

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCESAPPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF WATER RIGHT
PART 1

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Department of Water Resources
Eastern RegionName of Applicant(s) Preston-Whitney Irrigation Company Phone: _____Mailing Address: PO Box 311, Preston, ID 83263 Email: lyleporter@plmw.com

- ☐ If applicant is not an individual and not registered to do business in the State of Idaho, attach documentation identifying officers authorized to sign or act on behalf of the applicant. Label it **Attachment #1**.
- ☐ Attach water right ownership documentation if Department records do not show the transfer applicant as the current water right owner. Label it **Attachment #2a**.
- ☐ If the ownership of the water right will change as a result of the proposed transfer to a new place of use, attach documentation showing land and water right ownership at the new place of use: Include documentation for all affected land and owner(s). Label it **Attachment #2b**.
- ☐ Attach documentation of authority to make the proposed change if the applicant is not the water right owner. Label it **Attachment #3**.

Provide contact information below if a consultant, attorney, or any other person is representing the applicant in this transfer process.

☐ No RepresentativeName of representative Robert L. Harris Phone: 208-523-0620 Email: rharris@holdenlegal.comMailing Address: Holden, Kidwell, Hahn & Crapo, P.L.L.C., PO Box 50130, Idaho Falls, ID 83405-0130☐ Send all correspondence for this application to the representative and not the applicant.

OR

☐ Send original correspondence to the applicant and copies to the representative.☐ The representative may submit information for the applicant but is not authorized to sign for the applicant.

OR

☒ The representative is authorized to sign for the applicant. Attach a Power of Attorney or other documentation providing authority to sign for the applicant and label it **Attachment #4**.

I hereby assert that no one will be injured by the proposed changes and that the proposed changes do not constitute an enlargement in use of the original right(s). The information contained in this application is true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any willful misrepresentations made in this application may result in rejection of the application or cancellation of an approval.

Robert L. Harris
Signature of Applicant or Authorized Representative

Robert L. Harris, Attorney
Print Name and Title if applicable

Signature of Applicant or Authorized Representative

Print Name and Title if applicable

A. PURPOSE OF TRANSFER

1. ☐ Change point of diversion ☐ Add diversion point(s) ☒ Change Place of use
☐ Change nature of use ☐ Change period of use ☒ Other:

2. Describe your proposal in narrative form, including a detailed description of non-irrigation uses to justify amounts transferred (i.e. number of stock, etc.), and provide additional explanation of any other items on the application. Attach additional pages if necessary and label if part 1A.2. To better define the place of use so that it accurately reflects the current place of use for the storage water right of Foster Reservoir. Water diverted and stored in Foster Reservoir is not capable of being delivered to all parts of the irrigated acreage within Preston-Whitney's service area as depicted in the

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attached GIS maps and shapefiles. The Preston-Whitney service area and its historically irrigated acres are the subject of a currently pending transfer (Transfer No. 75705). While this transfer includes the same service area to retain consistency, it does not include the same irrigated acres as Transfer No. 75075 because the irrigated acreage supplemented with storage water from Foster Reservoir is serviced out of the Fairview Lateral only.

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B. DESCRIPTION OF RIGHTS AFTER THE REQUESTED CHANGES. IF THE RIGHTS ARE BEING SPLIT, DESCRIBE PORTIONS TO BE CHANGED AS THEY WOULD APPEAR AFTER THE REQUESTED CHANGES.

1.	<u>Right Number</u>	<u>Amount</u> (cfs/ac-ft)	<u>Nature of Use</u>	<u>Period of Use</u>	<u>Source & Tributary</u>
All or part					
FOSTER RESERVOIR					
✓ ☐	<u>13-2298</u>	<u>3355 AFA</u>	<u>Irrigation Storage</u>	<u>01/01 to 12/31</u>	
			<u>Irrigation from Storage</u>	<u>04/01 to 11/01</u>	
					<u>CubRiver/Bear River</u>

2. Total amount of water being transferred or changed ____ Cubic feet per second and/or 3355 acre-feet annum.

3. Point(s) of diversion:

✓ No changes to point(s) of diversion are proposed, **but points of injection and redirection are now designated below.**

