



## State of Idaho

# DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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Ashton Farms LLC  
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RE: Notice of Change in Water Right Ownership  
Water Rights: 22-2187, 22-7021 & 22-10971

Dear Sir/Madam:

The Idaho Department of Water Resources has recently received your Notice of Change in Water Right Ownership ("ownership change") for the water rights listed above. An initial review of the ownership change indicates that the correct filing fee must be paid before the ownership change can be completed. According to the documentation provided with your application a split will be required for water rights 22-7021 & 22-10971; as split will not be required for 22-2187.

The appropriate filing fee associated with your ownership change is \$325.00 you have already paid \$75.00 so an additional \$250.00 will be required. This is based on two water rights included in the ownership change and a fee of \$100.00 per split water right. There is also a single late fee of \$100.00 for ownership changes filed more than 120 days after the conveyance of the right. Please refer to Idaho Code § 42-248 for information regarding the filing fees and late fees associated with ownership changes.

Because the Department cannot process the ownership change without proper documents/fees, we will hold any action on your ownership change pending receipt of the necessary documents/fees. If we do not receive the requested documents/fees within 30 days, we will return your ownership change and all attachments and will refund any fees paid.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Jonie Barg  
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