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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT
To appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho

1. Name of applicant(s) J. C. Watson Company Phone 208-722-5141
Name connector (check one) ☐ and ☐ or ☐ and/or

Mailing address P.O. Box 300 City Parma
State ID Zip 83660 Email jon@soobrand.com

2. Source of water supply Conway Gulch (aka Conway Drain & which is a tributary of Boise River

3. Location of point(s) of diversion: Conway Gulch Creek)

TWP	RGE	SEC	Govt Lot	1/4	1/4	1/4	County	Source	Local name or tag #
5N	4W	35			NW	NW	Canyon	Conway Gulch	

4. Water will be used for the following purposes:

Amount 2.86 cfs for Irrigation purposes from 3/1 to 11/15 (both dates inclusive)
(cfs or acre-feet per year)

Amount _____ for _____ purposes from _____ to _____ (both dates inclusive)
(cfs or acre-feet per year)

Amount _____ for _____ purposes from _____ to _____ (both dates inclusive)
(cfs or acre-feet per year)

Amount _____ for _____ purposes from _____ to _____ (both dates inclusive)
(cfs or acre-feet per year)

5. Total quantity to be appropriated is (a) 2.86 cubic feet per second (cfs) and/or (b) _____ acre feet per year (af).

6. Proposed diverting works:

a. Describe type and size of devices used to divert water from the source. Lift pump, sprinkler and/or gravity irrigation

b. Height of storage dam _____ feet; active reservoir capacity _____ acre-feet; total reservoir capacity _____ acre-feet. If the reservoir will be filled more than once each year, describe the refill plan in item 11. For dams 10 feet or more in height OR reservoirs with a total storage capacity of 50 acre-feet or more, submit a separate Application for Construction or Enlargement of a New or Existing Dam. Application required? ☐ Yes ☐ No

c. Proposed well diameter is _____ inches; proposed depth of well is _____ feet.

d. Is ground water with a temperature of greater than 85°F being sought? ☐ Yes ☐ No

e. If well is already drilled, when? _____; drilling firm _____;
well was drilled for (well owner) _____; Drilling Permit No. _____.

7. Description of proposed uses (if irrigation only, go to item 8):

a. Hydropower; show total feet of head and proposed capacity in kW. _____

b. Stockwatering; list number and kind of livestock. _____

c. Municipal; complete and attach the Municipal Water Right Application Checklist.

d. Domestic; show number of households _____

e. Other; describe fully. _____

8. Description of place of use:

- a. If water is for irrigation, indicate acreage in each subdivision in the tabulation below.
- b. If water is used for other purposes, place a symbol of the use (example: D for Domestic) in the corresponding place of use below. See instructions for standard symbols.

TWP	RGE	SEC	NE				NW				SW				SE				TOTALS
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
5N	4W	35		6			39	18	40	40									143

Total number of acres to be irrigated: 143

9. Describe any other water rights used for the same purposes as described above. Include water delivered by a municipality, canal company, or irrigation district. If this application is for domestic purposes, do you intend to use this water, water from another source, or both, to irrigate your lawn, garden, and/or landscaping?

Surface water shares from Farmers Cooperative Ditch Co.; ground water permit 63-33299

10. a. Who owns the property at the point of diversion? Applicant
- b. Who owns the land to be irrigated or place of use? Applicant
- c. If the property is owned by a person other than the applicant, describe the arrangement enabling the applicant to make this filing:

11. Describe your proposal in narrative form, and provide additional explanation for any of the items above. Attach additional pages if necessary.

12. Time required for completion of works and application of water to proposed beneficial use is 5 years (minimum 1 year).

13. **MAP OF PROPOSED PROJECT REQUIRED** - Attach an 8½" x 11" map clearly identifying the proposed point of diversion, place of use, section #, township & range. A photocopy of a USGS 7.5 minute topographic quadrangle map is preferred.

The information contained in this application is true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any willful misrepresentations made in this application may result in rejection of the application or cancellation of an approval.

