

MEMORANDUM

Date: August 31, 2005
To: Transfer 72114
From: dcarlson
Re: transfer evaluation

This transfer proposes to change an old decree right that has been use for municipal uses by the city of Bloomington since 1935 into its current use. Source change, pod change, pou change. season of use change, change in nature of use occurred in 1935.

This right is used for irrigation of lawns, hay fields and parks.

Authority to File:

Applicant provided statements to support their ownership of this right.

Water Right Validity:

This water right has been used by the city of Bloomington since 1935 for municipal uses. Forfeiture is not an issue.

Injury to Other Water Rights:

Water district 11J is inactive.

Transfer will be advertised to determine any protests.

Enlargement of Use:

There is no evidence of enlargement of use. The historic record showed that 250 acres were irrigated based on the decree. consumptive use in that area would be 2.5 AF/acre X 250 acres=625 AF. no crop records would be available.

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.