



State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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January 6, 2003

H HART
1025 E 2500 S
HAGERMAN ID 83332

RE: Change in Ownership of Decreed Water Rights 36-2366C and 36-11250

Dear Mr. Hart:

The Department of Water Resources acknowledges receipt of your Notice of Change in Water Right Ownership. Our review of your notice indicates that additional information is required before we can process the change. The information required is indicated below:

- ✓ **Filing Fee** of \$25 per water right (for water right 36-11250)
- ✓ **Filing Fee** of \$100 per water right for changes resulting from division of a water right (for water right 36-2366C)
- ✓ **Evidence of Water Right Ownership:** copy of Warranty Deed, Title Policy, Contract of Sale, or other legal document indicating your ownership of the property and/or water rights in question
- ✓ **Legal Description of Property**

During our review of the documentation you submitted we found some discrepancies between that documentation and the legal description of the place of use for the water right(s) indicated in your notice. I have enclosed a copy of the water right(s) for your reference.

The Deed of Trust that was furnished is not proof of ownership and is being returned to you. Please send a copy of a Warranty Deed or other legal document showing ownership of the property. The legal description provided in the Schedule A attachments is incomplete as it does not include Section 1 of the property.

Please review the enclosed change of ownership request form that we are returning to you and complete the required information in section 6 on page 2. This will tell us how you wish the splitting of WR 36-2366C to be handled.

Effective July 1, 2000, the legislature enacted House Bill No. 545 requiring a filing fee for a change in water right ownership. The fee is **\$25** per water right, except for ownership changes resulting in the division of a water right, which is **\$100** per water right. All ownership change notices received after June 30, 2000 must include the appropriate filing fees in order to be processed. We have determined that the filing fee for your notice will be **\$125.00**.

Because the Department cannot process the ownership change without proper documentation, we will hold any action on your notice pending receipt of the necessary information. Please respond to our office within 30 days.

Please note that water right owners are required to report any change in water right ownership and/or mailing address to the Department within 120 days of the change. Failure to report these changes could result in a \$100 late filing fee. Contact any office of the Department or visit the Department's homepage (<http://www.idwr.state.id.us>) on the Internet to obtain the proper forms and instructions.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please call me at 208-327-7941.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kari Lynn Townsend", with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

Kari Lynn Townsend
Secretary

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Enclosures