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May 22, 2006

STEVE and MICHELLE ZETTEL
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CHALLIS, ID 83226

RE: Application for Permit

Dear Applicant(s):

The Department of Water Resources has received your water right application. Preliminary review of the application indicates that it is incomplete and cannot be accepted for processing. We are returning your application and filing fee (check # 2382 for \$100.00) to allow you to complete the necessary items. The required information is described below.

- The address was not provided correctly. *(City and zip code needs to be listed on the application)*
- The source was not provided correctly. *(Are the springs tributary to the Salmon River, or do they sink? The application indicates both.)*
- The Point of Diversion description was not provided correctly. *(Several combinations of legal description are listed on the application).*
- The Nature of Proposed Use was not provided *(No use was indicated)*
- The Place of Use description was not provided correctly. *(No section was indicated and the chosen 1/4 1/4 box does not match the area shown on the map)*
- The Signature was not provided correctly. *(The applicant is listed as Steve and Michelle Zettel, meaning that both parties need to sign the application).*
- The Map was not provided correctly. *(A more detailed map should be provided, clearly marking the location of the point of diversion and place of use. The indicated location does not seem to match the possible locations indicated on the application, or the property you seem to own according to IDWR records).*

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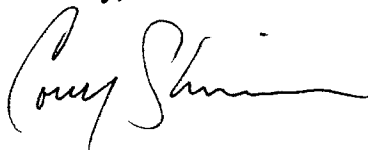
Some of the issues listed above primarily relate to exactly where your proposed project is located. I have enclosed a couple of maps, with the property that you own (according to dated IDWR records obtained from Custer County) outlined in red. I assume that these maps will help in locating your proposed project, and will assist in obtaining accurate point of diversion and place of use legal descriptions for the application.

The application indicates that the source of the water is springs that either flow into the Salmon River or sink. Depending on the location of the diversion, the source could be springs or perhaps an unnamed stream. You may want to include some detailed drawings showing the proposed development in relation to the source to help clarify this issue.

Another item of note relates to the processing of your application. Currently our office is processing only a very limited number and specific type of application in the Salmon River area. The applications that we are currently processing in the area consist of primarily domestic &/or municipal types of water uses. Applications for irrigation, ponds, etc. are currently being held until we receive further guidance on what can and can not be processed &/or approved. Unfortunately, as of this date I am unsure of the exact timetable for processing your type of application, in your particular area of the state. However, part of the processing direction we have received for the limited types of applications we are processing in your area includes the applicants providing written comments from Idaho Department of Fish & Game, County Planning & Zoning, and Idaho Department of Environmental Quality. It might not be a bad idea to begin discussing your proposed project with representatives from these agencies, in particular Idaho Department of Fish & Game.

If you have any questions, or if I can be of any further assistance, in particular with completing the application, feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,



Corey Skinner, PE
Water Resource Engineer

Enclosures

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