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WATER RESOURCES

DISTRICT COURT - SRBA
Fifth Judicial District
County of Twin Falls - State of Idaho

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE

STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

In Re SRBA

Case No. 39576

) ORDER OF PARTIAL DECREE FOR
) IRRIGATION DELIVERY ENTITY
) USING DIGITAL BOUNDARY
) DESCRIPTION; I.C. §§ 42-202B(2), 42-
) 219(2), 42-1411(2)(h)
)
) For Water Right: 01-10225
) (A & B Irrigation District)
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I.

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

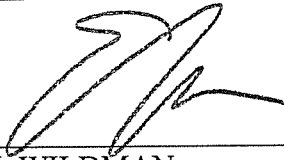
1. On February 8, 2012, a *Special Master's Report and Recommendation* was filed for the above water right. No Challenges were filed to the *Special Master's Report and Recommendation* and the time for filing Challenges has now expired.
2. The above-captioned water right is for an irrigation purpose of use and satisfies one of the following statutory criteria: (1) used in conjunction with an irrigation project where the canals constructed cover an area of twenty-five thousand (25,000) acres or more; (2) the place of use for the water right is located within an irrigation district organized pursuant to the laws of the state of Idaho; or (3) the water right is for an irrigation project developed by an association, company, corporation or the United States to divert and deliver or distribute surface water under any annual charge or rental for beneficial use by more than five (5) water users in an area less than twenty-five thousand (25,000) acres.
3. Effective July 1, 2002, the Idaho Legislature approved the use of a Geographic Information System (GIS) for describing the place of use (digital boundary) for water rights meeting the above-stated criteria. See I.C. §§ 42-219(2)(2003) and 42-1411(2)(h)(2003). The GIS mapping technology allows the geographic area encompassing the place of use for a

water right to be particularly identified and visually displayed in a map overlay format through the aid of computer technology. In incorporating a digital boundary into a partial decree, the electronic or digital data is what is actually decreed as opposed to the visually displayed map ultimately generated from the data. The data is stored on a CD-ROM. The Court finds that the GIS mapping technology maintained by IDWR complies with the standards for spatial accuracy set forth in I.C. § 42-202B (2)(2003). *See Notice of Filing Affidavit of Michael Ciscell Re: Digital Boundary, filed October 17, 2003.*

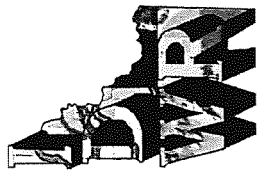
II. ORDER

1. Therefore, IT IS ORDERED that the above-captioned water right is hereby **decreed** as set forth in the attached ***Partial Decree Pursuant to I.R.C.P. 54(b)***.
2. IT IS FURTHER HEREBY ORDERED that the data comprising the digital boundary shall be stored on a CD-ROM medium, which shall be issued in duplicate original. The SRBA District Court will retain one original together with the original ***Partial Decree***, and IDWR will retain the other original. The map depicting the place of use attached to the ***Partial Decree*** is intended for illustrative purposes only.
3. IT IS FURTHER HEREBY ORDERED that upon request, the claimant can obtain a copy of the CD-ROM from IDWR at no cost, although GIS software will still be required to access the data. Subsequent administrative changes to the place of use shall also be stored in a digital format and kept on file and maintained by IDWR. IDWR shall maintain all computer software and/or hardware necessary for reducing the data to a usable format that is accessible to the general public, including access through the IDWR Internet website (www.idwr.state.id.us) or its successor Uniform Resource Locator (URL).

DATED March 30, 2012.



