

MEMORANDUM

Date: February 21, 2008
To: Water Right File 1-10542
From: nvandyke
Re: S.O. Review

Application increases rate of water entering the Gem Lake Harbor site near Idaho Falls for what we have on record to what is actually being diverted.. Right is for non-storage, flow thru recreational use. Permit shares p/d with water right 1-7103. See memo dated 8/10/2007 from C. G. Brockway for measurement analysis regarding this permit in water right folder 1-10542.

This afternoon I spoke for a few minutes with Eastern Region Manager and WDO1 Watermaster Dyle Swank about this application. He does not see a need to subordinate this use to future upstream depletionary uses. There is always 25.8 cfs and plenty more in the river at this location, and the water is only out of the river for approximately half a mile.

Shelley Keen
3/4/2008

Use should be subordinated to future upstream depletionary uses. It is not in the public interest to tie up this much water at this location. (Discussed with division administrator.)

S. Keen
3/7/2008