☐ Attach Eastern Snake Plain Aquifer analysis if this transfer proposes to change a point of diversion affecting the ESPA. Label it **Attachment #5.**

POD = Point of Diversion POI = Point of Injection POR = Point of Rediversion

New ?	Lot	1/4	1/4	1/4	Sec.	Twp.	Rge.	County	Source	Local name for diversion
No		NW	NE	NW	8	15S	41E	FRANKLIN	POD: CUB RIVER	CUB RIVER/GLENDALE CANAL
Yes		SE	NE	SE	10	15S	40E	FRANKLIN	POI: WORM CREEK	
Yes		NE	SW	SW	8	15S	40E	FRANKLIN	POR: WORM CREEK	BELOW GLENDALE DAM

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4. Place of use: (If irrigation, identify with number of acres irrigated per ¼ ¼ tract.)
☐ No changes to place of use are proposed - the following chart is therefore not completed. (Proceed to #5).

Twsp	Rge	Sec	NE 1/4				NW 1/4				SW 1/4				SE 1/4				Acre Totals
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
			GIS data for irrigated acres and service area are on attached CD. Supplemental irrigation is for 5,059.9 acres within the Preston-Whitney service area.																

Total Acres (for irrigation use) _____

5. General Information:

- a. Describe the complete diversion system, including how you will accommodate a measuring device and lockable controlling works should they be required now or in the future. **Cub River/Glendale Canal:** Two screw operated wood clad headgates, each approximately 6' wide, mounted on a concrete pad adjacent to a diversion check made of rock with concrete wings, in the Cub River, which diverts into a 12' x 25' canal. The measuring device is a concrete Parshall flume approximately 1000' downstream from the diversion.
Distribution System: Water stored in Foster Reservoir is first diverted under Water Right No. 13-2298 at the Glendale Canal heading, and is then injected into Worm Creek above Glendale Reservoir (which is an on-stream reservoir on Work Creek). The Foster Reservoir Water then continues down and through the Glendale Reservoir to the Glendale Dam, where it is then rediverted into a fill canal just below Glendale Dam. The Foster Reservoir Water is then delivered to the Foster Reservoir, which is an off-stream reservoir. Once in Foster Reservoir, its storage water is diverted into the Fairview Lateral for distribution to the Preston-Whitney shareholders.
- b. Who owns the property at the point(s) of diversion? Max Sharp, US Forest Service (Glendale Canal).
If other than the applicant, describe the arrangement enabling the applicant to access the property for the diversion system:
Cub River/Glendale Canal: Preston-Whitney has a permit from the US Forest Service for its right-of-way.
- c. Are the lands from which you propose to transfer the water right subject to any liens, deeds of trust, mortgages, or contracts? No.
There are no liens on the Foster Reservoir water rights.
If yes, ☐ Attach a notarized statement from the holder of the lien, deed of trust, mortgage or contract agreeing to the proposed changes on official letterhead signed by an authorized representative. Label it **Attachment #6**. List the name of the entity and type of lien: _____

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It is the applicant's responsibility to provide notice to lien holder, trustee, mortgagor, or contract holder of the proposed changes that may impact or change the value of the water rights or affected real property. Any misrepresentation or legal encumbrance on this application may result in rejection of the application or cancellation of an approval.

- d. Describe the effect on the land now irrigated if the place or purpose of use is changed pursuant to this transfer: None. The transfer more accurately documents the current place of use for supplemental storage water from Foster Reservoir.

- e. Describe the use of any other water right(s) for the same purpose or land, or the same diversion system as right(s) proposed to be transferred at both the existing and proposed point(s) of diversion and place(s) of use: All of the acreage identified in the place of use above is also serviced with storage water from Glendale Reservoir (Water Right Nos. 13-2108, 13-2288, and 13-2288A). The Glendale Reservoir storage rights are also subject to a transfer application submitted contemporaneously with this transfer. Regarding natural flow water rights, Preston-Whitney provides such water to its stockholders pursuant to Water Right Nos. 13-2, 13-3, 13-143, 13-271, and 13-2104. At a portion of the southern boundary of the service area, there are five stockholders in Preston-Whitney who also have stock in the Cub River Irrigation Company (Water Right Nos. 13-26B, 13-26C, 13-26D, 13-34A, 13-34B, 13-222, and 13-2066).