Signature of Applicant

Print Name (and title, if applicable)

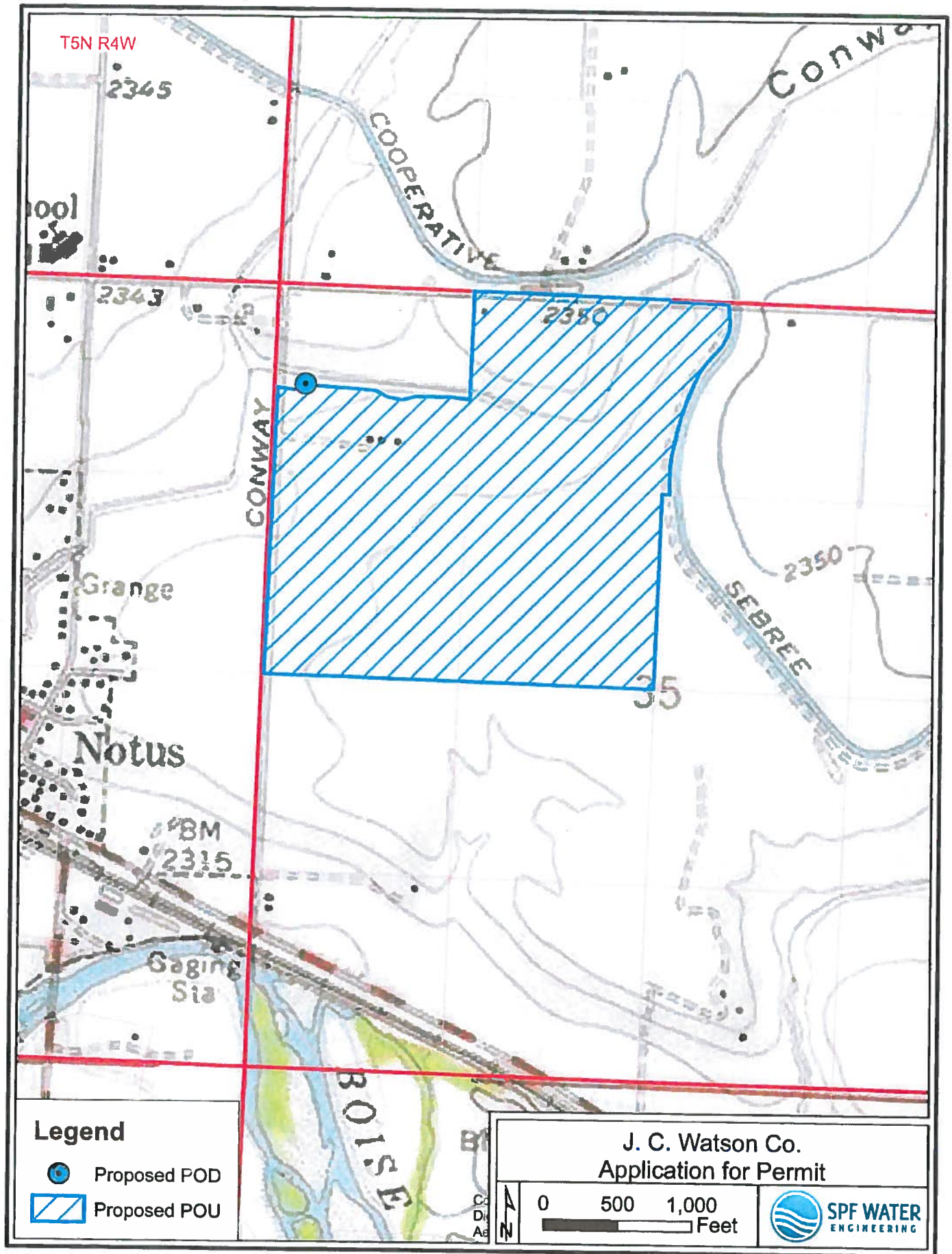
Signature of Applicant

Print Name (and title, if applicable)

