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DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

To appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho

1. Name of Applicant City of Homedale Phone (208)-880-2719
Mailing address 31 West Wyoming Avenue, P.O. Box 757, Homedale, ID 83628 Email cityofhomedale@cableone.net
2. Source of water supply Groundwater from Basin 57 which is a tributary of N/A
3. Location of point of diversion is Township 3 North Range 5 West Sec. 04, in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$,
SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Govt. Lot 6 County, Owhyee
additional points of diversion if any: Riverside Well (Water Right No. 57-7048)
4. Water will be used for the following purposes:

Amount <u>1.14</u> for <u>Municipal Use</u> purposes from <u>01/01</u> to <u>12/31</u> (both dates inclusive)
(cfs or acre-feet per year)
Amount _____ for _____ purposes from _____ to _____ (both dates inclusive)
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5. Total quantity to be appropriated is (a) 1.14 and/or (b) _____
cubic feet per second acre feet per year
6. Proposed diverting works:
 - a. Describe type and size of devices used to divert water from the source 40 horsepower submersible pump
 - b. Height of storage dam _____ feet; active reservoir capacity _____ acre-feet;
total reservoir capacity Water will be pumped into City's distribution system, current reservoir capacity 800,000 gallons.
 - c. Proposed well diameter is 8 inches inches; proposed depth of well is _____ feet
 - d. Is ground water with a temperature of greater than 85°F being sought? No
 - e. If well is already drilled, when? _____; Drilling firm _____;
Well was drilled for (well owner) _____; Drilling Permit No. _____
7. Time required for completion of works and application of water to proposed beneficial use is 1 years (minimum 1 year)
8. Description of proposed uses (if irrigation only, go to item 9):
 - a. Hydropower; show total feet of head and proposed capacity in kW. _____
 - b. Stockwatering; list number and kind of livestock. _____
 - c. Municipal; show name of municipality. City of Homedale, Idaho
 - d. Domestic; show number of households. _____
 - e. Other; describe fully. _____

290.00

9. Description of place of use:

- a. If water is for irrigation, indicate acreage in each subdivision in the tabulation below.
- b. If water is used for other purposes, place a symbol of the use (example: D for Domestic) in the corresponding place of use below. See instructions for standard symbols.

TWP	RGE	SEC	NE				NW				SW				SE				TOTALS
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	
3N	5W	4			M		M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	
3N	5W	3											M	M					
3N	5W	9	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	
3N	5W	10			M		M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M		M	M	M	

Total number of acres to be irrigated: _____

10. Describe any other water rights used for the same purposes as described above. Include water delivered by a municipality, canal company, or irrigation district. If this application is for domestic purposes, do you intend to use this water, water from another source, or both, to irrigate your lawn, garden, and/or landscaping? Water Right # 57-7027 0.67 cfs, #57-7656 0.24 cfs, #57-10393 0.89 cfs, #57-7048 0.04 cfs. _____

11. a. Who owns the property at the point of diversion? City of Homedale, Idaho
- b. Who owns the land to be irrigated or place of use? City of Homedale, Idaho
- c. If the property is owned by a person other than the applicant, describe the arrangement enabling the applicant to make this filing: _____

12. Describe your proposal in narrative form, and provide additional explanation for any of the items above. Attach additional pages if necessary.

By obtaining the proposed water rights the City of Homedale would be able to supply additional quality water their existing distribution system. Once incorporated into the system the water would be used to meet their growing needs for quality drinking water, municipal irrigation, and increased fire flow volumes.

13. **MAP OF PROPOSED PROJECT REQUIRED** - Attach an 8½"x11" map clearly identifying the proposed point of diversion, place of use, section #, township & range. (A photocopy of a USGS 7.5 minute topographic quadrangle map is preferred.)

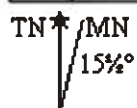
BE IT KNOWN that the undersigned hereby makes this application for permit to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho as herein set forth.

