

State of Idaho
Department of Water Resources
Permit to Appropriate Water

NO. 81-12008

Priority: December 26, 2014

Maximum Diversion Rate: 0.02 CFS

This is to certify, that BLAKE TARWATER
1813 S RESERVE ST #47
MISSOULA MT 59801

has applied for a permit to appropriate water from:

Source: MIDDLE FORK CLEARWATER **Tributary:** CLEARWATER RIVER
RIVER

and a permit is APPROVED for development of water as follows:

<u>BENEFICIAL USE</u>	<u>PERIOD OF USE</u>	<u>RATE OF DIVERSION</u>
IRRIGATION	03/15 to 11/15	0.02 CFS

LOCATION OF POINT(S) OF DIVERSION:

MIDDLE FORK CLEARWATER RIVER NW1/4NW1/4 Sec. 4, Twp 32N, Rge 04E, B.M. IDAHO County

PLACE OF USE: IRRIGATION

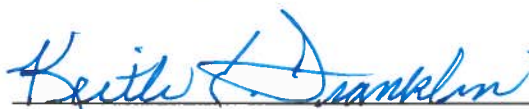
Twp Rge Sec	NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
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32N 04E 4						1.0											1.0
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Total Acres: 1

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

1. Proof of application of water to beneficial use shall be submitted on or before **February 01, 2016**.
2. Subject to all prior water rights.
3. Water shall not be diverted under this right when flows in the Middle Fork Clearwater River are below minimum flow amounts as defined by Right 81-7162.
4. A fish screen of 1/4 inch or smaller mesh shall be installed and maintained at the point of diversion.
5. This right when combined with all other rights shall provide no more than 0.02 cfs per acre nor more than 3.0 afa per acre at the field headgate for irrigation of the place of use.
6. This right does not grant any right-of-way or easement across the land of another.

This permit is issued pursuant to the provisions of Section 42-204, Idaho Code. Witness the signature of the Director, affixed at Coeur d Alene, this 13 day of February, 2015.


For GARY SPACKMAN, Director



State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

Northern Region, 7600 Mineral Drive. Suite 100, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho 83815

Phone: (208) 762-2800 FAX: (208) 762-2819 www.idwr.idaho.gov

C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER
Governor

GARY SPACKMAN
Director

February 13, 2015

BLAKE TARWATER
1813 S RESERVE ST #47
MISSOULA MT 59801

RE: Permit No.81-12008

Permit Approval Notice

Dear Permit Holder:

The Department of Water Resources has issued the enclosed permit authorizing you to establish a new water right. Please be sure to thoroughly review the conditions of approval and remarks listed on your permit.

The permit 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 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.

Enclosed is a form entitled 'Instructions for Proof of Beneficial Use.' Please read the instructions carefully since you must take further action to develop this permit into a licensed water right. Also enclosed is a form entitled 'Proof of Beneficial Use.' If your project is already completed, you should complete and submit this form immediately.

Please note that a separate stream channel alteration permit must be obtained from the Department prior to any activity in the stream channel other than construction or maintenance of the diversion structure for your water right(s). Applications for stream channel alteration permits must be filed at least sixty days prior to the commencement of work in the stream.

Also, please note that water right owners are required to report any change of water right ownership and/or mailing address to the Department within 120 days of the change. Failure to report these changes could result in a \$100 late filing fee. Contact any office of the Department or visit the Department's homepage on the Internet to obtain the proper forms and instructions.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 208-762-2800.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Keith E. Franklin". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Keith" and last name "Franklin" clearly legible, and "E." as a small middle initial.

Keith E. Franklin
Program Manager

Enclosure(s)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on February 13, 2015 I mailed a true and correct copy, postage prepaid, of the foregoing PRELIMINARY ORDER(Approved Permit) to the person(s) listed below:

RE: WATER RIGHT NO.

81-12008

**BLAKE TARWATER
1813 S RESERVE ST #47
MISSOULA MT 59801**



**Dianne L Ball
Administrative Assistant**

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.

