

MEMORANDUM

TO: FILE
FROM: NICK VAN DYKE
DATE: 8/24/2007

RE: Blackfoot Farms LLC, Review of Mitigation Plan Evaluation, Permits 22-13416, 22-13417, 22-13418, 22-13419, 22-13420, 22-13421, 22-13422, 22-13423, 22-13424, 22-13425, 22-13426, 22-13427, 22-13428

NARATIVE

At the time of this review, multiple errors were found both with the mitigation plan proposed by Blackfoot Farms LLC and conditions issued by IDWR. The proposed location for the acres to be dried up as a result of the mitigation, NENE Sec27 T05N R45E, is not part of the POU (a 40-acre quarter quarter) listed on the mitigating right, 22-153 (on either the adjudication claim or water right record, as those two are different). See map labeled "Wildlife Enhancement Project Area."

On condition 170, listed on both Water Right 22-153 and Permit(s) 22-13416 thru 22-13428 is incorrect as it gives a range location of 46E. Correct range description is 45E. Also the first part of sentence one in condition 170 is worded incorrectly in both the mitigating water right and permits.

-Permit folder 22-13423 contains color copies

SUMMARY OF MITIGATION PLAN FOR BLACKFOOT FARMS LLC, DRIGGS ID

Base Right: 22-153

Diversion Rate: 0.8cfs

Acres: 40

Permit #	Mitigation Rate (cfs)	Mitigated Acreage	Volume (AF)
22-13416	0.02	1.0	2.9
22-13417	0.05	2.5	26.1
22-13418	0.09	4.4	24.1
22-13419	0.02	1.0	8.9
22-13420	0.06	3.2	28.0
22-13421	0.08	3.9	21.5
22-13422	0.03	1.3	10.9
22-13423	0.02	1.1	9.8
22-13424	0.04	1.8	8.4
22-13425	0.04	2.0	11.4
22-13426	0.06	2.8	21.5
22-13427	0.02	0.9	7.8
22-13428	0.04	2.2	18.8
Total	0.57	28.1	200.1

Mitigation rates for each of the permits appear to be correct. Proposed totals of 0.57 cfs and 28.1 acres to be mitigated matches what is found in conditions of the 13 permits. Proposed mitigation site NENE Sec27 T05N R45E. Water right 22-153 should be left with 0.23 cfs (4/15-10/31) and 11.9 irrigable acres.

Review By: Nick Van Dyke
Date: 8/19/07

WILDLIFE ENHANCEMENT PROJECT AREA

SEC 22 OSN HSE

SEC 27 OSN HSE

NO EXTRACTED ACRES
UNDER 22-153
BEFORE CHANGES
PER UNDER
RIGHT

28.1
Mitigation
Site?

NO EXTRACTED ACRES
UNDER 22-153
BEFORE CHANGES
PER AJS
RECOMMENDATION

DRIGGS