

MEMORANDUM

Date: October 31, 2014

To: Transfer 79124

From: Scott Bergendorf

Re: Transfer Analysis

This transfer proposes to change the point of diversion and place of use for water right 27-7057. Applicant is ceasing mining activities in the location where the current POU and POD are located and commencing mining activities at the proposed POU and POD. Water Right will be used for dust suppression for all roads in the mining area. The proposed POD is an existing well. Water from the well will be pumped to above-ground storage tanks and used to fill water trucks as needed. Flow will be controlled by a ball or a gate valve and will pass through a flowmeter.

Authority to File:

The applicant is the current owner of the water right per IDWR record. POU is under several private and public ownerships. Applicant has provided documentation from all landowners allowing use of water right 27-7057 at the proposed POU.

Water Right Validity:

Water Right 27-7057 was licensed in 1998. Forfeiture is not an issue.

Injury to Other Water Rights:

Transfer proposes to move POD approximately 7 miles to the north. This transfer was advertised and was not protested. Not within a water district.

Enlargement of Use:

No issues identified.

Local Public interest:

No issues identified.

Beneficial Use/Conservation of Water Resources:

No issues identified.

Effect on Economy the Local Area:

No issues identified.

Effect on Agricultural Base of the Local Area:

No issues identified.

Review of the application finds there is no clear inconsistency with criteria set forth in Section 42-222 Idaho Code preventing processing of this application.