



Home Rivers Initiative – South Fork Snake River Watershed Project

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Dear Dave,

Attached with this is a letter from Celeste Beam to me giving us permission to dig the connecting ditch on her property to get water out of the Gottsche ditch coming off the new combined Gottsche / Shurtleff diversion down to the old Shurtleff ditch.

As you have explained you needed this written permission to go forward with the transfer. If you need something further from me to get this accomplished let me know. Thanks Much!

Sincerely,

Matt Woodard
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Dear Matt,

We had a verbal agreement with Weeks to take water out of the Detcher Ditch instead of getting it out of the original place. As I recall it was only verbal which Francis regretted later.

As far as I can see the new diversion looks like it would work. Ask Tim Courchaine if this looks like it would work for him as he is renting that piece of pasture now.

I give my permission for a new ditch being placed on my property in order to get water from a new diversion for my property.

Sincerely,
Celeste B. Beam