ERIC J. WILDMAN
Presiding Judge
Snake River Basin Adjudication



A & B Irrigation District

Adjudication Recommendations: 1-14, 1-2060, 1-10225, 1-10237, 1-10238, 1-10239, 1-10240, 1-10241

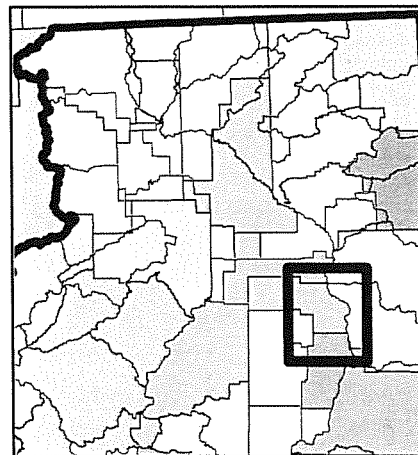
Irrigation Service Area Boundary
GIS Place of Use Illustration

Service Area



State Outline

Townships



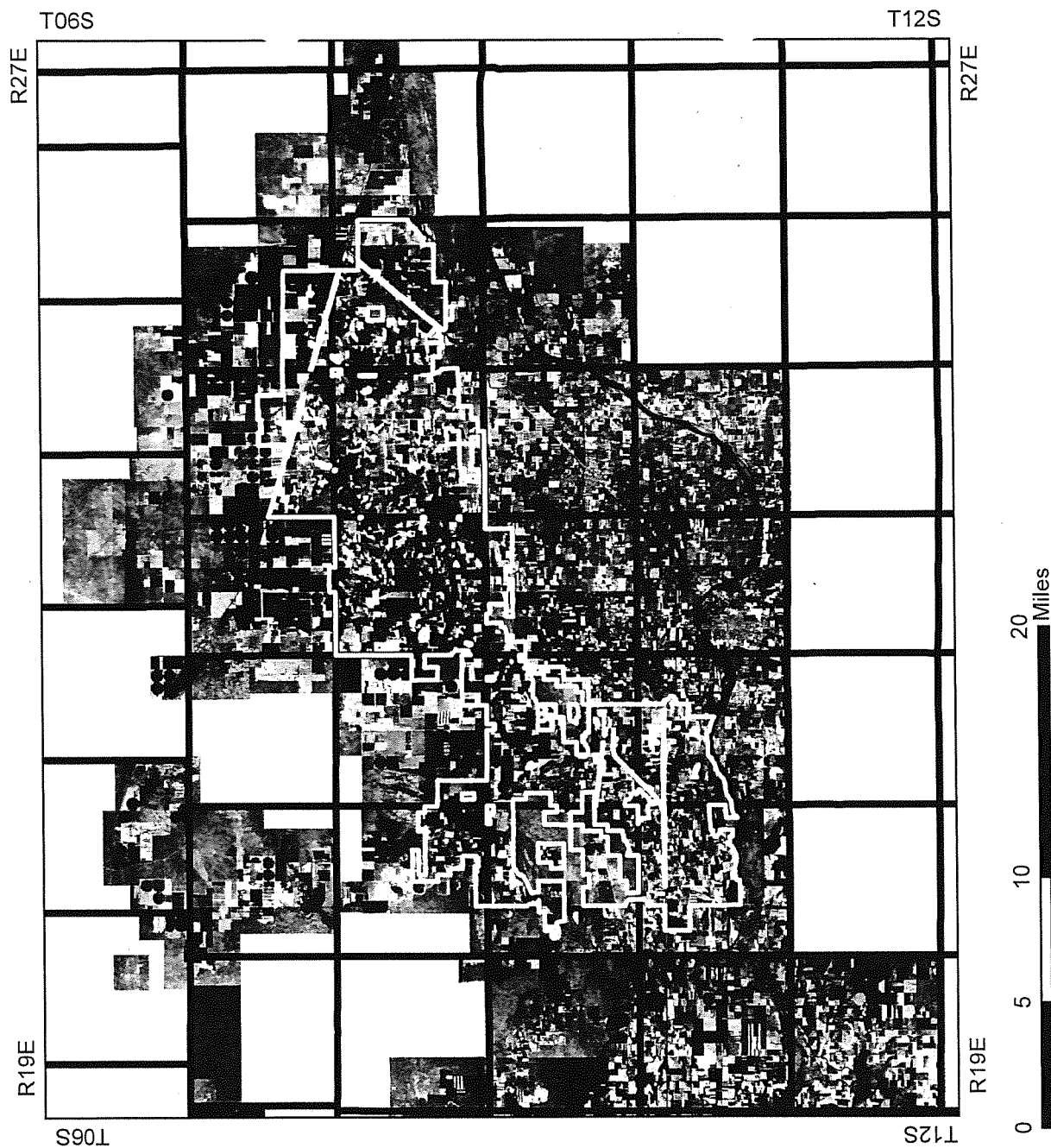
Lincoln, Minidoka, Jerome Counties

IDWR Basin 1

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PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO
I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR

