



State of Idaho

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RE: APPLICATION TO LEASE WATER RIGHT NO. 36-4179 TO THE WATER SUPPLY BANK

Dear Lessor:

The Department of Water Resources ("Department") has completed its review of your application to lease the above-mentioned water right number to the Water Supply Bank ("Bank"). The offered water right is accepted into the Bank in accordance with the attached Water Supply Bank Lease Acceptance. If you do not agree with the conditions of the Lease Acceptance and would like to withdraw your water right from the Bank, you must contact the Department within thirty (30) days of receipt of this notification.

The right will automatically be released from the bank on **December 31, 2011**, unless the right is released earlier by the Board, or upon request by the lessor. To change the term of the lease or to release the right from the Bank, you must submit a request in writing to the Department prior to the release date.

In addition, this right will likely not be rented in 2011. If you seek to renew this lease for a subsequent time period, please include information about how much volume was historically used under this water right. This will better enable us to rent the right from the Bank.

Additionally, your water right is leased for industrial purposes. We will not be able to rent the water right without additional information about historic use. If you have information, please submit it to me at this office. I would find it very helpful when trying to match your water right with a rental. This information can take the form of pump records, power records, or some other documentation that indicates the amount of water used in a period of time. Additionally, information on historic consumptive use would also be very helpful.

Please review the conditions of acceptance listed on the Lease Acceptance and contact me if you have any questions at (208) 287-4907.

Sincerely,

Monica Van Bussum
Sr. Water Resource Agent

Enclosure(s)

c: Allen Merritt – IDWR Southern Regional Office