

MEMORANDUM

July 22, 2014
Date: ~~May 7, 2014~~
To: Transfer 79293 File
From: Nathan Erickson
Re: Evaluation of Sufficiency of Information Submitted

Application proposes to change the place of use and points of diversion for water rights 45-2468, 45-7336, 45-7449, 45-7471, 45-13773, 45-14453, and 45-14454. The water rights currently list 5 wells, the transfer will remove the 10-acre tract currently listed for the wells on the water rights and one of the wells will move into an adjacent 40-acre tract. The well that will move falls within the ESPA boundary; however the change is within the same model grid cell. The permissible place of use will increase to show additional land to be included in the irrigation system to divert up to 7.7 cfs from a proposed common system and irrigate up to 646 acres. The permissible place of use is located approximately 3 miles east and 1 mile north of Declo. The points of diversion involved in this transfer are located within the Oakley Valley Water District (WD 140), so watermaster comments will be needed. Because of the nature of the changes proposed in this transfer application, it is recommended that this transfer be processed with a public notice and protest period.

- **Authority to File:**

The applicant has filed an ownership change with the transfer to update the ownership to Wickel Land Company LLP. The applicant has provided warranty deeds for the proposed place of use.

- **Water Right Validity:**

Rights 45-2468, 45-7336, & 45-13773 were partially decreed in the SRBA in May of 2005. Rights 45-7449 & 45-7471 were partially decreed in the SRBA in August of 2005. Rights 45-14453 & 45-14454 were partially decreed in the SRBA in January of 2002.

- **Injury to Other Water Rights:**

None anticipated.

- **Enlargement of Use:**

None anticipated. Rights will be limited to the total original acres as allowed under their SRBA decree. Additionally, as a condition of the approval, right holder will also be required to submit which acres will be irrigated within the proposed permissible place of use.

- **Local Public Interest:**

No issues anticipated.

- **Beneficial Use/Conservation of Water Resources:**

Proposed use is recognized as a beneficial use of water.

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.

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COMBINE USE TABLE

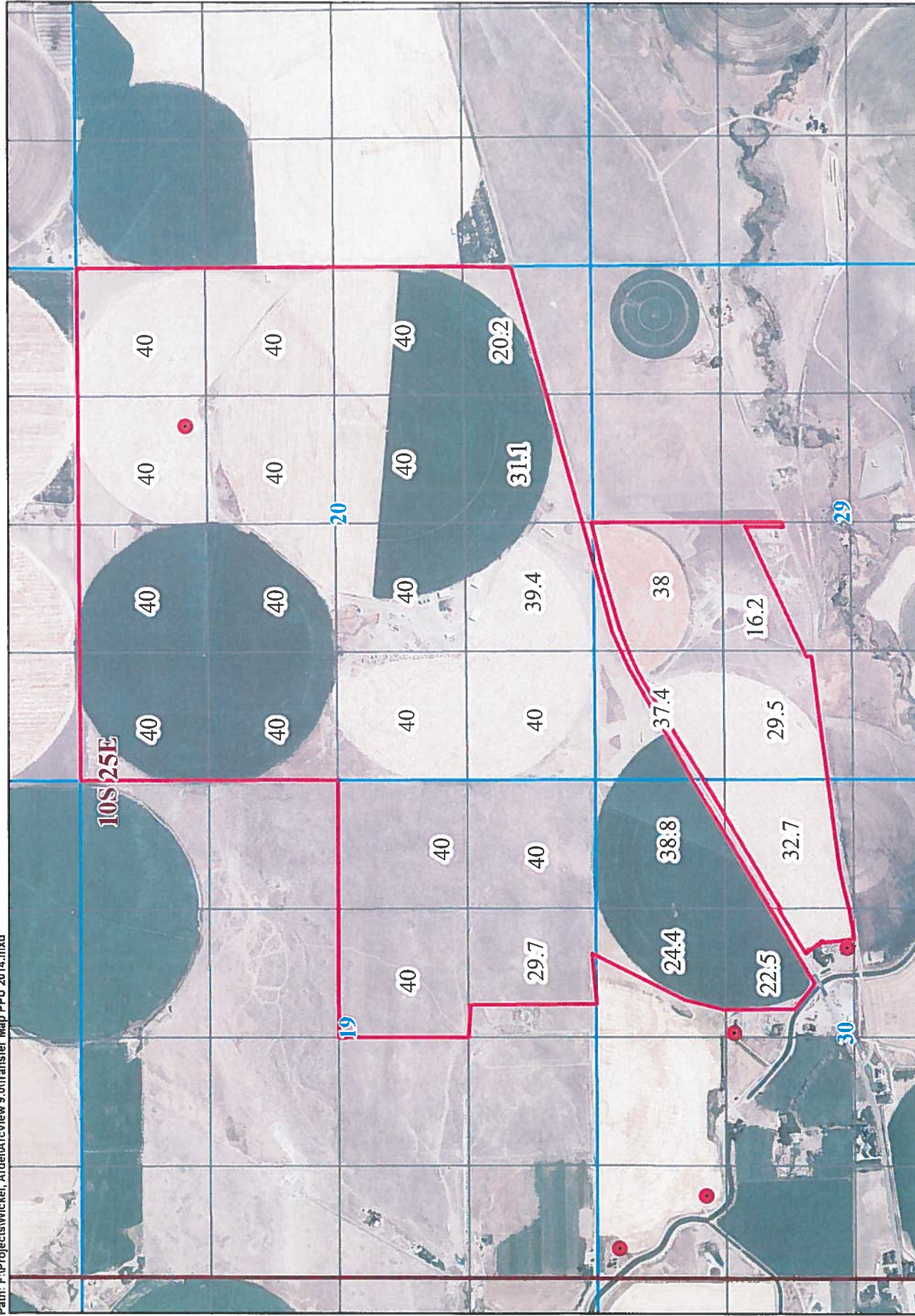
Basin	Sequence	Priority Date	Diversion #	Water Use List	Current Owner	PPU		Water District	Combined use limits	
						Total Acres	Acre Limit		Rate	Volume
45	2468	12/9/1953	1.480	IRRIGATION	WICKEL, ARDEL W; WICKEL, JUDY M	849.0	74.0	140 - Oakley Valley Area		
45	7336	1/24/1978	4.380	IRRIGATION	WICKEL, ARDEL W; WICKEL, JUDY M	849.0	400.0	140 - Oakley Valley Area		
45	7449	7/15/1980	0.410	IRRIGATION, STOCKWATER	WICKEL, ARDEL W; WICKEL, JUDY M	849.0	25.0	140 - Oakley Valley Area	7.63	2553.4
45	7471	5/22/1981	1.360	IRRIGATION	WICKEL, ARDEL W; WICKEL, JUDY M	849.0	68.0	140 - Oakley Valley Area		
45	13773	3/15/1968	0.660	IRRIGATION	WICKEL, ARDEL W; WICKEL, JUDY M	849.0	71.0	140 - Oakley Valley Area		
45	14453	11/29/1971	0.070	IRRIGATION	FOSTER LAND & CATTLE	849.0	7.2	140 - Oakley Valley Area	0.078	32
45	14454	11/29/1971	0.008	IRRIGATION	FOSTER LAND & CATTLE	849.0	0.8	140 - Oakley Valley Area		8
TOTAL =						999.9	646.0	2,585.4	7.7	2,585.4

Additional limits		Combined use limits	
Basin	Sequence	Rate	Volume
45	7336	4.380	1884
45	13773	0.660	471

New Well

Existing Well

New Well



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