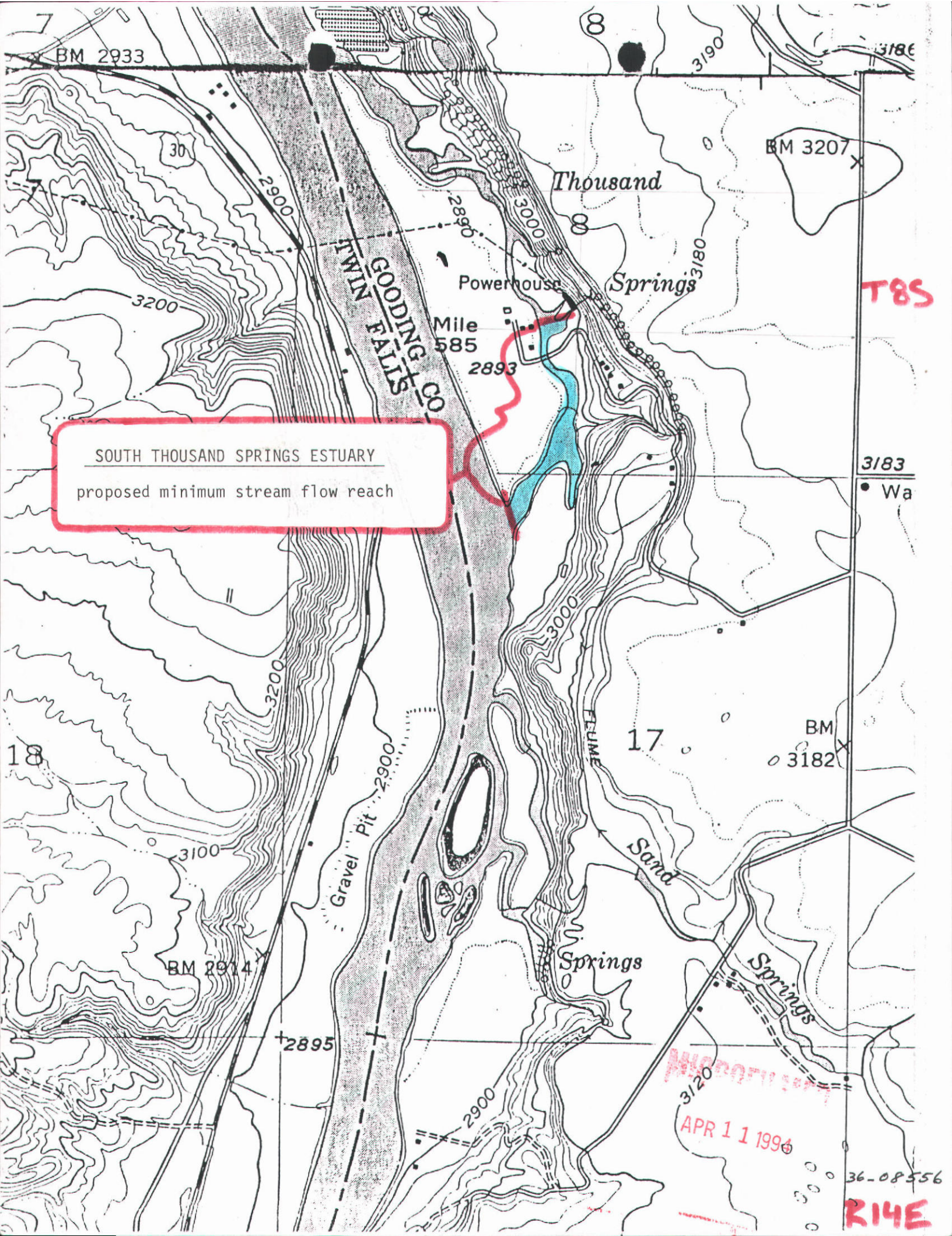


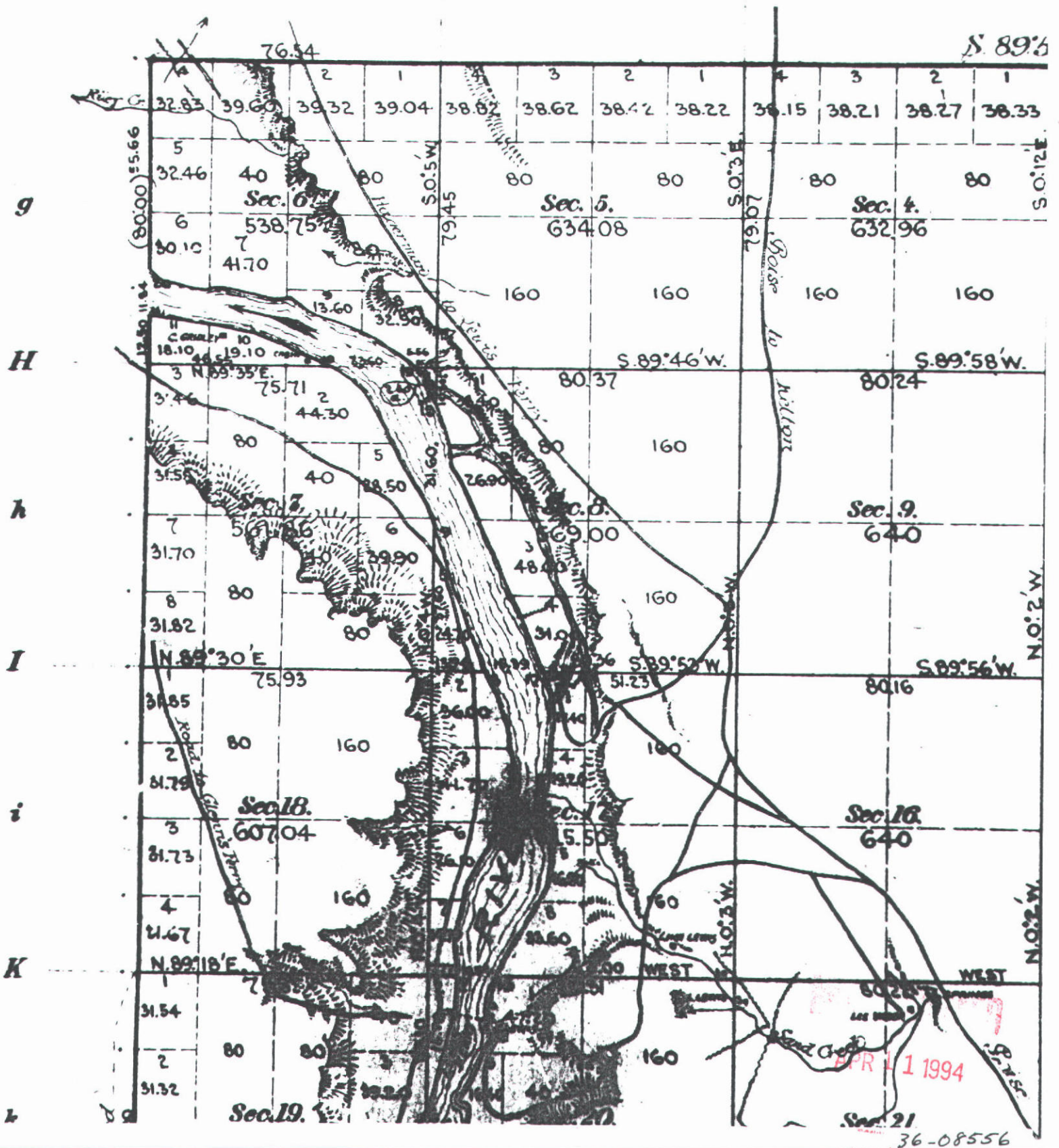


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