- f. To your knowledge, has/is any portion of the water right(s) proposed to be changed:

Yes No

- ☐ ☒ Undergone a period of five or more consecutive years of non-use;
- ☐ ☒ Currently leased to the Water Supply Bank;
- ☐ ☒ Currently used in a mitigation plan limiting the use of water under the right, or
- ☐ ☒ Currently enrolled in a Federal set-aside program limiting the use of water under the rights?

If yes, describe: _____

Total Acres (for irrigation use) _____

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APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF WATER RIGHT PART 3

A. PLAT MAP (See Part 3A of instructions for application for transfer for complete requirements.)

- ✓ Attach a map of the diversion, measurement, control, and distribution system. Label it **Attachment #7a**.
- ✓ If the transfer application proposes to change the place or purpose of use of an irrigation right attach a Geographic Information System (GIS) shape file, or an aerial photo or other image clearly delineating the location and extent of existing acres and changes to the place of use. Label it **Attachment #7b**. If the place of use currently consists of a permissible place of use, then the attachment is not required if the application contains a clear statement that the boundaries for the place of use are not proposed to be changed by the transfer and the total number of irrigated acres within the place of use before and after the transfer is clearly stated.

B. CHANGES IN NATURE OF USE (Water Balance)

- ☐ If you propose to change the nature of use or period of use of all or part of the right(s) listed in this application, attach documentation describing the extent of historic beneficial use of the portion of the right(s) proposed to be changed. Also attach documentation showing that the portion of the right(s) to be changed will not be enlarged in rate, volume, or consumptive use through the proposed change. Label it **Attachment #8a**.

C. PLACE OF USE CHANGES THE SUPPLEMENTAL IRRIGATION RIGHTS

- ☐ If you propose to change the place of use of a supplemental irrigation right, answer below and attach supporting documentation. Label it **Attachment #8b**.

1. Describe how the supplemental water rights have been used historically in conjunction with other water rights at the existing place of use. Describe the time during the irrigation season that the supplemental rights have been used. Include information about the availability or reliability of the primary right(s) being supplemented, both before and after the change. If the applicant is proposing to change a supplemental irrigation right to a primary right, provide the information required in Part 3B above.

N/A

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Transfer contains _____	pages and _____	attachments.	
Received by: _____	Date: _____	Prelim. Check by _____	Date: _____
Fee paid: <u>1281.00</u>	Date: <u>9/24/2010</u>	Received by: <u>B/wh</u>	Receipt # <u>8036161</u>
Add'l fee paid _____	Date: _____	Received by: _____	Receipt # _____

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**APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF WATER RIGHT
MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS CHECKLIST**

An application for transfer must be prepared in accordance with the minimum requirements listed below to be acceptable for processing by the Department. Incomplete applications will be returned. The instructions, fee schedule and water right proof report or details report for part 2A of the transfer application are available from any Department office or on the Department's website at <http://www.idwr.idaho.gov/>.

Check whether each item below is *attached* (Yes) or *not applicable* (N/A) for the proposed transfer.

