

**STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES**

Transfer No. 75920

Amended

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS CHECKLIST
TO BE SUBMITTED WITH APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER**

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, Part 2A reports and additional Part 2B forms 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 | |
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| ☒ | ☐ | * 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 Part 2A report describing each water right in the transfer as currently recorded. |
| ☐ | ☒ | Complete and attach 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.) |

Attachments to Application - Label each attachment with the corresponding number shown below as Attachment #1-9.

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| ☐ | ☒ | #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: _____ |

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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

Transfer No. 75920

APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF WATER RIGHT
PART 1

Name of Applicant(s) Donald Miller PRES. PLANTSOURCE FLORIS GILL Phone 208-830-6644

Mailing address 1912 N. 17th St., Boise, ID 83702 Email _____

- ☐ 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 Representative

Name of Representative Lori Graves, SPF Water Engineering Phone 208-383-4140

Mailing address 300 E. Mallard Dr., Ste 350, Boise, ID 83706 Email lgraves@spfwater.com

☐ Send all correspondence for this application to the representative and not to 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.

[Signature] Signature of Applicant or Authorized Representative
Donald Miller Print Name and Title if applicable
6/9/10 Date

Signature of Applicant or Authorized Representative

Print Name and Title if applicable

Date

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 it **Part 1A.2**. For mining flexibility, additional points of diversion (pods) are being proposed. The proposed pods are hydraulically connected and tributary to Granite Creek. Water at these sites has resulted from mine developments also known as the Iowa and Sunshine Adits.

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PART 1 Continued

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.	Right Number	Amount (cfs/ac-ft)	Nature of Use	Period of Use	Source & Tributary
All or Part ☒ ☐	63-2338	2.0 cfs	Mining	3/01 to 11/30	Granite Cr.-Boise R.
☐ ☐				to	Unnamed Strms.-Granite Cr.
☐ ☐				to	
☐ ☐				to	
☐ ☐				to	
☐ ☐				to	
☐ ☐				to	
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Total authorized under rights 2.0 cfs and/or _____ ac-ft

2. Total amount of water proposed to be transferred or changed 2.0 cubic feet per second and/or _____ acre-feet per annum.

3. Point(s) of Diversion:

- ☐ No changes to point(s) of diversion are proposed-the following chart is therefore not completed. (Proceed to #4.)
☐ Attach Eastern Snake Plain Aquifer analysis if this transfer proposes to change a point of diversion affecting the ESPA.
 Label it **Attachment #5**.

New ?	Lot	¼	¼	¼	Sec	Twp	Rge	County	Source	Local name or tag #
No		NE	SE	NW	9	7N	4E	Boise	Granite Creek	
No		NE	NW	SE	9	7N	4E	Boise	Granite Creek	
No			SW	NE	9	7N	4E	Boise	Granite Creek	
Yes			SW	NE	9	7N	4E	Boise	Unnamed Stream	Iowa Adit
Yes			NW	SE	9	7N	4E	Boise	Unnamed Stream	Sunshine Adit

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.)

Twp	Rge	Sec	NE ¼				NW ¼				SW ¼				SE ¼				Acre Totals
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
7N	4E	9			M					M						M			

Total Acres (for irrigation use) _____

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PART 1 Continued

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: Water proposed from the adits will gravity flow to pump systems and be used for mine processing. Current diversions on Granite Creek are directly pumped. Flowmeters will be installed if necessary.

b. Who owns the property at the point(s) of diversion? Applicant
If other than the applicant, describe the arrangement enabling the applicant to access the property for the diversion system: _____

c. Are the lands from which you propose to transfer the water right subject to any liens, deeds of trust, mortgages, or contracts?
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: _____

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 of 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: _____

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) use: 63-2117 diverted from Confederate Gulch Creek also used for mining

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

Yes No

- | | | |
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| ☐ | ☒ | 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: Applicant will request IDWR to release a portion of water right 63-2338 from the Idaho Water Supply Bank for dust control purposes upon approval of this transfer application. Currently, all processing is done off site. When on-site processing resumes, the remaining water right will be withdrawn from the bank.

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APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF WATER RIGHT
 PART 2

A. DESCRIPTION OF RIGHT(S) AS RECORDED

For each water right listed in Part 1B.1 of the application, attach a **Part 2A** report obtained from any Department office or from the Department's website @ <http://www.idwr.idaho.gov/>, Water Right Transfers, Step 1. Insert Part 2A reports into the application following Part 1.

