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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
BOISE DISTRICT – OWYHEE FIELD OFFICE
ATTN RAUL TREVINO
20 FIRST AVE WEST
MARSING ID 8369

RE: Watermaster Contact information

Dear Raul:

I didn't receive a response to my email, so I am mailing you a hard copy of the watermaster contact information. I checked with my boss, and we can't waive the headgate and measurement requirement without Watermaster Approval. That is the bad news. The good news is that water rights 57-7685 (Proj. #0075,5387,0502) and 57-7694 (Proj. #8915) are in an inactive Water District, so we will change these measurement conditions to a condition that will require a measurement device upon notification from the Idaho Department of Water Resources (Department). We just need a brief statement from you asking us to waive the measurement requirements.

Water rights 57-7692 (Proj. # 8522) and 57-7693 (Proj. #1389) are in Reynolds Creek Water District. The Watermaster is Connie Brandau, 9902 Wilson Cemetery Lane, Melba, ID, 83641, telephone number 495-2529, email CONNIEBRANDAU@Q.COM

Water rights 57-7684 (Proj. # 9074), 57-7685^b (Proj. #9072), and 57-7687 (Proj. # 9073) are in the Castle Creek Water District. The Watermaster is Mike Ihli, 625 School RD, Kuna, ID 83634, telephone number 377-1449, no email.

I would contact them as soon as possible. Thank you for your time and patience.

Respectfully,

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BLM meeting Notes from 10/30/2013

The following are the notes that I have for the BLM meeting I had with Raul Trevino Jr. from the BLM Owyhee office in Marsing concerning a number of water right permits that we need licensed. Each right has its own notes.

55-13853--- BLM Project Number -- 9643

Per a telephone call there are two ponds. Water right 55-7216 is a non-functional pond that is described incorrectly. We will need to send the appropriate forms to correct (transfer forms) to fix this situation.

55-13827 --- BLM Project Number -- 9620

Appears to need an amendment – BLM did the field work (GPS coordinates and pictures) and is sending the information in by mail.

55-13829 --- BLM Project Number -- 9859

BLM did the field work and is sending the information in by mail. BLM did the field work (GPS coordinates and pictures) and is sending the information in by mail.

55-13832 --- BLM Project Number -- ???

BLM did the field work and is sending the information in by mail. BLM did the field work (GPS coordinates and pictures) and is sending the information in by mail. Trough, Spring and Spring enclosure.

55-13839 --- BLM Project Number -- 9899

This one may need an amendment. BLM did the field work and is sending the information in by mail. BLM did the field work (GPS coordinates and pictures) and is sending the information in by mail. Pond – Will Need Pond Depth from BLM.

55-13840 --- BLM Project Number -- 9900

This one may need an amendment. BLM did the field work and is sending the information in by mail. BLM did the field work (GPS coordinates and pictures) and is sending the information in by mail. Pond – 3.5 feet depth of pond.

55-13850 --- BLM Project Number -- 9884

This one may need an amendment. BLM did the field work and is sending the information in by mail. BLM did the field work (GPS coordinates and pictures) and is sending the information in by mail. Pond – Need average depth of pond.

55-13851 --- BLM Project Number -- 9904

This one may need an amendment. BLM did the field work and is sending the information in by mail. BLM did the field work (GPS coordinates and pictures) and is sending the information in by mail. Pond – 3.5 feet depth of pond.

55-13873 --- BLM Project Number -- 9883

This one may need an amendment. BLM did the field work and is sending the information in by mail. BLM did the field work (GPS coordinates and pictures) and is sending the information in by mail. Trough and Spring.

55-13874 --- BLM Project Number – 9881 and 004139

Permit states Stockwater with a cfs rate, Permit states Stockwater Storage with a cfs rate. This one may need an amendment, but we need to see if we can correct it without an amendment if possible. BLM did the field work and is sending the information in by mail. BLM did the field work (GPS coordinates and pictures) and is sending the information in by mail. Spring and Troughs.

55-13883 --- BLM Project Number -- 006950

BLM did the field work and is sending the information in by mail. BLM did the field work (GPS coordinates and pictures) and is sending the information in by mail.

57-7684 --- BLM Project Number -- 9074

BLM did the field work and is sending the information in by mail. BLM did the field work (GPS coordinates and pictures) and is sending the information in by mail. This one needs a measurement and headgate waiver from Water District 57C Watermaster.

57-7686 --- BLM Project Number -- 9072

BLM did the field work and is sending the information in by mail. BLM did the field work (GPS coordinates and pictures) and is sending the information in by mail. This one needs a measurement and headgate waiver from Water District 57C Watermaster.

57-7687 --- BLM Project Number -- 9073

BLM did the field work and is sending the information in by mail. BLM did the field work (GPS coordinates and pictures) and is sending the information in by mail. This one needs a measurement and headgate waiver from Water District 57C Watermaster.

57-7685 --- BLM Project Number -- 0075, 5387, and 0502

BLM did the field work and is sending the information in by mail. BLM did the field work (GPS coordinates and pictures) and is sending the information in by mail. Need size of Bladder. This one needs a letter from BLM requesting a waiver of the measurement and headgate requirements due to an inactive Water District 57E.

57-7692 --- BLM Project Number -- 8522

BLM did the field work and is sending the information in by mail. BLM did the field work (GPS coordinates and pictures) and is sending the information in by mail. This one needs a measurement and headgate waiver from Water District 57R Watermaster.

57-7693 --- BLM Project Number -- 1389

BLM did the field work and is sending the information in by mail. BLM did the field work (GPS coordinates and pictures) and is sending the information in by mail. This one needs a measurement and headgate waiver from Water District 57R Watermaster.

57-7694 --- BLM Project Number -- 8915

BLM did the field work and is sending the information in by mail. BLM did the field work (GPS coordinates and pictures) and is sending the information in by mail. Need size of Bladder. This one needs a letter from BLM requesting a waiver of the measurement and headgate requirements due to an inactive Water District 57E.

I have sent contact information concerning the watermaster to Raul, and I have also sent the templates to Raul as well. The templates got there too late, but he said he would make a similar one for his work.