Larry Bauer
Signature of Applicant

LARRY BAUER PWS
Print Name (and title, if applicable)

For Department Use:

Received by DB/KC Date 8-25-08 Time 10:50 Am Preliminary check by SL
 Fee \$ 290 - Receipted by DB Receipt No. W036917 Date 9-15-08
 Publication prepared by DB Date 10/31/08 Published in OWYHEE AVALANCHE
 Publication approved _____ Date _____ Dates Published NOVEMBER 5 & 12, 2008



57-11752

Buffington, Denise

From: Buffington, Denise
Sent: Friday, October 31, 2008 8:46 AM
To: owyheeavalanche@cableone.net
Subject: Legal Notices
Attachments: Owyhee County - Cover Letter.RTF; 57-11747 Ad.RTF; 57-11752 Ad.RTF; X-fer 73418 Ad.doc; X-fer 73806 Ad.doc; X-fer 75197 Ad.doc

Attached please find (5) legal notices, being submitted for publication. Please contact me if you are not able to run the notices on the dates requested.

Thank you,

Denise Buffington
Idaho Department of Water Resources
Western Region

10/31/2008

October 31, 2008

Legal Notice Department
OWYHEE AVALANCHE
PO BOX 97
HOMEDALE ID 83628

RE: Application for Permit No. 57-11747 & 57-11752

RE: Transfer No. 73418
Water Right No(s). 51-2212 51-2211

RE: Transfer No. 73806
Water Right No(s). 2-10349

RE: Transfer No. 75197
Water Right No(s). 2-10347

Dear LEGAL NOTICE DEPARTMENT:

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). If you cannot publish the notice on the proposed dates, please contact us immediately.

An affidavit of publication must be submitted to the Department along with the publication bill. Please send the affidavit and bill to this office before 11/24/2008. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Denise Buffington
Administrative Assistant

The following application(s) have been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho:

57-11752

CITY OF HOMEDALE
31 W WYOMING AVE
PO BOX 757
HOMEDALE ID 83628

Point(s) of Diversion SESE S4 T03N R05W OWYHEE County Source GROUND WATER

Use: MUNICIPAL 01/01 To 12/31 1.14 CFS

Total Diversion: 1.14 CFS

Date Filed: 09/15/2008

Place Of Use: MUNICIPAL

T03N R05W S10 SWNE Lot 5 NENW Lot 6 NWNW SWNW SENW NESW NWSW SWSW SESW NWSE Lot 4
SWSE SESE Lot 3

T03N R05W S3 SWSW Lot 8

T03N R05W S4 NWNW Lot 3 SWNW SENW Lot 4 NESW NWSW SWSW SESW NESE Lot 6 NWSE Lot 5
SWSE SESE

T03N R05W S9 NENE NWNE SWNE SENE NENW NWNW SWNW SENW NESW NWSW SWSW SESW
NESE NWSE SWSE SESE

Remark: Municipal use is for applicants service area.

Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Sec 42-203A, Idaho Code.

Any protest against the approval of this application must be filed with the Director, Dept. of Water Resource, Western Region, 2735 Airport Wy, Boise ID 83705 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 11/24/2008. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

DAVID R. TUTHILL, JR., Director

Published on November 5th & 12th, 2008

Lester, Steve

From: Rachael J. McIntyre [rachaelm@cableone.net]
Sent: Tuesday, October 28, 2008 3:04 PM
To: Western Info
Subject: Attn Steve Lester

This is in regards to your e-mail that was sent on 10/28/2008 to the City of Homedale.

2) The approximate depth of the new well will be 250 feet.

3) You can disregard the comment about the Riverside well.

4) Larry Bauer is the Public Works Supervisor/Director for the City of Homedale. He is authorized to sign paperwork by Mayor Harold Wilson.

Please contact us if you have any further questions.

Western Info

From: Western Info
Sent: Tuesday, October 28, 2008 12:10 PM
To: 'cityofhomedale@cablone.net'
Subject: Attn. Mayor Wilson or Mr. Bauer - New City Well, #2 message

Importance: High

Sir(s):

I just sent you an email seeking more information about your application for a new water right for the City. I listed 4 items needing attention.

