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Claim No. 97-4071

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

CLAIM TO A WATER RIGHT

Under the provisions of Section 42-243, Idaho Code, any person using or claiming rights to the public waters of Idaho established by diversion and application to a beneficial use must file a claim with the Department of Water Resources on or before June 30, 1983. Exempted from this filing are single family domestic uses as defined in Section 42-230(d), Idaho Code. Also exempted are rights represented by a permit, license, decree, adjudicated right, or a previously filed claim.

The filing of this claim does not confirm the water right claimed but failure to file may result in forfeiture of a water right.

Notice is hereby given that Robert &/or Juanita Savage
(Name of Claimant)
Route 6, Box 34 Priest River, Idaho Telephone No. 448-1158
(Mailing Address) (Zip Code)

claims a right to the diversion and beneficial use of the surface or ground water. The extent and nature of said claim is as follows:

(1) Date of priority: (When was the water first applied to a beneficial use) 1901

A claim is not acceptable on a ground water source with a priority later than March 25, 1963 or on a surface water source with a priority later than May 20, 1971. An exception is that a claim may be filed on single family domestic use from a ground water source.

(2) Describe the source of water: (Name of stream, lake, spring, etc., or ground water)
Ranger Creek tributary to Priest River

(3) Describe the purpose for which the water has been used and the time during the year when you have used the right claimed:

	(cfs, gpd, AFA)	(Domestic, Irrigation, Stock, Etc.)	(Both dates inclusive)	
			(Mo., Day)	(Mo., Day)
Quantity	<u>.07</u>	Use <u>Stockwater</u>	Period of Use From <u>1/1</u>	To <u>12/31</u>
Quantity	<u>.372</u>	Use <u>Irrigation</u>	Period of Use From <u>5/1</u>	To <u>10/31</u>
Quantity		Use	Period of Use From	To
Quantity		Use	Period of Use From	To
Quantity		Use	Period of Use From	To

(4) .44 TOTAL QUANTITY USED.
(cfs, gpd, AFA)

(5) A) Point of diversion: (Location of point where water is diverted from its source)
(2 PTS) SE 1/4 NE 1/4, Sec. 8 Twp. 57N Rge. 4W B.M., County of Bonner
Additional points of diversion: NESE & SESE Sec. 8, 57N, R4W

B) Describe means of diversion of water: (Pump and pipeline, well, diversion dam, reservoir, length of ditch and field, etc.). Give sizes and capacities: be as specific as possible. Describe any changes in the system and give the date of the change. Diversion Dams and Ponds

(6) A) Describe location of use by listing number of irrigated acres within each 40-acre tract in appropriate box. If use is not for irrigation, place an "X" in appropriate box to show location.

T	R	SEC.	NE 1/4				NW 1/4				SW 1/4				SE 1/4				TOTAL
			NE 1/4	NW 1/4	SW 1/4	SE 1/4	NE 1/4	NW 1/4	SW 1/4	SE 1/4	NE 1/4	NW 1/4	SW 1/4	SE 1/4	NE 1/4	NW 1/4	SW 1/4	SE 1/4	
57N	4W	8			6	12									10X	4		8X	40

No. of acres 40

B) If water is used for other than irrigation, fully describe that use, being as specific as possible:

NOTE: Include here the type and number of stock watered: 1000 head of sheep & 80 head of cattle

(7) If you are claiming water as a member of an organization, list name of organization:

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Received by KK Date 6/10/79 Exception filed by: _____ Forwarded to _____ Date _____
Prelim. check by KK Date 6/10/79 #14023 John Baller claimant by: _____
\$20.00 fee received by KK Date 6/10/79
Published in Orlando News Times
Dates 6/21 + 28/79

INVENTORY & EVALUATION OF LAND, WATER, AND RELATED RESOURCES

REQUESTED BY Robert Savage LOCATION Priest RiverASSISTED BY R. Bott DATE May 23, 1979* ☒ INDIVIDUAL ☐ GROUP ☐ UNIT OF GOVERNMENT

SITUATION: Mr. Savage is in the process of establishing a water right on Ranger Creek located on his property. He has been dealing with the Department of Idaho Water Resources. They requested that Mr. Savage get the Soil Conservation Service to measure the stream flow on his property.

