

M E M O R A N D U M

Date: December 17, 2008
To: Transfer 75169
From: bjordan
Re: Transfer Evaluation

This transfer proposes to add an additional POD and list the existing wells as PODs on each of the City of Rigby's water rights. Applicant will be using 3 existing wells and will construct a new well. The new well will connect to the existing supply system. Rights involved are:

25-4009
25-4010
25-7523
25-10496

Authority to File:

Applicant is the owner of record for water right 25-4009 (decreed), 25-4010 (decreed), 25-7523 (license), and 25-10496 (decreed). Application was signed by Ryan H. Brown who is the City of Rigby's Mayor.

Water Right Validity:

Water rights 25-4009, 25-4010 and 25-10496 have been decreed in 2005 and water right 25-7523 licensed. City of Rigby is current owner of all involved water rights. Forfeiture is not an issue. Nature of use is municipal.

Injury to Other Water Rights:

inside the ESPA area and in Water District 120. Not necessary to run ESPA model. PODs are within adjacent cells from one another. Will request Watermaster comment. Advertise to determine protest.

Enlargement of Use:

There is no evidence of enlargement of use.

Local Public Interest:

No issues identified.

Beneficial Use / Conservation of Water Resources:

No issue identified.

Review of the application finds there is not clear inconsistency with criteria set forth in Section 42-222 Idaho Code preventing processing of this application.