

MEMORANDUM

TO: File
FROM: Monica Van Bussum
DATE: July 15, 2010
RE: Licensing 63-31957

This memo serves to document recommendations for licensing 63-12560.

Applicant: Assignment of permit processed.

POD/Source: As permitted. This well is not shared with other water rights.

Water Use: Change in nature of use from domestic to municipal. Per conversation with Shelley Keen 7/22/2010, the fire protection does not get converted to municipal. This issue is similar to that of a City of Eagle application for 63-32089. Per the final order issued for that application for permit on February 26, 2008, on pages 11 and 12, "Recognizing the entire 6.68 cfs for fire protection within the broad municipal definition would create a de facto water right for reasonably anticipated future needs. The fire protection portion of the appropriation should be separately identified and limited as water that can only be used to fight a fire or prevent an existing fire from spreading." Therefore, I was able to make the change from domestic to municipal, but left fire protection as a second use.

However, an amendment will be needed to properly make the change from domestic to municipal, so I have prepared one.

POU: The well was developed only to serve the subdivision and has not been incorporated into the larger City of Meridian system, so the place of use is limited to the subdivision, as permitted.

Conditions: I have retained the permitting condition regarding fire protection.