SUGGESTED SOLUTION(S) Mr. Savage constructed a V-notch weir according to SCS specifications. This weir was installed in the stream that was to be measured. On May 23, 1979 at approximately 11:30 a.m., this stream was measured by Ray Bott, a SCS employee. His measurements indicated that the stream flow consisted of .372 cu ft/sec. I hope that the above information will prove useful to you in your attempt to establish a water right.

* Check appropriate category

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Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF IDAHO
County of Bonner,

ss.

Pete Thompson

being duly sworn, says that he is the publisher
of the PRIEST RIVER TIMES, a weekly newspaper printed and
published at Priest River, Bonner County, Idaho, and has been
continuously and uninterruptedly published in said County during
a period of 78 consecutive weeks prior to the first publication of
the annexed notice for publication, is a newspaper of general cir-
culation made up of at least eight pages of at least seven columns
each, printed from typematter or stereotyped forms of at least
nineteen and three-fourths inches depth, has at least 1250 bona fide
subscribers living within said Bonner County, and is published at
regular weekly intervals. That the annexed is a true copy of the
notice for publication in the case of

Water Permit No. 97-4071

as it was published in the regular and entire issue of said paper
for a period of two consecutive weeks, commencing on
the 21 day of June, 1979,
and
ending on the 28 day of June, 1979,
and that said notice was published in said newspaper proper, and
not in supplement form.

Pete Thompson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

2 day of July, 1979.

Adel M. Thompson

Notary Public for Idaho,
Residing at Priest River, Idaho

NOTICE OF CLAIMS TO WATER RIGHTS

Notice is hereby given that
the following claim(s) to water
right(s) have been established
by diversion and application to
beneficial use:

97-4071

SAVAGE, ROBERT & JUANITA
RT. 6 BOX 34, PRIEST RIVER,
ID 83856

Source: RANGER CREEK
tributary to PRIEST RIVER
Priority Date: 01-01-1901

Amount: 0.44 CFS

Diversion Point: SENE NESE
SESE Sec 08 T 57N R 04W,
BONNER Co.

Use: IRRIGATION (0.37 CFS)
from 05-01 to 10-31, STOCK-
WATER (0.07 CFS) from 01-01
to 12-31

Place of Use: SWNE SENE
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57N R 04W FOR 40 ACRES

Diversion Means: DIVERSION
DAMS & PONDS

Any exception to any claim of
water right may be filed with
the Director of the Idaho
Department of Water
Resources, 4055 Government
Way, Coeur d'Alene, Id., 83814
C. STEPHEN ALLRED
Director

Priest River Times
Published 6-21 & 6-28-79.

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Department of Water Resources

CLAIM ANALYSIS SHEET

INITIAL REVIEW BY: KK

Right Number 97-4071 Applicant Savage

NOTE: IF ANY OF THE ITEMS BELOW ARE MISSING, THE CLAIM IS INCOMPLETE AND MUST BE RETURNED IMMEDIATELY TO THE CLAIMANT ALONG WITH THE APPROPRIATE COVER LETTER.

CHECK:

- ☒ Name and address.
- ☒ Date of priority. (Check for a date past the mandatory filing dates.) (One date only.)
- ☒ Source.
- ☒ Quantity, use, period.
- ☒ Point(s) of diversion.
- ☒ Location of use.
- ☒ Signature/notarization/fee.

FINAL REGIONAL PROCESSING REVIEW:

- ☒ Affidavit of publication received.
- ☒ Claim published correctly.
- ☒ Exceptions processed.

