

MEMORANDUM

Date: October 24, 2007
To: Transfer 73478
From: narave
Re: Transfer Evaluation

This transfer proposes to change the place of use by removing 4 acres of irrigated lands from BLM administrated properties, and adding them to acres owned by the applicant.

Authority to File:

The applicant is the owner of record on the Directors Report. Furthermore, Royden Capps is listed as owner according to the Lemhi County tax lot data.

Water Right Validity:

This water right is currently recommended for decree in the SRBA. 2006 aerial photography, and 2007 Landsat data indicate irrigation, forfeiture is not an issue.

Injury to Other Water Rights:

The result of this transfer will not change total irrigated acres, or the place of use.
Transfer will be advertised for 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