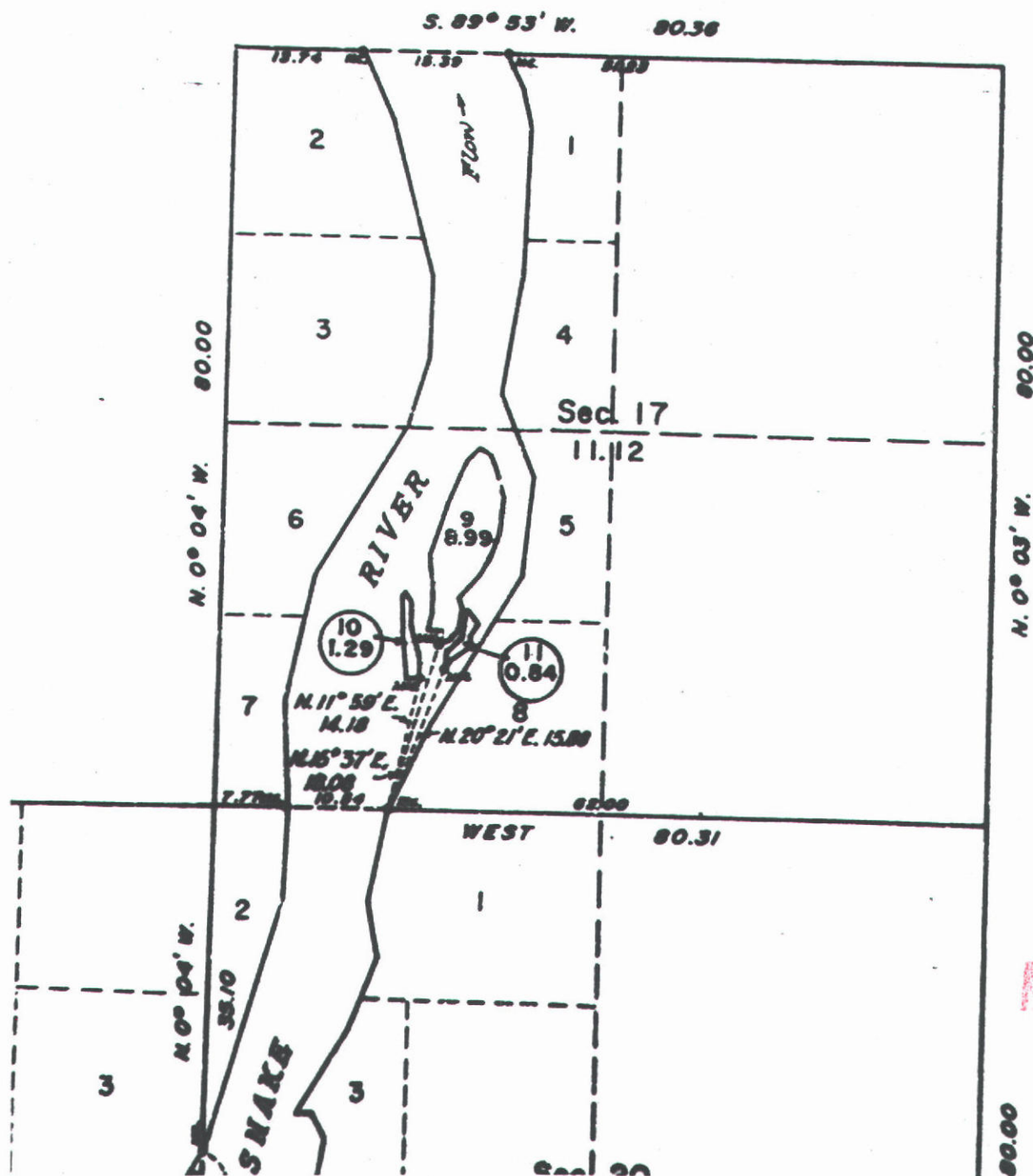
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FOR MINIMUM STREAMFLOW**