- | Yes | N/A | |
|--|-------------------------------------|--|
| ☒ | ☐ | * Means the item is <u>always required</u> and must be included with the application. |
| ☒ | ☐ | * Completed Application for Transfer of Water Right form, Part 1. |
| ☒ | ☐ | * Signature of Applicant(s) or applicant's authorized representative on Application for Transfer Part 1. Include evidence of authority labeled Attachment #3 (see below) if signed by representative. |
| ☒ | ☐ | * Application for Transfer Part 2A. Attach a Proof Report (obtained from Department) or Details report (Obtained on website) describing each water right in the transfer as currently recorded.
Complete and attached an Application for Transfer Part 2B <u>for each water right</u> for which <u>only a portion</u> is proposed to be changed through this transfer application. |
| ☒ | ☐ | * Application for Transfer Part 3A is always required (see Attachment #7a below); Parts 3B and 3C must be completed for transfer applications proposing to change the nature of use of the water right(s) or proposing changes to supplemental right(s). |
| ☒ | ☐ | * Correct fee submitted with transfer application form. (Fee schedule is on website and instructions for application for transfer). |
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Attachments to Application - Label each attachment with the corresponding number shown below as Attachment #1-9 | | |
| ☐ | ☒ | #1 if the applicant is a business, partnership, organization, or association, and <u>not</u> currently registered in the State of Idaho as a business entity, attach documentation identifying officers authorized to sign or act on behalf of right holder (see Part 1.) |
| ☒ | ☒ | #2a Water Right ownership documentation if Dept. records do not show the transfer applicant as the current water right owner. |
| ☐ | ☒ | #2b if the ownership of the water right will change as a result of the proposed transfer to a new place of use, attach documentation showing land and water right ownership at the new place of use. Include documentation for all affected land and owner(s). |
| ☐ | ☒ | #3 Documentation of authority to make the change if the applicant is not the water right owner. |
| ☒ | ☐ | #4 Power of Attorney or documentation providing authority to sign or act on the applicant's behalf. (See Part 1.) |
| ☐ | ☒ | #5 if the transfer application proposes to change the point of diversion for a water right affecting the Eastern Snake Plain Aquifer (ESPA), attach the results of an ESPA analysis and a detailed mitigation plan to offset any depletions to hydraulically connected reaches of the Snake River. ESPA transfer spreadsheet and model grid labeled cells are available on the Department's website at http://www.idwr.idaho.gov/water/rights . |
| ☐ | ☒ | #6 Notarized statement of agreement or a statement on official letterhead signed by an authorized representative from each lien holder or other entity with financial interest in the water right(s) or land affected by the proposed transfer (See Part 1.5.c) |
| ☒ | ☐ | * #7a Attach a map identifying the proposed point(s) of diversion, place(s) of use, and water diversion and distribution system details as described on the application. Include legal description labels. If only a portion of the right is proposed to be changed, identify the current location of the part of the existing right(s) proposed to be changed. (See Part 3A). |
| ☒ | ☐ | #7b If the transfer application proposes to change the place or purpose of use of an irrigation right attach a Geographic Information System (GIS) shape file, or an aerial photo or other image clearly delineating the location and extent of existing acres and changes to the place of use. |
| ☐ | ☒ | #8a If the transfer application proposes to change the nature of use or period of use for one or more rights, provide documentation describing the extent of historic beneficial use for the water rights proposed to be transferred and document how enlargement will be avoided. (See Part 3B). |
| ☐ | ☒ | #8b If the transfer application proposes to change the place of use of a supplemental irrigation right, provide documentation regarding the historic use of the supplemental right(s) and availability or reliability of the primary right(s) being supplemented, both before and after the proposed change. (See Part 3C.) |
| ☐ | ☒ | #9 Other. Please describe: _____ |

Attachment No. 2a Water Right Ownership Documentation

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Water Right Report

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WATER RIGHT NO. 13-2298

<u>Owner Type</u>	<u>Name and Address</u>
Current Owner	PRESTON WHITNEY IRRIGATION CO 33 SOUTH 1 EAST PRESTON, ID 83263

Priority Date: 02/11/1957

Basis: License

Status: Active

<u>Source</u>	<u>Tributary</u>
CUB RIVER	BEAR RIVER

<u>Beneficial Use</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Diversion Rate</u>	<u>Volume</u>
IRRIGATION STORAGE	4/01	11/01		3355 AFA
IRRIGATION FROM STORAGE	4/01	11/01		3355 AFA
Total Diversion			3355 AFA	

Location of Point(s) of Diversion:

CUB RIVER	NENW	Sec. 08	Township 15S	Range 41E	FRANKLIN County
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Place(s) of use:

Place of Use Legal Description: IRRIGATION FROM STORAGE FRANKLIN County

<u>Township</u>	<u>Range</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Lot</u>	<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Lot</u>	<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Lot</u>	<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Lot</u>	<u>Tract</u>	<u>Acres</u>
15S	39E	9		SWNE	8		SENE	34						

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	NESW	8	SESW	32					
	NESE	38	NWSE	37	SWSE	32	SESE	26	
10	NWNW	28	SWNW	37	SESW	36			
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	NWSE	36	SWSE	37	SESE	38			
11	SWSW	35							
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			2	SWNW 37			

