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ATTN: LEGALS
IDAHO MOUNTAIN EXPRESS
PO BOX 1013
KETCHUM ID 83340

Ladies and Gentlemen:

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 at 736-3033. An affidavit of publication must be submitted to the Department along with the publication bill. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Mary A. Baldwin
Administrative Assistant

NOTICE OF APPLICATIONS

The following applications have been filed concerning water rights within Blaine County.

Application for Permit No. 37-22500

GREG DUNFIELD

1700 7TH AVENUE SUITE 2075

SEATTLE WA 98101

Point of Diversion and Place of Use: NESE, S12, T04N, R17E

Source: GROUND WATER

Use: HEATING, 01/01 to 12/31 (0.94 CFS)

Use: COOLING, 01/01 to 12/31(0.94 CFS)

Total Diversion: 0.94 CFS

Date Filed: 3/31/2010

Application for permit seeks to drill a new well to divert 0.94 cfs for heating and cooling purposes. The permit would authorize a groundwater supply for non-consumptive use in a closed-loop heat exchanger for the Northwood Apartments. Location of the proposed well is approximately ½ mile north of Ketchum just west of HWY 75 off Northwood Way.

Application for Permit No. 37-22459

SUN VALLEY RANCH, LLC

PO BOX 4380

KETCHUM ID 83340

Sun Valley Ranch LLC has filed an application for permit (37-22459) for additional uses of 76.36 cfs (water already diverted under existing irrigation rights) and storage of 815.5 AF to be associated with ponds and stream features. These waters are diverted from the Big Wood River, Black Slough, Willow Creek, Crystal Creek, Spring Creek and ground water. The proposed uses are for aesthetic, wildlife, and recreational uses in new and existing ponds and open water features.****Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. Protests against a proposed Application for Permit may be submitted based on the criteria of Idaho Code § 42-203A.****A series of 11 companion transfers have also been filed by **Sun Valley Ranch LLC and Spring Creek Idaho Ranch LLC (PO BOX 4380; KETCHUM ID 83340)** which seek a change in the nature of use of portions of existing water rights from pasture irrigation (209.5 acres will be dried up) to the consumptive needs of the ponds and water features described in application for permit 37-22459. (Transfers 75838, 75839, 75840, 75849, 75850, 75851, 75852, 75853, 75854, 75855, and 75856 can be viewed on-line at www.idwr.idaho.gov <<http://www.idwr.idaho.gov>>). Location of the area is within Sections 2, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 21, and 22, Township 01 South, Range 18 East. This is in the vicinity of the flashing light intersection of HWY 75 and HWY 20, lying west and mostly north, locally known as Spring Creek Ranch and the old Diamond Dragon Ranch.******Transfer 75838** deals with a recommended right from Black Slough, Crystal Creek and Willow Creeks for the combined diversion of 4.8 cfs for irrigation of 227 acres within a 401 acre place of use. Transfer reduces irrigation by 4.2 acres and converts 0.14 cfs to uses in the ponds. ******Transfer 75839** deals with 2 recommended rights from Willow Creek for the combined diversion of 1.36 cfs for irrigation of 68 acres within a 332 acre place of use. Transfer seeks to make a larger permissible place of use of 558.6 acres. ******Transfer 75840** deals with four recommended rights from Black Slough and Willow Creek for the combined diversion of 11.6 cfs for irrigation of 360 acres within a permissible place of use. Transfer reduces irrigation by 17 acres, creates a new permissible place of use, and converts 0.54 cfs to uses in the ponds. ******Transfer 75849** deals with 12 recommended rights from the Big Wood River for the combined diversion of 39.4 cfs for the irrigation of a combined total of 1084.1 acres. Transfer reduces irrigation by 105.1 acres and converts 3.82 cfs to uses in the ponds.******Transfer 75850** deals with 3 recommended rights from the Big Wood River for the combined diversion of 5.5 cfs for the irrigation of 184.2 acres. Transfer reduces irrigation by 13 acres and converts 0.39 cfs to uses in the ponds.******Transfer 75851** deals with 1 recommended ground water right for the diversion of 1.65 cfs and 289.1 af for the irrigation of 82.5 acres. Transfer reduces irrigation by 15.3 acres and converts 0.30 cfs and 53.4 af to uses in the ponds.******Transfer 75852** deals with 1 recommended ground water right for the diversion of 3.1 cfs and 542.5 af for the irrigation of 155 acres within a 406.3 acre place of use. Transfer reduces irrigation by 34.1 acres and converts 0.68 cfs and 119.4 af to uses in the ponds.******Transfer 75853** deals with 1 recommended ground water right for the diversion of 2.37 cfs and 414.8 af for the irrigation of 118.5 acres. Transfer reduces irrigation by 2.4 acres and converts 0.05 cfs and 8.4 af to uses in the ponds.******Transfer**

75854 deals with 1 recommended right from Crystal Creek for the diversion of 3.0 cfs for the irrigation of 96 acres. Transfer reduces irrigation by 8.6 acres and converts 0.27 cfs to uses in the ponds.*******Transfer 75855** deal with 1 recommended right from Crystal Creek for the diversion of 1.6 cfs for the irrigation of 65 acres. Transfer reduces irrigation by 0.1 acre and converts 0.01 cfs to uses in the ponds.*******Transfer 75856** deals with 2 recommended ground water rights for the diversion of 3.34 cfs and 858.0 af for the irrigation of 175.1 acres. Transfer reduces irrigation by 9.7 acres and converts 0.25 cfs and 63.3 af to uses in the ponds. Location of the area is within Sections 2, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 21, and 22, Township 01 South, Range 18 East. This is in the vicinity of the flashing light intersection of HWY 75 and HWY 20, lying west and mostly north, locally known as Spring Creek Ranch and the old Diamond Dragon Ranch.*****Protests against a proposed Application for Transfer may be submitted based on the criteria of Idaho Code Sec. 42-222. *****For specific details regarding an application, please contact IDWR Southern Regional Office at 208-736-3033. Any protest against the approval of an application must be filed with the Director, Dept. of Water Resources, Southern Region, 1341 Fillmore St, Suite 200, Twin Falls ID 83301 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for **each** application on or before 5/24/2010. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

GARY SPACKMAN, Interim Director

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