Water Right 01-10225

DISTRICT COURT - SRBA
Fifth Judicial District
County of Twin Falls - State of Idaho

MAR 30 2012

By _____

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NAME AND ADDRESS:

A & B IRRIGATION DISTRICT
PO BOX 675
RUPERT, ID 83350-0675

SOURCE:

SNAKE RIVER TRIBUTARY: COLUMBIA RIVER

QUANTITY:

22.41 CFS

Use of the rights listed below is limited to a total combined
diversion rate of 269.23 cfs. Combined Right Nos.: 1-14,
1-2060, 1-10225, 1-10237, 1-10238, 1-10239, 1-10240,
and 1-10241.

PRIORITY DATE:

04/01/1984

This water right is subordinate to all water rights with a
priority date earlier than April 12, 1994, that are not decreed
as enlargements pursuant to Section 42-1426, Idaho Code. As
between water rights decreed as enlargements pursuant to Section
42-1426, Idaho Code, the earlier priority right is the superior
right.

POINT OF DIVERSION:

T10S R21E S24 LOT 2 (SESWSW) Within Jerome County

PURPOSE AND

PERIOD OF USE:

PURPOSE OF USE
Irrigation

PERIOD OF USE
03-15 TO 11-15

QUANTITY
22.41 CFS

PLACE OF USE:

82610.1 ACRES TOTAL

Place of use is within the boundary of A & B Irrigation District
pursuant to Section 43-323, Idaho Code.
The boundary encompassing the place of use for this water right
is described with a digital boundary as defined by I.C. Section
42-202B(2) and authorized pursuant to I.C. Section
42-1411(2)(h). The data comprising the digital boundary are
incorporated herein by reference and are stored on a CD-ROM disk
issued in duplicate originals on file with the SRBA District
Court and the Idaho Department of Water Resources. A map
depicting the place of use is attached hereto to illustrate the
place of use described by the digital boundary.
Place of use does not include federal public lands unless
authorized in writing by the United States Bureau of Land
Management or Bureau of Reclamation.

OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

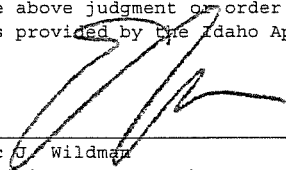
This right is based upon an enlargement of Right No. 1-14
pursuant to Section 42-1426, Idaho Code.

THIS PARTIAL DECREE IS SUBJECT TO SUCH GENERAL PROVISIONS
NECESSARY FOR THE DEFINITION OF THE RIGHTS OR FOR THE EFFICIENT
ADMINISTRATION OF THE WATER RIGHTS AS MAY BE ULTIMATELY
DETERMINED BY THE COURT AT A POINT IN TIME NO LATER THAN THE
ENTRY OF A FINAL UNIFIED DECREE. I.C. SECTION 42-1412(6).

SRBA Partial Decree Pursuant to I.R.C.P. 54(b) (continued)

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.



Eric J. Wildman
Presiding Judge of the
Snake River Basin Adjudication

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that a true and correct copy of the ORDER OF PARTIAL DECREE FOR IRRIGATION DELIVERY ENTITY USING DIGITAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION was mailed on March 30, 2012, with sufficient first-class postage to the following:

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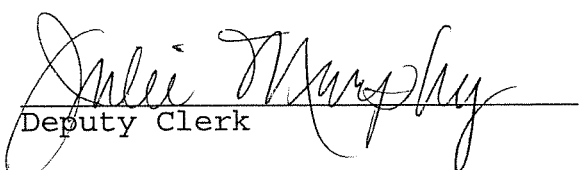
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ORDER

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