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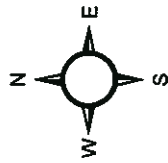
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Attachment No. 4 Power of Attorney

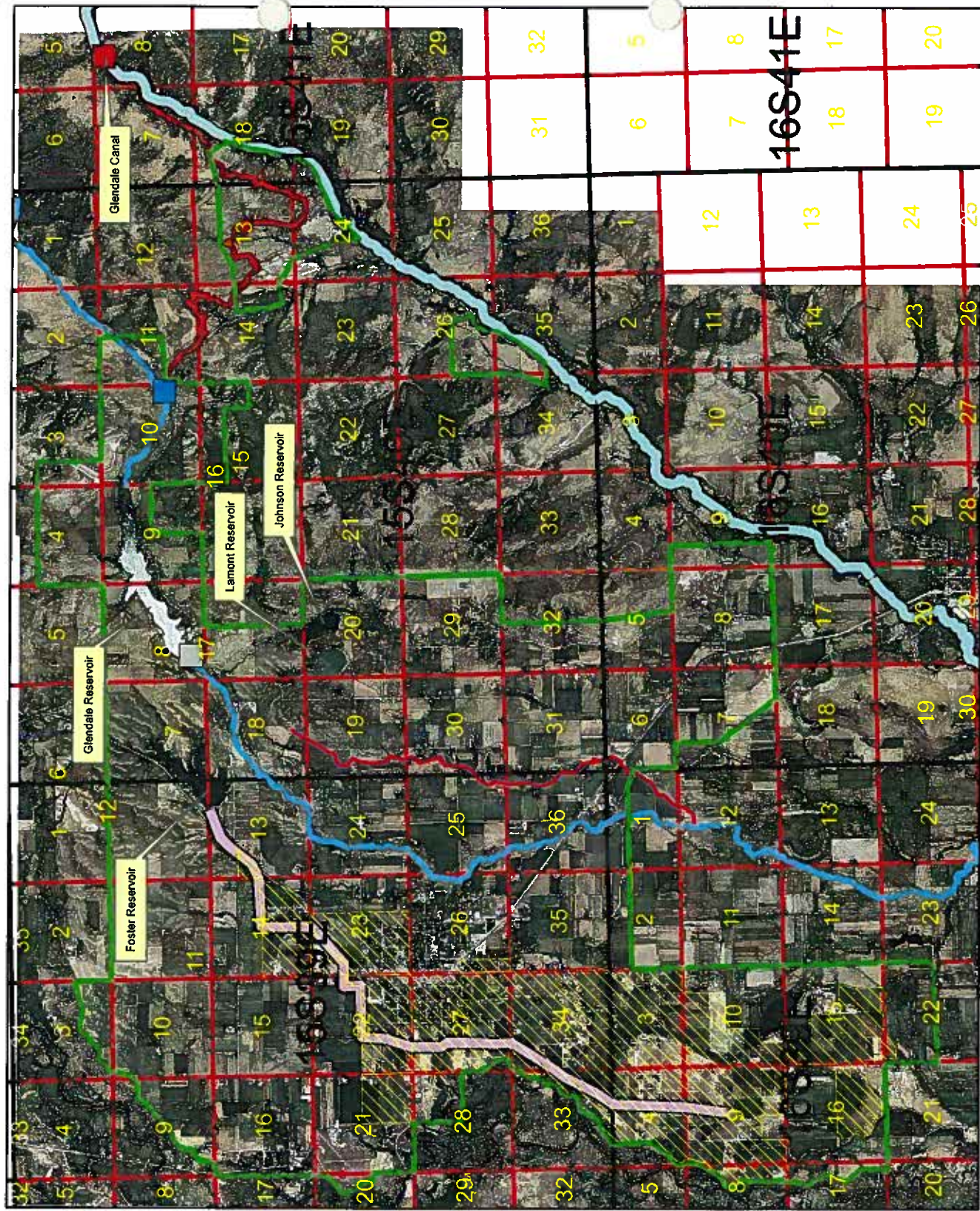
Attachment No. 7a Map - Proposed POD

PRESTON-WHITNEY FOSTER STORAGE WATER TRANSFER

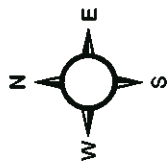


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- Foster_POI
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- Service Area
- Foster_Irr_Acres
- Cub_River
- Worm_Creek
- Spring_Creek
- Glendale_Canal
- Fairview_Lateral
- godb_tr
- godb_sections

