

MEMORANDUM

TO: Transfer No. 74579

FROM: Sharla Curtis

DATE: October 6, 2008

RE: Evaluation of Sufficiency of Information Submitted

The transfer proposes to add a second spring (point of diversion) to the domestic right. The applicants indicate that the second pod was listed on the claim record but was not recommended and subsequently decreed with the second point. In actuality, the claim record listed the point of diversion as the SWNE and the recommendation was for the SENW. The transfer will identify both points of diversion for this right.

The site is approximately 1½ miles southwest of the Oxbow on the Salmon River.

There is no contact listed other than the applicants themselves.

Summary of Information Submitted

Authority to File: The applicant has supplied a warranty deed showing ownership of the property and the water right record has been updated accordingly.

Water Right Validity: Right presumed to be valid because the partial decree was issued on 2/20/2008 within the past five year period.

Injury to Other Water Rights: No injury is anticipated.

Enlargement of Use: No enlargement is proposed; transfer simply authorizes the use of a second point of diversion (spring) which is located on the applicants own property.

Local Public Interest: There is nothing to suggest that this application is not within the local public interest.

Beneficial Use/Conservation of Water Resources: The application proposes beneficial use(s) consistent with conservation of water resources in Idaho.

Review of the application finds there is no clear inconsistency with criteria of I. C. § 42-222 preventing processing of the application.

Additional Information/Analysis/Summary

Watermaster comments not required; this right is not located within a water district.

Data entry affected the correct record. The right was partially decreed earlier this year and the record was migrated to WR records accordingly.

Assuming protests are not filed and/or other information does not contradict the above analysis, the application can be approved as reflected by the draft approval.