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Proposed Priority: August 3, 1990

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Source: Springs and Sand Springs Creek

Application No.: 36-8558

Proposed Priority: August 3, 1990

Amount and Period of Use: 34.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31

Purpose of Minimum Flow: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, and fish and wildlife habitat.

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R. KEITH HIGGINSON, Director
Idaho Department of Water Resources
Published: October 3, 10, 1991

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Idaho Department of Water Resources

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Oct., 1991.
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Vincent J. Gaudin
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Source: Soulpin Springs Creek

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Proposed Priority: August 3, 1990.

Amount and Period of Use: 33.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31.

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Proposed Priority: August 3, 1990.

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-s-R. Keith Higginson
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Proposed Priority: 8/3/1990
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Amount & Period of Use: 500 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31

Application No: 36-08557
Source: Sculpin Springs Creek tributary to Snake River

Proposed Priority: 8/3/1990
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Amount & Period of Use: 33 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31

Application No: 36-08558
Source: Springs and Sand Springs Creek - tributary to Snake River

Proposed Priority: 8/3/1990
Stream Reach Description - The reach proposed for this instream flow is from the confluence of Sand Springs Creek with The Snake River, upstream to the outflow of the unnamed springs at the base of the Snake River Canyon Wall. It also includes all unappropriated water that joins the creek throughout this reach.

Beginning at its headwater spring located in the SW1/4SW1/4SE1/4, Section 17, T8S, R14E B.M., Gooding County, and extending downstream to its confluence with the Snake River in Govt. 5 (SE1/4NE1/4SW1/4), Section 17, T8S, R14E B.M.

Amount & Period of Use: 34 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31

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-s- Gene M. Gray, Chairman
Idaho Water Resource Board
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Minimum streamflow hearing set by water board

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Amount & Period of Use: 500 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31

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Proposed Priority: 8/3/1990

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Amount & Period of Use: 33 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31.

Application No: 36-08558

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Proposed Priority: 8/3/1990

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GENE M. GRAY, CHAIRMAN

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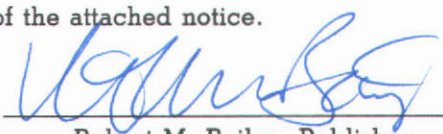
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I, **Robert M. Bailey**, do solemnly swear that I am the publisher of **The Buhl Herald**, a weekly newspaper of general circulation, published once each week at Buhl, Idaho; that the notice attached hereto was published in said newspaper _____

October 3 & 10, 1990

that said notice was published in the regular and entire issue of every number of the paper during the period and time of publication, and that the said notice was published in the newspaper proper, and not in the supplement thereof.

That said newspaper has been printed and published continuously in **Buhl, Twin Falls County, Idaho**, for a period of more than 78 weeks prior to the first publication of the attached notice.


Robert M. Bailey, Publisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

29th day of Oct., 1990


Tamra Burton, Notary Public.