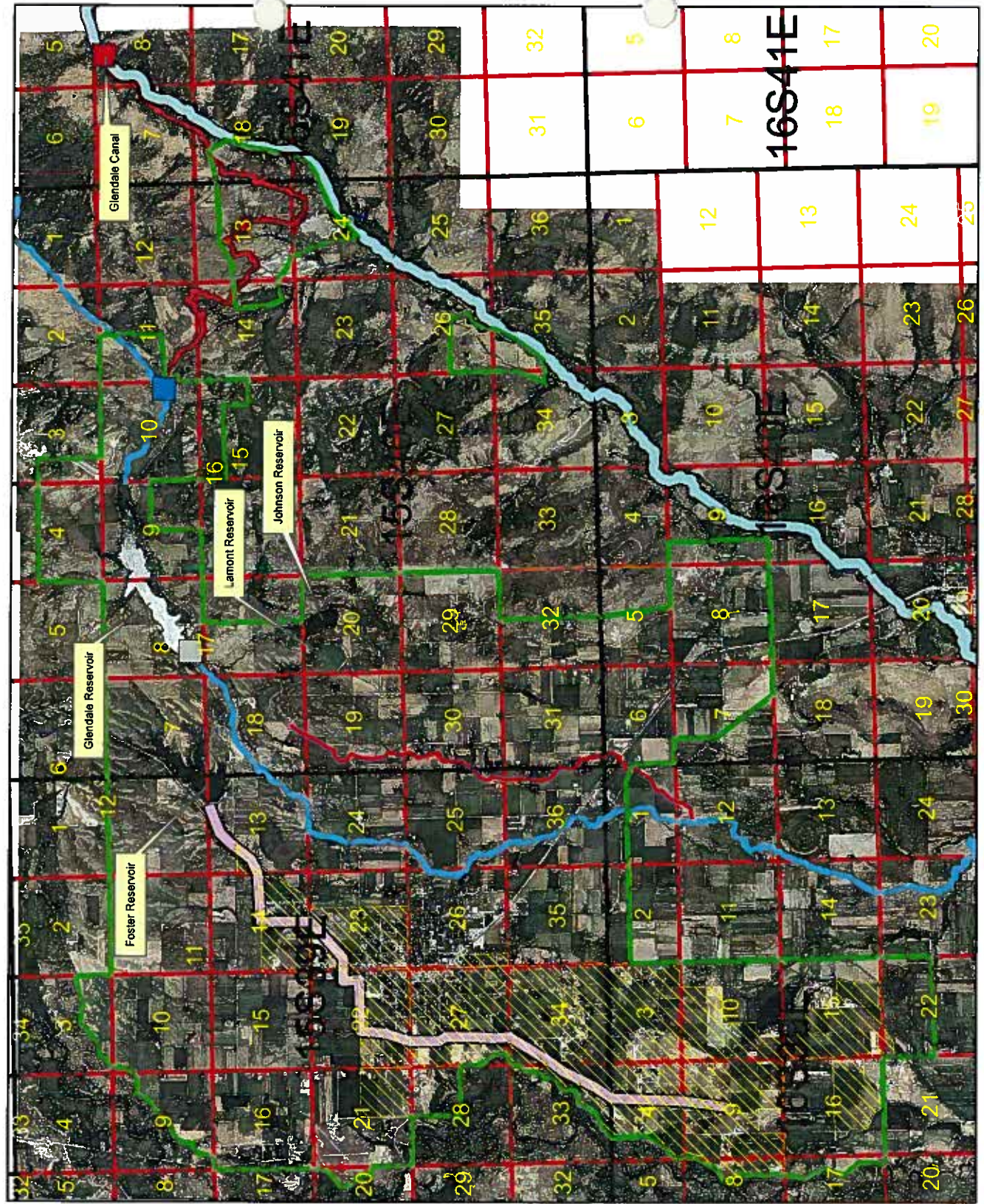


PRESTON-WHITNEY FOSTER STORAGE WATER TRANSFER



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GIS Shape File



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Idaho Department of Water Resources
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RE: Applications for Water Right Transfer for Preston-Whitney Irrigation Company
Storage Water Rights.