By for Date 7/9/79

STATE OFFICE PROCESSING:

- ☒ Claim review complete.

By for Date 7/12/79

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
Northern Region

JOHN V. EVANS
Governor
C. STEPHEN ALLRED
Director

4055 Government Way
Coeur d'Alene, ID 83814
(208) 667-6484

JULY 9, 1979

ROBERT SAVAGE
JUANITA SAVAGE
RT. 6 BOX 34
PRIEST RIVER ID 83856

RE: Claim No. 97-4071

Dear Claimant:

The Department of Water Resources has completed the advertising of your claim to a water right, and no further action is authorized under Section 42-243 and 42-244, IDAHO CODE. Your claim will be retained in our files and will be available at any time for use by you or the court.

The filing and advertising of the claim does not confirm the water right claimed, but will serve to record and preserve the information and the evidence which you included in your claim.

If, at a later date, you find that you have additional information or supporting evidence that you would like to have included with the claim, you may have that information or evidence added at any time. Please refer to the claim identification number when corresponding with this office.

We are enclosing a copy of your claim for your records. If you have questions, or if this office may be of further assistance, please feel free to contact us.

Yours truly,

Robert G. Haynes, P.E.
Regional Supervisor

Enclosure

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July 2, 1979

Mr. Robert Savage
Rt. 6 Box 34
Priest River, Idaho 83856

RE: 97-4071

Dear Mr. Savage:

Enclosed is a copy of an exception filed in connection with your above-referenced claim. This exception is filed in accordance with the provisions of Section 42-244, IDAHO CODE, which states the following in part:

"At any time after filing a claim under the provisions of the previous section, any person who disagrees that a right has been established as set forth in said claim may file an exception thereto in duplicate, in affidavit form accompanied by such proof as said person deems appropriate. An exception filed shall be made a part of the file of the claim in the department of water resources and shall be considered the same as other evidence in said file. A copy of an exception filed shall be forwarded to the claimant by the department of water resources. Such claims may be corrected by the claimant only by filing of an amended claim in the same form as the original which shall be recorded and numbered by the department the same as the original and for which no additional filing fee shall be required."

Only the above action has been contemplated by the Idaho Legislature and we are not authorized to hold hearings or evaluate for confirmation or final censorship the described rights.

If we may be of any further assistance, feel free to contact us.

Sincerely,

ROBERT G. HAYNES, P.E.
Regional Supervisor

RGH: pms

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July 2, 1979

Mr. John Bahler
Rt. 6 Box 29
Priest River, Idaho 83856

RE: 97-4071

Dear Mr. Bahler:

We have received your correspondence concerning the above-referenced Claim to a Water Right. The following is a quote from the provisions under which this Claim has been filed (Section 42-244, IDAHO CODE):

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COUNTY OF KOOTENAI)

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1. That I personally have knowledge that Ranger Creek has been used as described in Claim No. 97-4071 since the early 1920's, because I have been in possession of said property and have farmed it since that time.

2. That I feel that the exception filed by John Bahler to be in error which was dated June 28, 1979.

DATED: This 9th day of July, 1979.

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[Faint text: Notary Public for the State of Idaho]

Calvin Huff
Calvin Huff
Rt. 6 Box 71
Priest River, Idaho 83856

Jana Kay Jones
Notary Public in and for the State
of Idaho residing in Coeur d'Alene

My commission expires: Lifetime

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I, the undersigned, file an exception to the claim to a Water Right,
97-4071, filed by Robert &/or Juanita Savage for the following reason:

The property has never been irrigated by flood or sprinkler system
that I know of. I have been in the area since 1945.

Be it known that the undersigned, being duly sworn, states that these are
the true facts to the best of his knowledge.

Sworn to me this 28 day of June, 1979

John Bahler
Robert B Haynes
Notary Public
Residing at CD

My commission expires: Efeterme

Mr. John Bahler
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Priest River, Idaho 83856

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