

MEMORANDUM

Date: February 22, 2007
To: Transfer 72696
From: dcarlson
Re: transfer evaluation

This transfer proposes to correct the legal description QQs of 2 existing wells and to change the place of use.

The GPS locations of the 2 wells are in different 10 acre tracts or are too close to be put into a 10 acre tract.

Dwight Baker is ok with these changes to the existing pods.

The new well that was authorized by transfer 71485 was never drilled and will be dropped from this package of groundwater rights

Authority to File:

Applicant is the owner of record as far as the water rights records.

Lienholder gave an approval to this new transfer. This transfer moves the water rights within the same ground that the lienholder holds a lien, so there is no affect to the mortgage holder.

Water Right Validity:

This water right was transfered in 2005. Air photos from 2006 show it to be irrigated. Forfeiture is not an issue.

Injury to Other Water Rights:

Inside the ESPA area and in Water District 120. No new wells, no groundwater model analysis is needed. Watermaster will comment.

Transfer will be advertised to determine any protests.

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.