Dear Dave:

Enclosed for processing are three Applications for Transfer for storage water rights owned by the Preston-Whitney Irrigation Company. We have also enclosed the appropriate filing fee for each transfer.

In order to provide some brief background that may assist in your review of these transfers, Preston-Whitney owns and operates three reservoirs. As you are aware, earlier this year, we filed an Amended Application for Transfer for some of Preston-Whitney's natural flow rights in order to better define their service area and document their historic irrigated acreage. We are now seeking to do the same thing with the Company's storage rights, but because there are three separate reservoirs, each with their own water rights, we felt it would be easier to submit these applications by reservoir: (1) Glendale; (2) Foster' and (3) LaMont.

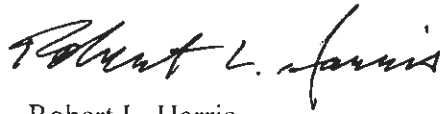
Please note that the irrigated acreage from the storage water is different than the irrigated acreage of the Company's natural flow rights. This is because some of the irrigated acreage is located above the upper most reservoir, Glendale Reservoir, and therefore cannot be irrigated with storage. My clients have carefully reviewed aerial GIS maps, and we believe we have accurately documented the places of use where the various storage rights can be utilized. It is important to note that Glendale Reservoir water is capable of being distributed to nearly the entire Preston-Whitney system, other than the acreage above the reservoir. The Foster Reservoir and LaMont Reservoirs only deliver their storage water to specific locations, which are identified on the transfers.

With each transfer, we have attached CDs with the various GIS shapefiles we have utilized in order to prepare the required maps and perform the necessary calculations. If you have any issues with the shapefiles on the CDs, please let us know, and we can provide you additional copies.

Please also note that the LaMont will require a lien holder authorization. We are in the process of obtaining that, and will provide it to you when we receive it.

Lastly, the Preston-Whitney Irrigation Company system is somewhat complicated. We have done our best in each transfer to explain how water is diverted into these storage reservoirs, and thereafter how it is distributed. If you have any questions, or require any additional detail, please let me know. We appreciate your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please give us a call.

Best Regards,



Robert L. Harris
HOLDEN, KIDWELL, HAHN & CRAPO, P.L.L.C.

Enclosures



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Governor

GARY SPACKMAN
Interim Director

October 13, 2010

PRESTON WHITNEY IRRIGATION CO
PO BOX 311
PRESTON, ID 83263

RE: Transfer No. 76835, 76834 and 76833

Dear Applicant(s):

The Department of Water Resources has received your water right transfer application. Please refer to the transfer number referenced above in all future correspondence regarding this transfer.

A legal notice of the application has been prepared and is scheduled for publication in the PRESTON CITIZEN on October 20 and 27, 2010, IDAHO STATESMAN, LEWISTON TRIBUNE, POST-REGISTER, TIMES NEWS on October 21 and 28, 2010. Protests to this application may be submitted for a period ending ten (10) days after the second publication.

If the application is protested, you will be sent a copy of each protest. All protests must be resolved before the application can be considered for approval. If the protest(s) cannot be resolved voluntarily, the Department will conduct a conference and/or hearing on the matter.

Please contact this office if you have any questions regarding the application.

Sincerely,

Sharla Cox
Administrative Assistant

CC: Robert L Harris
Holden Kidwell Hahn & Crapo
PO Box 50130
Idaho Falls ID 83405-0130



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TROY FOSTER
WATER DISTRICT 13A
2063 E 1600 S
PRESTON, ID 83263

RE: Applications for Transfer 76833, 76834, 76835

Dear Watermaster:

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.

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 during regional review. 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.

Please contact this office if you have any questions regarding the application.

