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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).

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Sincerely,

Mary A. Baldwin
Administrative Assistant

NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGE TO WATER RIGHTS

Notice is hereby given that two Applications for Transfer have been filed with the Idaho Department of Water Resources for changes to water rights within Blaine County. **THE BRETT & PATRICIA BASHAW FAMILY TRUST, C/O GERALD BASHAW, PO BOX 767; PICABO ID 83348 has filed Application No. 74773.** Application proposes to create a permissible place of use and combine diversion points for an existing irrigation system. The application proposes to include potential irrigated lands while remaining at the limits set forth by the water rights. The application proposes to increase the permissible place of use to 200.1 acres while still being limited to 158.2 acres in an irrigation season. The current and proposed place of use is located approximately 0.6 to 1.5 miles north of Picabo. The current points of diversion proposed to be combined are approximately located the following distances from Picabo: 0.75 miles north, 0.7 miles north, 0.2 miles east and 0.5 miles north, 0.2 miles east and 1.5 miles north, 2.1 miles west and 1.0 mile north, and 2.2 miles west and 1.0 mile north. **HARRY & DIANE RINKER REVOCABLE TRUST, PO BOX 7250; NEWPORT BEACH CA 92658 has filed Application No. 74871.**

Transfer proposes creating a 161 acre permissible place of use on land located approximately one mile south of Bellevue along the east side of Gannet Highway. In total, three Big Wood River rights (totaling 6.7 cfs) and portions of four other Big Wood River rights (totaling 1.61 cfs) will be diverted via the District Canal (diversion located just west of Bellevue) and a portion of a groundwater right (0.26 cfs diverted from a new well to be drilled on the property) will be utilized to irrigate the 161 acre permissible place of use. The transfer proposes rearranging the place of use of three Big Wood River rights on the property to allow for the irrigation of 141 acres within the 161 acre permissible place of use. A 20 acre portion of the four Big Wood River rights and the groundwater right currently appurtenant to the adjacent farm to the south will be moved to the property to irrigate the remaining 20 acres within the 161 acre permissible place of use. *****For specific details regarding an application, please contact IDWR Southern Regional Office at 208-736-3033 or visit the website for the Department at <http://www.idwr.idaho.gov/apps/ExtSearch/WRFiling.asp> Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-222, Idaho Code. Protests against approval must be filed with IDWR, Southern Region, 1341 Fillmore St.- Suite 200; Twin Falls, ID 83301 with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before January 5, 2009. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

David R. Tuthill, JR., Director

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