

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCESTransfer No. 76422APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF WATER RIGHT
PART 1Name of Applicant(s) Charles W. Higham Phone 208-357-3401Mailing address 370 North State Street, Shelley Idaho 83274 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 RepresentativeName of Representative Matt Woodard Phone 208-552-0891 ext. 713Mailing address 151 North Ridge Avenue, Suite 120, Idaho Falls, ID 83402 Email mwoodard@tu.org

- ☒ 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.

Matt Woodard
Signature of Applicant or Authorized Representative

Matt Woodard Project Manager
Print Name and Title if applicable

3-29-2010
Date

Signature of Applicant or Authorized Representative

Print Name and Title if applicable

Date

A. PURPOSE OF TRANSFER

- ☒ Change point of diversion ☐ Add diversion point(s) ☐ Change place of use
☐ Change nature of use ☐ Change period of use ☐ Other _____
- 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**. The purpose of the transfer is to provide a more suitable location in which to construct a new diversion that will be fish friendly, have both upstream and downstream fish passage, and install a fish screen on the outgoing diversion ditch to eliminate fish being lost down the ditch.

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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 ☒ ☐	23-64	2.4cfs	Irrigation	04/15 to 10/31	Rainey Creek
☒ ☐	23-11392	0.50 CFS	STOCK	01/01 to 12/31	rainey creek
☐ ☐				to	
☐ ☐				to	
☐ ☐				to	
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Total authorized under rights 2.4 cfs and/or _____ ac-ft

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

3. Point(s) of Diversion: *New POD Description location listed below.*

- ☐ 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 #
yes		SW	SW	SE	33	2N	44E	Bonneville	Rainey Creek	Glen Bills /Tom Weeks

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	

Total Acres (for irrigation use) _____

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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: The new diversion will be built with a sliding (waterman) type control gate with a control wheel at the top for raising and lowering the gate.

If it should be necessary to lock the control wheel that can be easily accommodated.

- b. Who owns the property at the point(s) of diversion? Celeste Beam

If other than the applicant, describe the arrangement enabling the applicant to access the property for the diversion system:

Celeste Beam provides access to the diversion point for water regulation and for regular maintenance activities of the diversion.

- 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: N/A

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: N/A

- 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: N/A

- 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:

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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 1/4 1/4 tract.)

Twp	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	

Total Acres (for irrigation use) _____

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PART 2A**

Current Water Right No.: 23-64**Current Owner:** CHARLES W HIGHAM**Priority Date:** 6/15/1898**Origin:** Water Right**Status:** Active**Basis:** Decreed**Source**

RAINEY CREEK

Tributary

SOUTH FORK SNAKE RIVER

Beneficial Use

IRRIGATION

From To

04/15 to 10/31

Diversion Rate

2.4 CFS

Annual Volume

Total Diversion

2.4 CFS

Location of Point(s) of Diversion

RAINEY CREEK

SE1/4SE1/4SW1/4

Sec. 33, Twp 02N, Rge 44E B.M.

BONNEVILLE County

Place of UseIRRIGATION Within BONNEVILLE County

T01N R44E S4

SWNW

40.00

T01N R44E S4

NWSW

40.00

T01N R44E S4

SWSW

39.00

Total Acres: 119

Conditions of Approval:

1. 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.

Decreed Date: 10/21/2004

Transfer No. 76422
Receipt No.E035615

**IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
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PART 2**

Current Water Right No. 23-11392

Priority Date: June 15, 1898
Origin: Water Right
Basis: Decreed
Status: Active

Source: RAINEY CREEK

Tributary: SOUTH FORK SNAKE RIVER

<u>Beneficial Use</u>	<u>From To</u>	<u>Diversion Rate</u>	<u>Volume</u>	<u>Subuse Code</u>
STOCKWATER	01/01 12/31	0.50 CFS		
	Total Diversion	0.50 CFS		

Source and Point(s) of Diversion:

