

MEMORANDUM

Date: May 28, 2007
To: Transfer 73570 File
From: Corey Skinner
Re: Evaluation of Sufficiency of Information Submitted

Application proposes changing the location of the authorized point of diversion for irrigation right 37-33 (currently allowing for the diversion of 0.72 cfs for the irrigation of 12 acres) from a point on the Big Wood River to a new location on a slough located just south of Broadford Road, west of Bellevue. The current diversion is located approximately 1.1 miles west and 0.55 miles north of the center of Bellevue and the new diversion will be located approximately 0.9 miles west and 0.15 miles north of the center of Bellevue. Note that the applicants have agreed to reduce right 37-33 to 0.02 cfs per acre due to the increase in efficiency resulting from the point of diversion change. This reduction also results in needing to update the overlap condition on right 37-21128 (associated right).

- **Authority to File:**
The applicants are listed as the current owners of the right being transferred according to IDWR records.
- **Water Right Validity:**
The right involved with the transfer has been reviewed in the SRBA and recommended as a valid right in a recent Directors Report.
- **Injury to Other Water Rights:**
None anticipated. Right 37-332 is also diverted from the current point of diversion, but transfer # 73608 proposes to change the 37-332 point of diversion to a new location also.
- **Enlargement of Use:**
None anticipated.
- **Local Public Interest:**
Application will be subject to public notice and protest.
- **Beneficial Use/Conservation of Water Resources:**
Proposed use is recognized as a beneficial use of water. The new diversion should result in an increase in efficiency. The applicants have agreed to reduce right 37-33 to 0.02 cfs per acre due to the increase in efficiency resulting from the point of diversion change

Review of the application finds there is no clear inconsistency with criteria set forth in Section 42-222 Idaho Code preventing processing of this application.