

MEMORANDUM

Date: September 09, 2008
To: Transfer 75066
From: bjordan
Re: Transfer Evaluation

This transfer proposes to combine all municipal water rights to four existing wells (change point of diversion) and one new well (add point of diversion). The addition of a new well under existing water rights can be used as a standby well. The proposed new well (well # 5) is located at 01N 37E 31 NWNESE.

Authority to File:

Applicant is the owner of record as far as order of partial decree.

Water Right Validity:

This water right was decreed in the SRBA in 2007. Air photos from 2006 show the city of Shelley's service area. Forfeiture is not an issue. Water rights nature of use is municipal.

Injury to Other Water Rights:

Inside the ESPA area and in Water District 120. Well changes and the addition of the new point of diversion go from adjacent cells to adjacent cells. No groundwater model analysis is needed. 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.