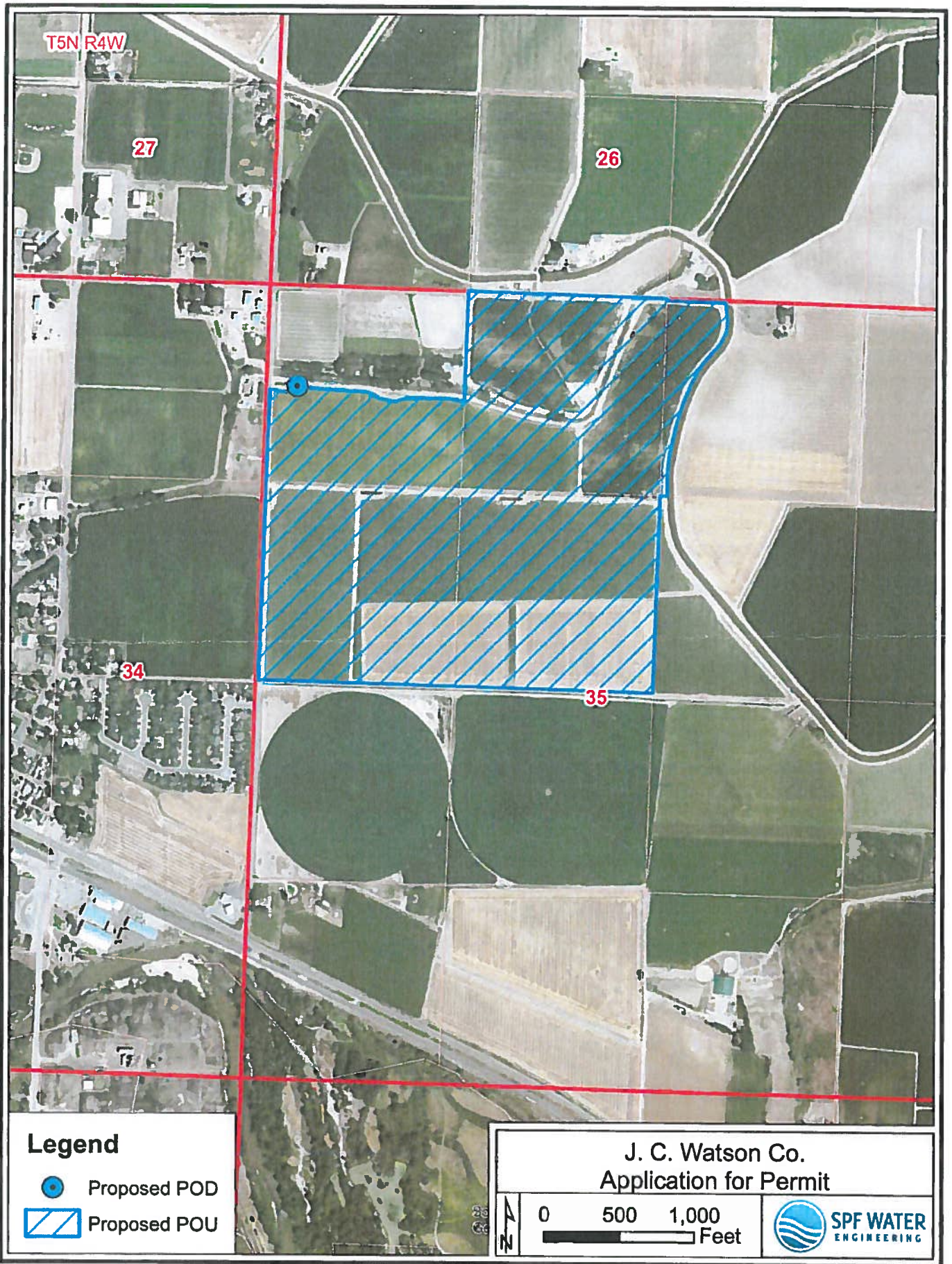
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Fee \$ 330- Receipted by CNute Receipt No. WD41886 Date 3/4/14



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Sommer, Rachel

From: Sommer, Rachel
Sent: Wednesday, June 25, 2014 12:05 PM
To: 'waterdistrict63@qwestoffice.net'
Subject: Application for Permit
Attachments: Application for Permit No. 63-33924.pdf

June 25, 2014

REX BARRIE
WATER DISTRICT #63
PO BOX 767
10769 W STATE ST
STAR ID 83669-0767

RE: Application for Permit No. 63-33924

Dear Watermaster:

The Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) is seeking written comment and/or recommendations from you regarding the above referenced water right application. A copy of the application is enclosed with this email for your reference. Please review the application, complete a recommendation form, and submit your reply, if any, to this office by July 21, 2014.

IDWR will assume you do not object to this application if a timely response is not received. Please contact me if you have any questions in this matter. Thank you for your help.

Sincerely,

Rachel Sommer

Administrative Assistant
Dept. of Water Resources
Western Regional Office
2735 Airport Way, Boise ID 83705
Phone 208-334-2190 | Fax 208-334-2348
Email: rachel.sommer@idwr.idaho.gov

Sommer, Rachel

From: Sommer, Rachel
Sent: Wednesday, June 25, 2014 12:02 PM
To: 'LEGALS@IDAHOPRESS.COM'
Subject: Canyon Legal Ad
Attachments: Canyon Cover Letter.docx; Canyon Legal Ad.docx

Good Afternoon Legal Clerk,

Please see the attached ad for publication on 7/3/2014 & 7/10/2014.