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PUBLISH: Thursday, October 3 and 10, 1991

NOTICE OF HEARING FOR APPLICATION FOR MINIMUM STREAMFLOW

Notice is hereby given that the Idaho Water Resources Board submitted an application for permit to appropriate water to the Department of Water Resources, proposing to appropriate water for a minimum streamflow in Willow Creek, a tributary of the Snake River. The application is further described as follows:

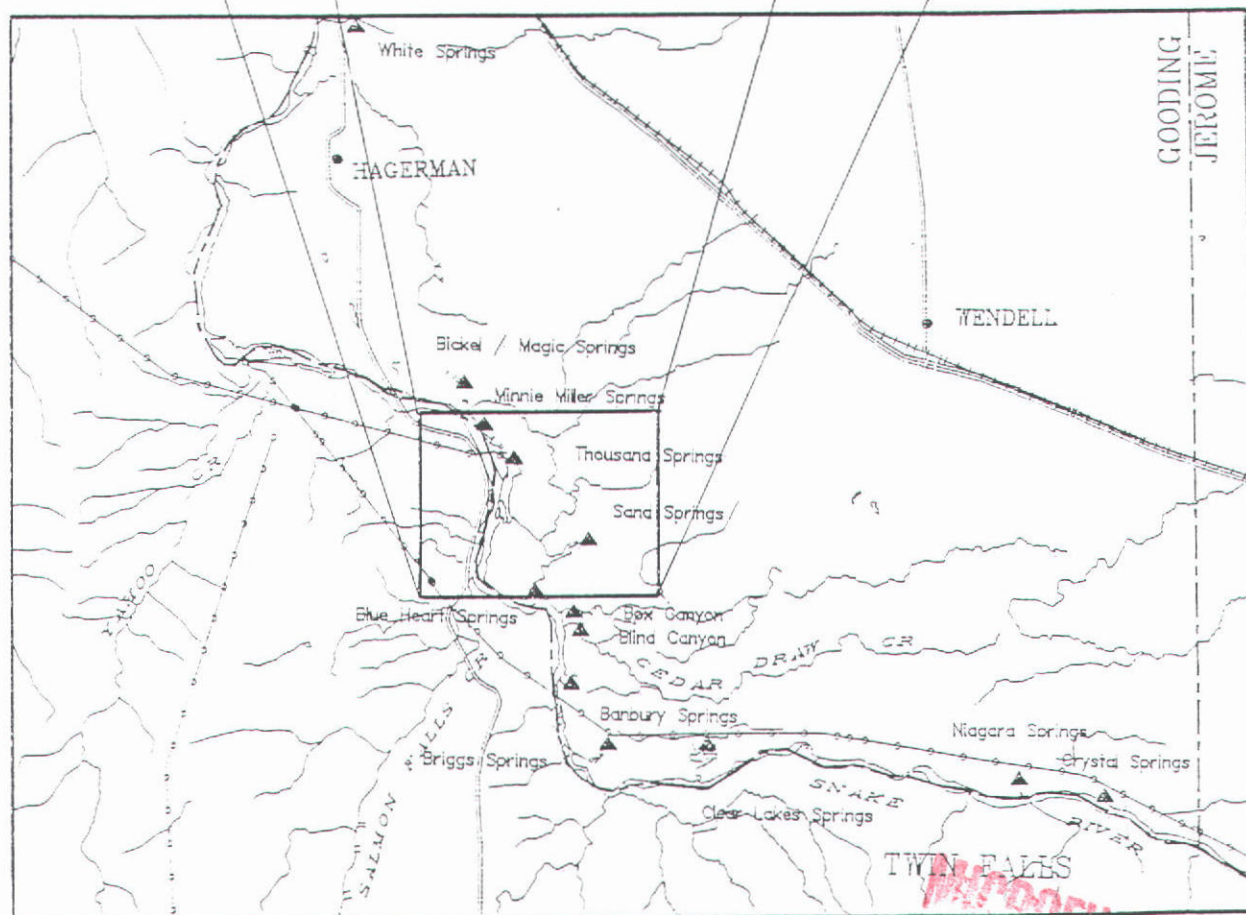
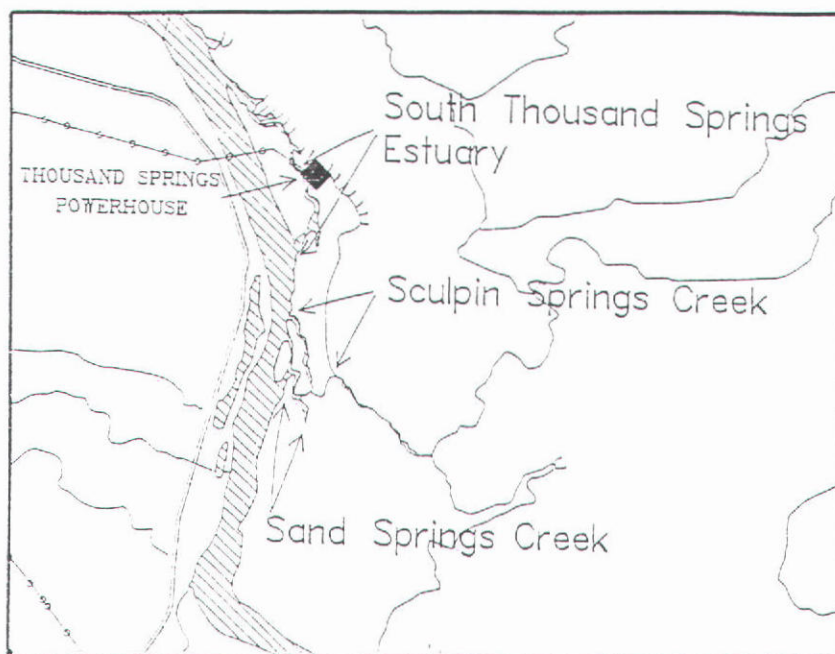
Source: Willow Creek
Application No.: 25-7597
Proposed Priority: June 24, 1991