B. IF ONLY A PORTION OF THE RIGHT IS PROPOSED TO BE CHANGED, DESCRIBE THE PORTION BEING CHANGED AS IT APPEARS BEFORE THE REQUESTED CHANGES

- ☐ Complete and attach one copy of Part 2B for each right for which only a portion is proposed to be changed. If the entire right is proposed to be changed, Part 2B is not applicable. Additional copies of the **Part 2B** form can be obtained from any Department office or from the Department's website @ <http://www.idwr.idaho.gov/>, Water Right Transfers, Step 3, or Water Right Forms, Changes in Use. Insert completed Part 2B forms into the application following Part 2A of the same water right.

Right Number: _____

1. amount _____ (cfs/ac-ft) for _____	purposes from _____	to _____
amount _____ for _____	purposes from _____	to _____
amount _____ for _____	purposes from _____	to _____
amount _____ for _____	purposes from _____	to _____
amount _____ for _____	purposes from _____	to _____
amount _____ for _____	purposes from _____	to _____
amount _____ for _____	purposes from _____	to _____
amount _____ for _____	purposes from _____	to _____

2. Lands irrigated or place of use: (If irrigation, identify with number of acres irrigated per ¼ ¼ tract.)

Twp	Rge	Sec	NE ¼				NW ¼				SW ¼				SE ¼				Acre Totals
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	

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 rights(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 TO 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 on Part 3B above.:

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Transfer contains 2 pages and 2 attachments.

Received by Western Date 6/22/2010 Prelim. Check by KW Date 7/8/2010

Fee Paid \$290. Date 8/14/2009 Received by DB Receipt # W037801

Add'l Fee Paid _____ Date _____ Received by _____ Receipt # _____

Part 2A

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IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
Water Right Report

7/20/2009

WATER RIGHT NO. 63-2338

Owner Type	Name and Address
Current Owner	JESSE HAMILTON 781 N ASHTREE WAY BOISE, ID 83712 (208) 429-6562
Current Owner	DONALD MILLER 781 N ASHTREE WY BOISE, ID 83712 (208) 429-6562
Original Owner	GOLD HILL & IONA MINES CO QUARTZBURG, ID

Priority Date: 11/12/1919
Basis: Decreed
Status: Active
Water Supply Bank Status: Active

Source	Tributary
GRANITE CREEK	GRIMES CREEK

Beneficial Use	From	To	Diversion Rate	Volume
MINING	03/01	11/30	2 CFS	
Total Diversion			2 CFS	

Location of Point(s) of Diversion:

GRANITE CREEK	SWNE	Sec. 09	Township 07N	Range 04E	BOISE County
GRANITE CREEK	NESENW	Sec. 09	Township 07N	Range 04E	BOISE County
GRANITE CREEK	NENWSE	Sec. 09	Township 07N	Range 04E	BOISE County

Place(s) of use:

Place of Use Legal Description: MINING BOISE County

Township	Range	Section	Lot	Tract	Acres	Lot	Tract	Acres	Lot	Tract	Acres	Lot	Tract	Acres
07N	04E	9		SWNE										
				SENEW										
				NWSE										

Conditions of Approval:

- C05 RIGHT INCLUDES ACCOMPLISHED CHANGE IN PLACE OF USE PURSUANT TO SECTION 42-1425, IDAHO CODE.
- C18 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. SECTION 42-1412(6), IDAHO CODE
- C04 RIGHT INCLUDES ACCOMPLISHED CHANGE IN PURPOSE OF USE PURSUANT TO SECTION 42-1425, IDAHO CODE.
- THE PLACE OF USE DOES NOT INCLUDE A USE ON FEDERAL PUBLIC LAND.
- C03 RIGHT INCLUDES ACCOMPLISHED CHANGE IN POINT OF DIVERSION PURSUANT TO SECTION 42-1425, IDAHO CODE.

Dates:

Licensed Date:
Decreed Date: 04/24/2003
Permit Proof Due Date:
Permit Proof Made Date:
Permit Approved Date:
Permit Moratorium Expiration Date:
Enlargement Use Priority Date:
Enlargement Statute Priority Date:
Water Supply Bank Enrollment Date Accepted:
Water Supply Bank Enrollment Date Removed:
Application Received Date:
Protest Deadline Date:
Number of Protests: 0

Other Information:

State or Federal: S
Owner Name Connector:
Water District Number:
Generic Max Rate per Acre:

Generic Max Volume per Acre:
Civil Case Number:
Old Case Number:
Decree Plaintiff:
Decree Defendant:
Swan Falls Trust or Nontrust:
Swan Falls Dismissed:
DLE Act Number:
Cary Act Number:
Mitigation Plan: False

Water Supply Bank:
Lessor Name(s): DONALD MILLER
JESSE HAMILTON
Lease Status: Active
Lease Amount: All
Rental Availability: All
Date Received: 4/26/2007
Lease Begin Date: 4/26/2007
Expiration Date: Indefinite