RAINEY CREEK SESESW Sec. 33 Twp 02N Rge 44E BONNEVILLE
County

PLACE OF USE: STOCKWATER

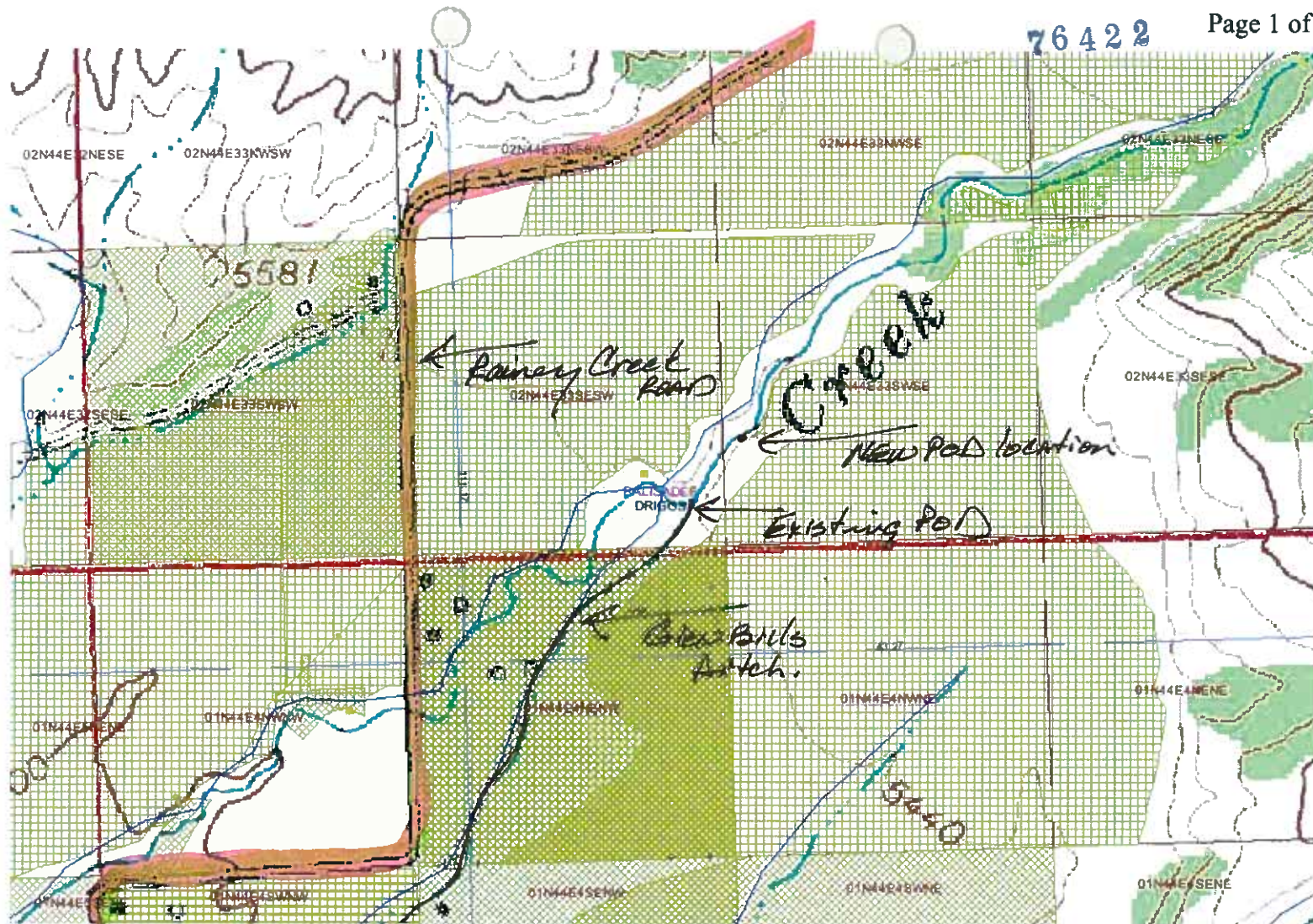
Twp Rge Sec	NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
01N 44E 4							X				X	X					

Conditions/Remarks:

1. 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.
2. Stockwater use is for 50 cattle and horses.
3. Right Nos. 23-64 and 23-11392 are limited to a total combined diversion rate of 2.4 cfs.
4. The quantity of water decreed for this water right is not a determination of historical beneficial use.

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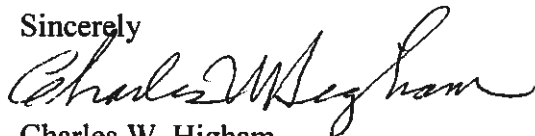
New Location of Colen Bolls Pond -
Township 2 North
Range 44 East
Section 33
SWSESE

March 24, 2010

Dear Mr. Woodard

I hereby authorize Matt Woodard as my personal representative to complete the transfer of my water right on Rainey Creek 250 feet upstream to a more suitable location. Should there be any questions in this matter feel free to contact me at 357-3401.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Charles W. Higham".

Charles W. Higham

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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 ☐* Means the item is always required 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 for each water right for which only a portion is proposed to be changed through this transfer application. Part 2B forms are available on the Department's website at: http://www.idwr.idaho.gov/WaterManagement/WaterRights/WaterRightTransfers/PDFs_09/WaterRight_TransferApp_Part2B.pdf.
- ☐ * 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.

- ☐ ☒ #1 If the applicant is a business, partnership, organization, or association, and not 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/WaterManagement/WaterRights/WaterRightTransfers/wrt_default.htm.
- ☐ ☐ #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: _____