Amount and Period of

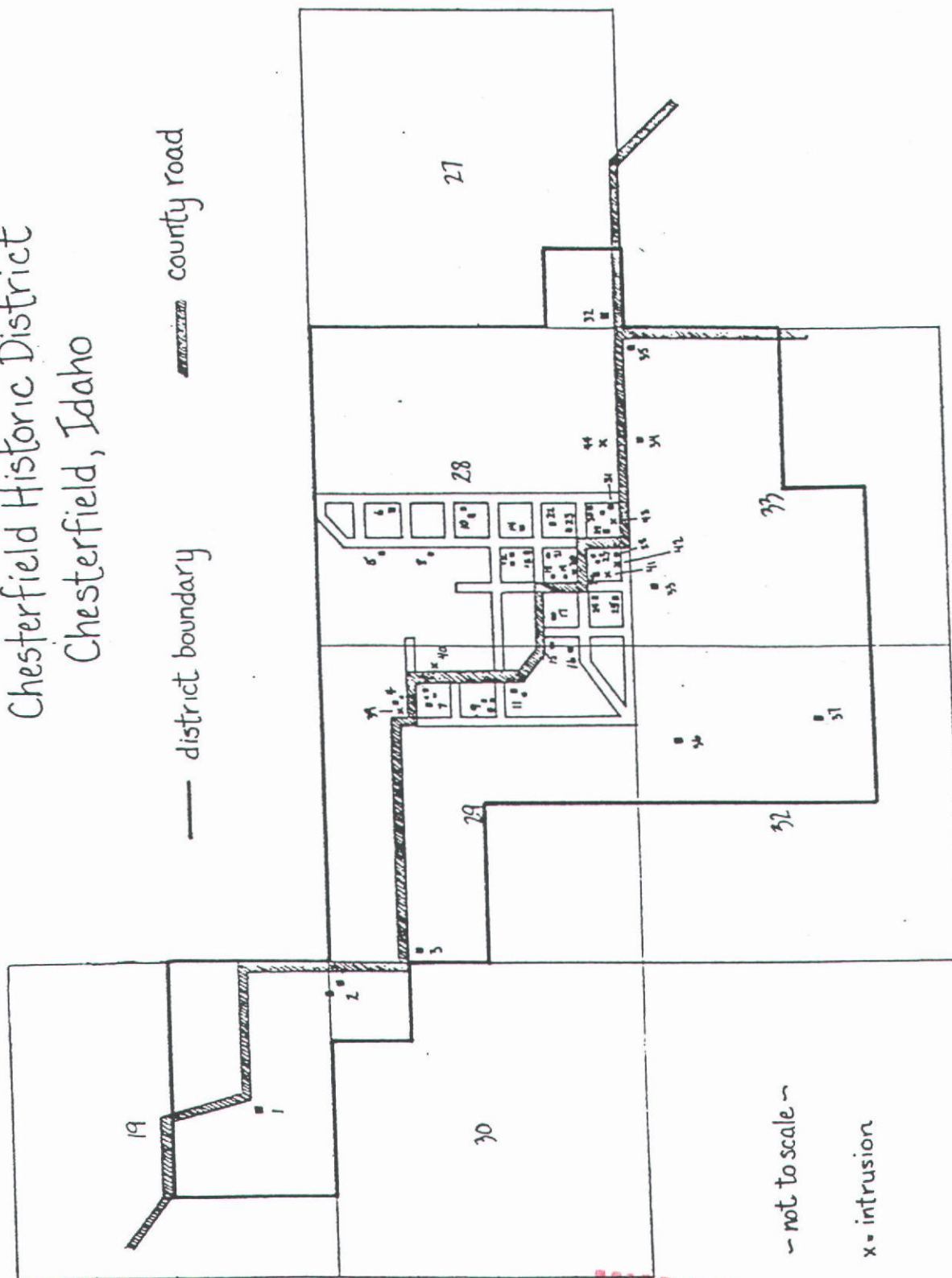
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Department of Water Resources

WATER RIGHT LICENSE

WATER RIGHT NO. 36-08556

Priority: August 3, 1990

Minimum Instream Flow:

500.00 CFS

This is to certify, that STATE OF IDAHO
IDAHO WATER RESOURCE BOARD
STATEHOUSE
BOISE ID 83720

has complied with the terms and conditions
of the permit, issued pursuant to Application for Permit dated August 3, 1990; and
has submitted Proof of Beneficial Use on March 2, 1994. A minimum stream flow in

