

MEMORANDUM

Date: August 19, 2005
To: Transfer 72204
From: dcarlson
Re: transfer evaluation

This transfer proposes to add two existing wells to the system to ensure they receive enough CFS. The existing irrigation well collapsed. Will try to repair, but needs backup wells.

Authority to File:

Applicant provided tax notices and is the owner of record as far as SRBA decree.

Water Right Validity:

This water right was decree in the SRBA in 2000. Forfeiture is not an issue.

Injury to Other Water Rights:

Inside the ESPA area but not in North Groundwater measurement district.

Cell change from 39.43 to 39.44 or 38.44 partial. they are all adjacent cells, only 38.44 is active and most others in the area are dead cells. Using 39.45 as a replacement from cell, the model shows less than 5% change.

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.