Please confirm these are okay to publish as shown.

Thank you,

Rachel Sommer

Administrative Assistant
Dept. of Water Resources
Western Regional Office
2735 Airport Way, Boise ID 83705
Phone 208-334-2190 | Fax 208-334-2348
Email: rachel.sommer@idwr.idaho.gov

June 25, 2014

LEGAL NOTICE DEPARTMENT
PRESS TRIBUNE
PO BOX 9399
NAMPA, ID 83652

RE: Application For Permit No's: 63-33924, 63-33930

Dear Legal Notice Department:

Please publish the enclosed legal notice on the dates indicated (once a week for two consecutive weekly issues). If you cannot publish the notice on the proposed dates, please contact us immediately.

An affidavit of publication must be submitted to the Department along with the publication bill. Please send the affidavit and bill to this office before 7/21/2014. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Rachel Sommer
Administrative Assistant

Enclosures

The following applications have been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho:

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J C WATSON CO INC

PO BOX 300

PARMA, ID 83660

Point of Diversion NWNW S35 T05N R04W CANYON County Source CONWAY GULCH CREEK Tributary BOISE RIVER

Use: IRRIGATION 3/01 to 11/15 2.86 CFS

Total Diversion: 2.86 CFS

Date Filed: 3/3/2014

Place of Use: IRRIGATION

T05N R04W S35 NWNE NW(ALL)

Total Acres: 143

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LAKES AT TELEGA HOA

PO BOX 57

EAGLE, ID 83616

Point of Diversion NWSW NWSW SWSE S3 T04N R02W CANYON County Source GROUND WATER

Use: DOMESTIC 01/01 to 12/31 0.32 CFS

Use: FIRE PROTECTION 01/01 to 12/31 1.12 CFS

Total Diversion: 1.44 CFS

Date Filed: 3/4/2014

Place of Use: DOMESTIC, FIRE PROTECTION

T04N R02W S3 NESE NWSE

Water bearing zone to be appropriated is from 200 to 400 feet.

Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. For additional information concerning the property location, contact Western Region office at (208) 334-2190; 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, Western Region, 2735 Airport Way, Boise ID 83705 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 7/21/2014. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

GARY SPACKMAN, Director

Published on 7/3/2014 and 7/10/2014



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May 27, 2014

Nick Van Dyke
Senior Water Resources Agent
Idaho Department of Water Resources
2735 Airport Way
Boise, ID 83705-5082

Subject: Response to information request regarding Application for Permit 63-33924

Dear Nick:

In response to your letter to J. C. Watson Company dated April 9, 2014, this letter provides additional information related to Application for Permit 63-33924 proposing diversion from Conway Gulch for supplemental irrigation.

Your letter requested the following additional information to support the application:

1. Written consent from Farmers Cooperative Ditch Company regarding use of the drain water, along with confirmation of a right-of-way for the point of diversion if necessary.
2. Further explanation on how surface water from Conway Gulch will be beneficially used for supplemental irrigation when surface water from Farmers Cooperative Ditch Company and ground water under permit 63-33299 are appurtenant to the same ground.

The additional information requested in item 1 is provided in Attachment A. In response to Item 2, the following are reasons that support beneficial use of supplemental surface water diverted from Conway Gulch:

- Surface water from Farmers Cooperative Ditch Company is subject to curtailment during short water years.
- The location of the point of diversion from Conway Gulch is more proximate to the place of use and allows greater irrigation flexibility than the ground water system proposed under permit 63-33299, and with less pumping lift.
- Two new wells are currently authorized under permit 63-33299. A third well location is currently pending Department approval under amended permit 63-33299. None of the wells have been drilled. Consequently, the resulting ground water productivity is unknown at this time and may prove to be insufficient to meet irrigation demands.

- Use of drain water, when practical based on crop type, will have a beneficial effect on Boise River water quality because it will reduce discharge of sediment and nutrients to the river.

Please contact me with any further questions. Thanks Nick.