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AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

The following application(s) have been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho:

81-12008

BLAKE TARWATER

1813 S RESERVE ST #47

MISSOULA, MT 59801

Point of Diversion NWNW S4 T32N R04E IDAHO County

Source MIDDLE FORK CLEARWATER RIVER

tributary CLEARWATER RIVER

Use: IRRIGATION 03/15 to 11/15 0.02 CFS

Total Diversion: 0.02 CFS

Date Filed: 12/26/2014

Place of Use: IRRIGATION T32N R04E S4 L4(NWNW)

Total Acres: 1

Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. For additional information concerning the property location, contact Northern Region office at (208) 762-2800; or for a full description of the right(s), please see:

www.idwr.idaho.gov/apps/ExtSearch/WRFiling.asp.

Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Idaho Code § 42-203A. Any protest against the approval of this application must be filed with the Director, Dept. of Water Resources, Northern Region, 7600 Mineral Drive, Suite 100, Coeur D' Alene ID 83815 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 2/9/2015. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

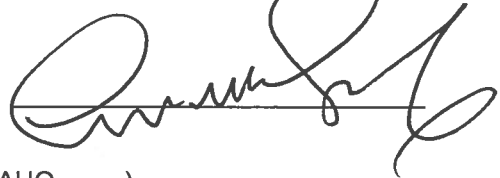
GARY SPACKMAN, Director

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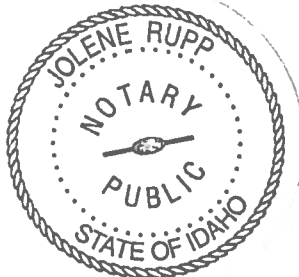
STATE OF IDAHO
County of Idaho - ss.

Andrew J. McNab, being first duly sworn, says he is the Publisher of the IDAHO COUNTY FREE PRESS, a weekly newspaper published and issued weekly at Grangeville, Idaho County, State of Idaho, and is of general circulation in said county and state, that the said legal notice, of which the one hereto attached is a true copy, was published in said paper for two weeks, being published two times, the first publication being on the 21st day of January, 2015; and the last publication on the 28th day of January, 2015; and that the said legal notice was published in the newspaper proper and not a supplement; that said newspaper has been continuously and uninterruptedly published in said county during a period of seventy-eight consecutive weeks prior to the publication of said legal notice of advertisement.



STATE OF IDAHO)
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COUNTY OF IDAHO)

On this 28th day of January in the year of 2015, before me a Notary Public personally appeared Andrew J. McNab, known or identified to me to be the person whose name subscribed to the within instrument, and being by me first duly sworn, declared that the statements therein are true, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.




Notary Public for Idaho
Residing at Grangeville, ID
My commission expires: 1-28-19



STATE OF IDAHO
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C.L. "Butch" Otter, Governor
Curt Fransen, Director

January 21, 2015

Adam Frederick
Idaho Department of Water Resources
7600 N. Mineral Drive, Suite 100
Coeur d'Alene, Idaho 83815

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JAN 26 2015
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Subject: Application for Water Appropriation Permit 81-12008

Dear Mr. Frederick:

We received your letter requesting our comments on the application to appropriate 0.02 cfs from the Middle Fork Clearwater River for irrigation from April 1 to October 1. In the Idaho Water Quality Standards, the section of the Middle Fork Clearwater River at the point of diversion is included in water body ID 17060304CL001_05 and is protected for cold water and salmonid spawning aquatic life, primary contact recreation, and domestic water supply beneficial uses. This water body ID is currently listed in Category 3 of the Idaho 2012 Integrated Report because designated beneficial uses have not been assessed.

Assuming all federal, state and local permits have been obtained, regulations met, and reviews completed, DEQ believes the Middle Fork Clearwater River flow in this section is significant enough that the beneficial uses should not be impacted by the water appropriation.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on your application. If you have any questions regarding the Idaho Water Quality Standards or the conditions listed above, please call us at (208) 799-4370.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Cindy Barrett".

Cindy Barrett
Surface Water Quality Manager

ec: John Cardwell, DEQ
Ray Hennekey, IDFG

c: Blake Tarwater, Montana