

## MEMORANDUM

**To:** Water Right File No(s). 63-32616  
**From:** Monica Van Bussum  
**Date:** October 29, 2012  
**Re:** Review of Application to Lease a Water Right to the State Water Supply Bank

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**PURPOSE/NARRATIVE:** On October 2, 2012, we received an application to lease 41 acres under 63-32616 to the Water Supply Bank.

**AUTHORITY TO FILE:** The applications were signed by the right holder.

**WATER RIGHT VALIDITY:** The right was partially decreed in the Snake River Basin Adjudication in 2009, so forfeiture is not a concern.

**INJURY TO OTHER WATER RIGHTS:** No injury is apparent.

**ENLARGEMENT OF USE:** No enlargement is evident through the lease alone. Proper rental review should protect against enlargement.

**LOCAL PUBLIC INTEREST:**

Review staff has no information to suggest this application is inconsistent with the local public interest.

**BENEFICIAL USE/CONSERVATION OF WATER RESOURCES:**

The lease appears consistent with the conservation of water resources in Idaho.

**DEPARTMENT STAFF OR WATERMASTER COMMENTS:**

None.