Sincerely,



Lori Graves
Water Right Specialist

Cc: Jon Watson

File: 1075.0020

Attachment A – Authorization from Farmers Coop



ATTACHMENT A
FARMERS COOP AUTHORIZATION

Idaho Department of Water Resources
Attn: Nicholas Van Dyke
2735 Airport Way
Boise, ID 83705

Re: Application for Permit 63-33924

Dear Mr. Van Dyke:

Farmers Cooperative Ditch Company does not object to Application 63-33924 in the name of J.C. Watson Co. proposing diversion from Conway Gulch for supplemental irrigation use. At the point of diversion proposed, a right-of way from Farmers Cooperative Ditch Company is not required.

Sincerely,

Bob Thibsen President
Name & Title, Farmers Cooperative Ditch Company

14 May 2014
Date

Van Dyke, Nick

From: Van Dyke, Nick
Sent: Friday, May 02, 2014 1:35 PM
To: 'Lori Graves'
Cc: 'jon@soobrand.com'
Subject: RE: Application for Permit 63-33924

Hi Lori,

Per your request, a delay in processing the application is granted to November 9, 2014. Have a great weekend too.

Nick

From: Lori Graves [<mailto:LGraves@spfwater.com>]
Sent: Friday, May 02, 2014 11:45 AM
To: Van Dyke, Nick
Subject: Application for Permit 63-33924

Nick,

We are preparing a response to your info request letter dated April 9, 2014 for J. C. Watson Co. This email serves as a request for additional time beyond our 30-day submittal deadline of May 9, 2014. Six months would be more than sufficient. Please let me know if this request is granted. Have a great weekend.

Regards,
Lori

Lori Graves | Water Rights Specialist

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e. lgraves@spfwater.com | w. www.spfwater.com

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

Western Region, 2735 Airport Way • Boise, Idaho 83705-5082

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April 9, 2014

C. L. "BUTCH" OTTER
Governor

GARY SPACKMAN
Director

J.C. WATSON COMPANY
PO BOX 300
PARMA ID 83660

Re: Application for Permit 63-33924

Dear Applicant:

You recently filed a water right application with the Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) proposing to divert Conway Gulch water for irrigation. There are a couple items with your application that need addressed/further explanation before I can continue processing the application:

- IDWR must determine if the water you wish to appropriate is waste water available for appropriation or whether it is "live" water under control of an irrigation delivery organization to satisfy downstream users. The irrigation organization in your area appears to be Farmers Cooperative Ditch Company. The water status in your area can be determined by providing written consent from the irrigation delivery organization confirming if the water does nor does not remain under its control for other users. Also, please provide written confirmation of a right-of-way to use the ditch/drain if that conveyance is owned by the organization.
- Your application states both surface water shares from Farmers Cooperative Ditch Company and ground water permit no. 63-33299 (copy enclosed) are appurtenant to the same ground this application seeks to irrigate. Please provide further explanation on how a third source of water will be beneficially used on these acres.

Please provide the requested information within thirty (30) days. You may request up to six months additional time if necessary. The application will be voided without a timely written response. Refunds are not issued for voided applications. Please contact me at 208-334-2190 if you have any questions. Thank you for your attention to these matters.

Sincerely,

Nicholas Van Dyke
Sr. Water Resource Agent

Enclosure

c: Lori Graves – SPF Water Engineering



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IDWR Western Region Office
Attn: Rachel
2735 Airport Way
Boise, ID 83705

Subject: J. C. Watson Application for Permit

Dear Rachel,

Per our telephone conversation, attached is SPF check No. 8362 for the \$330 filing fee required for an Application for Permit we submitted February 28, 2014 on behalf of J. C. Watson Company. It is our understanding that check No. 84932 submitted with the application was made out to SPF rather than IDWR. Also, the applicant's check listed \$300 rather than the required \$330 filing fee. If the check has not been endorsed, SPF will deposit it once returned. If endorsed, we will return it to the applicant for his records.

Thank you very much for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Lori Graves
Water Rights Specialist

Cc: Jon Watson

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SPF file number: 1075.0020



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Steve Lester
IDWR Western Region Office
2735 Airport Way
Boise, ID 83705

Subject: *Application for Permit*

Dear Steve,

Enclosed on behalf of J. C. Watson Company, is an *Application for Permit* seeking authorization to divert irrigation water from Conway Gulch (aka Conway Drain and Conway Gulch Creek).

Check No. 84932 for \$300 is enclosed for the filing fee. Thank you very much for your consideration and assistance in this matter. Please call me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Lori Graves
Water Rights Specialist

Cc: Jon Watson

Enclosures

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