a reasonable time period notify each party of the place, date and hour for the argument of the case. Unless the Director orders otherwise, all oral arguments will be heard in Boise, Idaho.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

All exceptions, briefs, requests for oral argument and any other matters filed with the Director in connection with the preliminary order shall be served on all other parties to the proceedings in accordance with IDAPA Rules 37.01.01302 and 37.01.01303 (Rules of Procedure 302 and 303).

FINAL ORDER

The Director will issue a final order within fifty-six (56) days of receipt of the written briefs, oral argument or response to briefs, whichever is later, unless waived by the parties or for good cause shown. The Director may remand the matter for further evidentiary hearings if further factual development of the record is necessary before issuing a final order. The department will serve a copy of the final order on all parties of record.

Section 67-5246(5), Idaho Code, provides as follows:

Unless a different date is stated in a final order, the order is effective fourteen (14) days after its service date if a party has not filed a petition for reconsideration. If a party has filed a petition for reconsideration with the agency head, the final order becomes effective when:

- (a) The petition for reconsideration is disposed of; or
- (b) The petition is deemed denied because the agency head did not dispose of the petition within twenty-one (21) days.

APPEAL OF FINAL ORDER TO DISTRICT COURT

Pursuant to sections 67-5270 and 67-5272, Idaho Code, if this preliminary order becomes final, any party aggrieved by the final order or orders previously issued in this case may appeal the final order and all previously issued orders in this case to district court by filing a petition in the district court of the county in which:

- i. A hearing was held,
- ii. The final agency action was taken,
- iii. The party seeking review of the order resides, or
- iv. The real property or personal property that was the subject of the agency action is located.

The appeal must be filed within twenty-eight (28) days of this preliminary order becoming final. See section 67-5273, Idaho Code. The filing of an appeal to district court does not itself stay the effectiveness or enforcement of the order under appeal.