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February 24, 2012

JAMES MULLEN
WATER DISTRICT #45B
C/O OAKLEY CANAL CO.
PO BOX 207
OAKLEY, ID 83346

RE: Transfer No. 77601

Water Right No(s). 45-10598, 45-78U, 45-79U, 45-92B, 45-14383, 45-14385, 45-14387,
45-4389, 45-14391

Dear Mr. Mullen:

A copy of the above referenced application is enclosed. Please review the application, then complete the enclosed recommendation form and return it to this office within 21 days of the date of this letter.

If the application is approved, IDWR will include appropriate standard conditions of approval for a water right located within a water district, such as regulation by the watermaster, lockable controlling works, and/or measuring devices. Any special conditions or other concerns you have related to this application should be specifically addressed in your recommendation.

IDWR's regional offices can finish reviewing an unprotested application as soon as the protest period has past. Your prompt response to this request will ensure that your recommendation can be considered. If IDWR has not received your written recommendation within 21 days from the date of this letter, IDWR will presume that you do not oppose approval of the application and that you have no comments for IDWR to consider.

On a separate matter, it was noted that the department has not yet received the meeting minutes for the annual Water District meeting recently held. If the minutes have not yet been submitted to the department, please do so at your earliest convenience. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Denise Buffington
Administrative Assistant

Enclosure(s)