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RE: Ownership Change – Diversion Volume of WR 98-7942

Dear Mr. Thomas Six,

I am writing in response to our January 9, 2015 discussion regarding the diversion rate allotted to you in accordance with your Ownership Change form, received by IDWR on December 1, 2014.

Currently, the Ownership Change form you submitted states "The water right or claims were divided proportionately based on the portion of their place(s) of use acquired by the new owner." This is how the water right 98-4075 has been split, with 0.01 CFS allotted to you (new water right 98-7942).

You noted some concern that your immediate neighbors each have a diversion rate of 0.02 CFS. This was recorded by the Department on the basis of their actual stock or an agreed upon amount from the previous owner. It should be noted that the Department simply records the Ownership Change forms received from customers. The actual volume and diversion rate acquired by the new owners is confirmed with an agreement between the previous and new owners.

If you would like to modify the diversion rate which has been allotted to you, please submit a statement in writing (ATTN: Ashley Newbry). If it will be on the basis similar to that of your neighbors, please include a note that you desire the standard 0.02 CFS to water up to approximately 10 head of your stock. Following your statement, I can record the modification and return to you a postal letter noting that the change has been made.

Please submit your statement in writing by January 30, 2015. If no response is received, the Department will presume the diversion rate of 0.01 CFS allotted to WR 98-7942 is no longer of concern.

Thank you,


Ashley Newbry
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