Sincerely,

Dave Carlson
Water Resources

Enclosure(s)

DC:sc

Cox, Sharla

From: Cox, Sharla
Sent: Wednesday, October 13, 2010 10:12 AM
To: 'legals@magicvalley.com'
Subject: Legal Ad for your paper

Contacts: Times News



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October 13, 2010

LEGAL NOTICE DEPARTMENT
TIMES NEWS
PO BOX 548
TWIN FALLS, ID 83303-0548

RE: Transfer No. 76833, 76834, 76835,
Water Right No(s). 13-2108, 13-2288, 13-2288A, 13-2291, 13-2298

Dear Legal Notice Department:

Please publish the enclosed legal notice on the dates indicated (once a week for two consecutive weekly issues). If you cannot publish the notice on the proposed dates, please contact us immediately.

An affidavit of publication must be submitted to the Department along with the publication bill. Please send the affidavit and bill to this office before November 8, 2010. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Sharla Cox
Administrative Assistant

Enclosure(s)

Cox, Sharla

From: Cox, Sharla
Sent: Wednesday, October 13, 2010 10:11 AM
To: 'Post Register (legalnotices@postregister.com)'
Subject: Legal Ad for your paper

Contacts: Post Register



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October 13, 2010

LEGAL NOTICE DEPARTMENT
POST-REGISTER
PO BOX 1800
IDAHO FALLS, ID 83402

RE: Transfer No. 76833, 76834, 76835,
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Administrative Assistant

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Cox, Sharla

From: Cox, Sharla
Sent: Wednesday, October 13, 2010 10:03 AM
To: 'klewis@lmtribune.com'
Subject: Legal Ad for your paper

Contacts: Lewiston Morning Tribune

October 13, 2010

Legal Notice Department
LEWISTON MORNING TRIBUNE
505 C ST PO BOX 957
LEWISTON ID 83501

RE: Legal Ad

Dear LEGAL NOTICE DEPARTMENT:

Enclosed you will find a legal notice which we wish to have published in your newspaper on the dates indicated (once a week for two consecutive weekly issues). If you cannot publish the notice on the proposed dates, please contact us immediately.

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGE OF WATER RIGHT

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The purpose of the transfer is to change a portion of the above rights as follows:

The applicant proposes to change the place of use by defining the area and the storage water rights of Glendale Reservoir. The points of diversion remain the same, but are identifying points of injection and redirection. 6000 af. The place of use is within the service area of the Preston Whitney Irrigation Co for 16,666.3 acres.

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The purpose of the transfer is to change a portion of the above rights as follows:

The applicant proposes to change the place of use by defining the area and storage water right of Lamont Reservoir. The points of diversion remain the same, but are identifying points of injection and redirection. 2407.5 af. The place of use is within the service area of the Preston Whitney Irrigation Co for 4156.2 acres.

TRANSFER NO. 76835

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The purpose of the transfer is to change a portion of the above rights as follows:

The applicant proposes to change the place of use by defining the area and storage water right for Foster Reservoir. The points of diversion remain the same, but are identifying points of injection and redirection. 3355 af. The place of use is within the service area of the Preston Whitney Irrigation Co for 5059.9 acres.

Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Idaho Code Sec. 42-222.

Any protest against the proposed change must be filed with the Department of Water Resources, Eastern Region, 900 N Skyline Dr Ste A, Idaho Falls ID 83402 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before **November 8, 2010**. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

GARY SPACKMAN, Interim Director

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LEGAL NOTICE DEPARTMENT
LEWISTON TRIBUNE
505 C ST PO BOX 957
LEWISTON, ID 83501

RE: Transfer No. 76833, 76834, 76835,
Water Right No(s). 13-2108, 13-2288, 13-2288A, 13-2291, 13-2298

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Sent: Wednesday, October 13, 2010 10:02 AM
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Subject: Legal Ad for your Paper

Contacts: Idaho Statesman



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LEGAL NOTICE DEPARTMENT
IDAHO STATESMAN
PO BOX 40
BOISE, ID 83707

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Subject: Legal Ad for your paper

Contacts: Preston Citizen



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October 13, 2010

LEGAL NOTICE DEPARTMENT
PRESTON CITIZEN
PO BOX 472
PRESTON, ID 83263

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