THOUSAND SPRINGS tributary to SNAKE RIVER
(AKA SOUTH THOUSAND SPRINGS CHANNEL)

has been established as follows:

<u>BENEFICIAL USE</u>	<u>PERIOD OF USE</u>	<u>RATE</u>
MINIMUM INSTREAM FLOW	01/01 to 12/31	500.00 CFS

LOCATION OF MINIMUM STREAM FLOW REACH:

Beginning of Stream Flow Reach Lot 3 (SENESEW), Sec. 8, Township 08S, Range 14E
End of Stream Flow Reach Lot 1 (NENENW), Sec. 17, Township 08S, Range 14E
GOODING County

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL AND REMARKS

1. The use of water under this right is subject to all prior water rights.
2. Use of water under this right shall be non-consumptive.
3. This minimum streamflow is subject to review and cancellation if public access is ever denied.
4. Use of water under this right shall recognize and allow the continued beneficial diversion of water for irrigation or other purposes under any prior existing water right established by diversion and application to beneficial use or by an application, permit, or license on file or issued by the Director under the provisions of Chapter 2, Title 42, Idaho Code, with the priority of water right date earlier than 8/3/90.
5. Upon the future finding and order of the Director that gauging stations are required to maintain the approved minimum flow on South Thousand Springs, such measuring devices shall be permanently installed and maintained as specified by the Department.

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State of Idaho
Department of Water Resources**WATER RIGHT LICENSE**

WATER RIGHT NO. 36-08556

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL AND REMARKS

6. This minimum streamflow shall be junior and subordinate to all consumptive use rights diverted from groundwater within the Snake River Aquifer tributary to Thousand Springs, held in trust by the State of Idaho, which may be approved or diverted later in time than the priority of this right. Approval of this minimum streamflow right shall not give rise to any right or claim against any future rights to the consumptive use of groundwater held in trust by the State of Idaho initiated later in time than the priority of this right to the extent that such uses are within the limits established pursuant to the Swan Falls Agreement, the Idaho State Water Plan, and Chapter 2, Title 42, Idaho Code.
7. The Director retains jurisdiction, as described below, to review and amend any and all parameters of this right. The Board, upon receiving a request, or upon its own initiative, may petition the Director for an amendment to the right. The petition must set forth any significant change in circumstances and evidence of the public interest supporting the proposed amendment. The Director will notify the general public and specific persons or known interested parties of the proposed change, and conduct a hearing for the purpose of determining whether the right should be amended in the public interest. The burden of proof at the hearing shall be upon the persons or parties seeking the amendment to establish that the amendment of the right would be in the public interest.
8. This minimum stream flow reach begins at the outflow station at the Idaho Power Thousand Springs plant in Gov. Lot 3 (SENESEW), S8, R8S, R14E and ends at the confluence of South Thousand Springs Estuary with the Snake River, in Gov. Lot 1 (NENENW), S17, T8S, R14E. This minimum stream flow would include all unappropriated water that discharges to the South Thousand Springs Channel.
9. This minimum stream flow is for the preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, and fish and wildlife habitat.

This license is issued pursuant to the provisions of Section 42-219, Idaho Code. Witness the seal and signature of the Director, affixed at Boise, this 15th day of SEPTEMBER, 1975.

Acting for

KARL J. DREHER, Director

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Amt. of Fee \$ _____
Date _____
Receipt No. _____
Receipt by _____

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

PROOF OF BENEFICIAL USE

The Idaho Department of Water Resources considers this form a statement that the permit holder(s) has/have completed all development that will occur under this permit and that water has been applied according to the provisions of the permit for the beneficial use(s) described below. This form must be accompanied by a license examination fee, when necessary, or a completed field examination report prepared by a certified water right examiner who has been appointed by the department.

1. Permit No. 36-08556 Telephone No. 208-327-7910

2. Name(s) of Permit Holder(s): IDAHO WATER RESOURCE BOARD

3. Mailing Address: Statehouse, Boise, ID 83720

4. Source of Water: Thousand Springs AKA South Thousand Springs Estuary

If GROUNDWATER, Well Driller's Name: _____ Date Drilled: _____

OPTIONAL:

Pump horsepower: _____ Pressure (psi): _____ Dynamic pumping level (ft.): _____

5. Extent of Use (as authorized by the permit):

Domestic _____ (No. of households) Stockwater _____ (No. and type of stock)

Irrigation _____ (No. of acres) Other Minimum Instream Flow

6. Total rate and/or volume for which proof is submitted 500 cfs OR _____ acre/feet

7. Refer to the approval conditions on your permit and respond accordingly:

Measuring device: Required? _____ Yes x No Installed? _____ Yes x No

OR

Flow Measurement Port: Required? _____ Yes _____ No Installed? _____ Yes _____ No

8. Fee Enclosed: \$ NA (See License Fee Schedule on back of Instruction Sheet)

9. Person to contact to accompany the Department representative during field examination of the water system.

Name _____ Telephone No. _____

Address _____

10. The above information is my true statement of the extent to which the above numbered permit has been developed and I relinquish any undeveloped portion of the permit to the state of Idaho.