Please disregard item #1 about needing more water or not. I goofed by not paying closer attention to your application remarks in which you state you need more water to handle growth. Sorry about my mistake.

Just respond to items 2 through 4 and I can expedite your application for a new right.

Thanks for bearing with me.

Steve Lester
Water Rights Supervisor
IDWR Western Region
tel: 208.334.2190
fax: 208.334.2348
email: westerninfo@idwr.idaho.gov

Western Info

From: Western Info
Sent: Tuesday, October 28, 2008 12:04 PM
To: 'cityofhomedale@cableone.net'
Subject: Attn. Mayor Wilson or Mr. Bauer - New City Well



Dear Sir(s):

I received your letter to expedite your application for a new water right for a municipal well and will be glad to expedite it as requested. A few items need attention for expediting to start as follows.

1) The Mayor's letter mentions a new well is needed to "provide the community with *quality* (emphasis added) drinking water." To obtain a new water right, you need to provide brief information showing you need an additional *quantity* of water. If you do not need more flow capacity but instead need a new well for quality or other non-quantity purposes, an Application for Transfer would be the correct filing to make. A transfer would allow adding a new well under similar rights you hold for wells in Owyhee County. A transfer would not authorize any additional quantity of water beyond your Owyhee County municipal wells. I can help you with the transfer approach if that is what you need. But some information about the need for increasing your municipal water quantity will help with the application for a new water right instead of a transfer. So the issue is a new well for convenience/efficiency etc. (transfer) or a new well because you are short of water due to growth (new right).

2) What is the approximate estimated depth for the proposed 8" well?

3) The application lists the proposed new well site but also includes a comment about additional points of diversion for your new filing - "Riverside Well (Water Right No. 57-7048)." I do not know what that comment means and what, if any, bearing it has on the new application. Right 57-7048 is for the Municipal Park irrigation well, and that well is in a different location than your proposed municipal well. Should I disregard the comment about Riverside Well?

4) Larry Bauer signed the application and listed PWS after his name. Please explain his title and authority to sign for the City.

You can email your reply to me to speed things up. Please put Attn. Steve Lester in the email subject line so I get it without delay. Also, please feel free to call if you have any questions.

Thank you for your help.

Steve Lester
Water Rights Supervisor
IDWR Western Region
tel: 208.334.2190
fax: 208.334.2348
email: westerninfo@idwr.idaho.gov

disregard #1 & more & - see message #2

Harold S. Wilson
Mayor

Alice E. Pegram
City Clerk-Treasurer



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Homedale, Idaho 83628

cityofhomedale@cableone.net

Phone 208-337-4641
Fax 208-337-5904

October 21, 2008

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WATER RESOURCES
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Steve Lester
Water Rights Supervisor
Idaho Department of Water Resources
Western Regional Office
2735 Airport Way
Boise, Idaho 83705

RE: Expedited application review

Dear Mr. Lester:

On August 25, 2008, the City of Homedale delivered an Application for Permit to the Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR), Western Regional Office in Boise. The intent of this application was to procure water rights to allow for the drilling and construction of a new Riverside Well to supplement the City's potable water supply. Due to a misunderstanding regarding fee payment, the initial review of this application was delayed. This misunderstanding has been resolved and the proper fees have been paid to IDWR by the City of Homedale.

The purpose of this letter is to request that the review of the Application for Permit be expedited to compensate for any time lost due to the initial confusion over the payment fee. Agency reviews conducted by the Department of Environmental Quality and United States Department of Agriculture/Rural Development are also required for the construction of this well and are in the process of being finalized.

Any assistance you may be able to provide in this matter would be greatly appreciated. The City needs to move forward with the construction of this project. Additional water the New Riverside Well will provide to The City's potable water supply is needed to better provide the community with quality drinking water.

Sincerely,

Harold S. Wilson
Mayor, City of Homedale