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Date

F. Don Giddach Chair I.W.R.B. 1 1994
Signature (and title, if on behalf of a company or organization)

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IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATIONS FOR PERMIT
NOS. 36-8556 (SOUTH THOUSAND SPRINGS
CHANNEL); 36-8557 (SCULPIN SPRINGS CREEK);
AND 36-8558 (SPRINGS AND SAND SPRINGS
CREEK); SEEKING TO APPROPRIATE MINIMUM
STREAMFLOWS IN THE NAME OF THE IDAHO WATER
RESOURCE BOARD

A hearing officer for the Department conducted a hearing for the above applications on October 22, 1991, and issued a proposed decision. Exceptions were filed by the Nature Conservancy of Idaho (Nature Conservancy), and were endorsed by the Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation (Parks & Recreation).

Nature Conservancy and Parks & Recreation object to condition 5 of the order which states that the "minimum streamflows are subject to review and cancellation if public access is ever denied." The objectors suggest that a condition requiring public access should not be imposed. Despite the suggestion that no public access is necessary, the objections state that public access should be limited to the mean high water level of the streams.

A substantial portion of testimony by representatives of Nature Conservancy and Parks & Recreation addressed public concerns about access. Nature Conservancy portrayed a willingness to allow broad public access except where the values sought to be protected by the Minnie Miller reserve might be jeopardized. Nature Conservancy has allowed public access to the island where the old farm buildings are located only when a tour has been arranged. The purpose of limited access is to protect the island and its buildings from vandalism.

Nature Conservancy does not allow motorized vehicles on most of the reserve, and appears to want to limit boat traffic to motorless craft. These restrictions, if not contrary to law, are

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probably justifiable to protect values of the preserve. Further restriction to public access may shift the factors which are weighed in determining whether the minimum streamflows are being established for the public, or for the private interest. The condition related to retained jurisdiction to insure public access will not be more narrowly defined.

Furthermore, a standard condition providing that the Director retains jurisdiction over this minimum streamflow was not included in the original order. The exclusion was an oversight, and the condition is printed in the order portion of this decision.

Other exceptions were merely corrections and clarifications which have been incorporated into this decision.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Vital information regarding the three minimum streamflow applications is:

Application No. 36-8556

Source:	South Thousand Springs Channel
Flow Rate:	500 cfs from January 1 through December 31
Location:	Beginning at the Idaho Power Thousand Springs Power Plant in Government Lot 3 (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 8, T8S, R14E, B.M., and extending downstream to the confluence with the Snake River, located in Government Lot 1, (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M. This minimum streamflow would include all unappropriated water that discharges to the South Thousand Springs Channel.
Purpose:	Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, beauty and fish and wildlife habitat.
Priority:	August 3, 1990

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Application No. 36-8557

Source: Sculpin Springs Creek

Flow Rate: 33 cfs from January 1 through December 31

Location: Beginning at a point where the water falls off the Snake River canyon wall, located in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 17, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to the confluence of Sculpin Springs Creek and the Snake River, located in Government Lot 4, (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M., Gooding County. This minimum streamflow would include all unappropriated water that discharges to the creek within the reach.

Purpose: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, and fish and wildlife habitat.

Priority: August 3, 1990

Application No. 36-8558

Source: Springs and Sand Springs Creek

Flow Rate: 34 cfs from January 1 through December 31

Location: Beginning at the outflow of the headwater spring from the Snake River wall, located in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 17, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to where Sand Springs Creek discharges into the Snake River, located in Government Lot 5, (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M., Gooding County. This minimum streamflow would include all unappropriated water that discharges to the creek within the reach, including any springs from their point of origin to their discharge into the creek.

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Purpose: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation aquatic life, and fish and wildlife habitat.

Priority: August 3, 1990

2. The flows of South Thousand Springs Channel, Sculpin Springs Creek and Sand Springs Creek were measured with an AA meter in May and June of 1990. The flows were measured by Cindy Lunte, a Nature Conservancy employee. Ms. Lunte has taken several hydrology courses while obtaining a masters degree in limnology, and has been field trained to measure water by USGS personnel.

3. May and June are months when discharge from the springs feeding these channels and creeks are at their lowest flows.

4. The flow within the South Thousand Springs Channel was measured at 500 cubic feet per second.

5. The flow of Sculpin Springs was measured at 33 cfs.

6. Flow of Springs and Sand Springs Creek was measured at 34 cfs.

7. All of the minimum streamflow reaches sought by these applications are either wholly contained within or adjacent to land owned by Nature Conservancy. Nature Conservancy intends to preserve the natural features of the area, which include the unique streamflows from the springs.

8. A prior minimum streamflow, numbered 36-8307 was established to preserve the Minnie Miller Springs which discharge into the north portion of the Thousand Springs channel. It also established a minimum streamflow in the north channel. Application no. 36-8556 proposes protection for the outflow waters from the Idaho Power Plant, which flow south to the Snake River. The flows of Sand Springs and Sculpin Springs Creek discharge into the Snake River directly upstream from the mouth of the South Thousand Springs Channel. Application nos. 36-8557 and 36-8558 seek protection of these tributary springs. All the above applications seek to protect the remaining Thousand Springs in a near natural state.

9. These series of springs, including Minnie Miller, Sand Springs, and Sculpin Springs, and their respective outfall channels, are a remnant of the large springs which once flowed undeveloped to the Snake River.

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10. The preserved land owned and operated by Nature Conservancy will be referred to as the Minnie Miller Farm reserve. The reserve includes an island which is separated from the east bank of the Snake River by the south and north Thousand Springs Channel.

11. The entire channel is open to the general public by canoe or boat. The banks can also be used by fishermen and hunters.

12. The only area where public access is restricted is the farmstead and higher land on the island. Nature Conservancy restricts general access because of fear about vandalism. Nature Conservancy has arranged with Parks and Recreation to conduct tours of the area. Last year, tours of people visited the site almost weekly.

13. The Thousand Springs Channels, Sand Springs Creek and Sculpin Springs Creek are home to several species of concern, including the Shoshone Sculpin, and three species of mollusks which are currently under review by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service for possible listing under the Endangered Species Act. Development of many of the other springs in the area has caused a decline in their numbers, resulting in designation as species of special concern.

14. The South Thousand Springs Channel offers recreational and aesthetic value, as well as fishing opportunity to the general public.

15. There are no new proposals for water diversions from these sources that would affect the minimum streamflows.

16. These springs and channels are fed by the Snake River Plain Aquifer, which emits into the Snake River Canyon as springs.

17. Sand Springs, Sculpin Springs and the respective outfall channels will fluctuate depending on the future withdrawal of ground water from the aquifer, and the volume of surface water diverted onto lands overlying the Snake River Plain Aquifer that might recharge the aquifer.

18. The long term capability of maintenance of the flows directly depends on water use on the lands overlying the Snake River Plain Aquifer.

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CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. Idaho Code § 42-1501 provides that streamflow preservation for the protection of fish and wildlife habitat, aquatic life, recreation, aesthetic beauty, navigation, and water quality when made pursuant to the minimum streamflow statutes, is in the public interest and is declared to be a beneficial use of such water.

2. Idaho Code § 42-1503 sets forth the criteria to be considered by the Department in reviewing an application for minimum streamflow:

Upon the conclusion of the hearings and completion of any investigation conducted by the director, he shall enter his findings in writing approving the application in full, or in part, or upon conditions or rejecting said application. Approval of any such application must be based upon the findings that such appropriation of minimum streamflow:

- (a) will not interfere with any vested water right, permit, or water right application with priority of right date earlier than the date of receipt in the office of the director of a complete application for appropriation of minimum streamflow filed under the provisions of this act;
- (b) is in the public, as opposed to private, interest;
- (c) is necessary for the preservation of fish and wildlife habitat, aquatic life, recreation, aesthetic beauty, navigation, transportation, or water quality of the stream;
- (d) is the minimum flow or lake level and not the ideal or most desirable flow or lake level; and
- (e) is capable of being maintained as evidenced by records of streamflows and water levels and the existing or future establishment of necessary gauging stations and bench marks.

3. Any right to be acquired under this application is for instream nonconsumptive use and is subject to all vested water rights, permits, or water right applications having dates of priority earlier than the respective filing dates of the applications set forth in the findings of fact.

4. The minimum streamflows are necessary for the preservation of aesthetic enjoyment, recreation, and fish habitat.

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5. The minimum streamflows are in the public, as opposed to the private interest. Nature Conservancy has represented that it will continue to allow public access into the area.

6. The minimum streamflows sought are minimum flows and not maximum flows. The reasoning to support this conclusion is that the springs and outflow channels are only a remnant of the springs and channels that once flowed naturally into the Snake River. Any further degradation of these remaining undisturbed springs and channels would be less than minimally acceptable.

7. The minimum streamflows sought are capable of being maintained.

8. The Director of the Department of Water Resources has considerable flexibility to grant appropriations subject to future appropriation for which the public interest may be of greater importance. Shokal v. Dunn, 109 Idaho 330, 337, 707 P.2d 441 (1985). The Director should retain sufficient flexibility that the parameters of a minimum streamflow may be changed to respond to proven public interest.

9. In response to litigation over the depletion of ground water discharge from the Snake River Plain Aquifer initiated by Idaho Power Company to protect its surface water flows in the Snake River, the Idaho Legislature declared in Idaho Code § 42-203B that it was in the public interest to regulate the use of Snake River water for power purposes in order to assure an adequate supply of water in the Snake River Plain Aquifer for all future beneficial uses.

10. The Idaho Legislature specifically ratified an agreement between the State of Idaho and Idaho Power Company in Idaho Code § 42-203B(5) which implements the public interest of supplying water for future beneficial use. The agreement expressly provides for a partial depletion of Snake River surface water flows resulting from development in the Snake River Plain Aquifer.

11. The analysis portion of Policy 5G of the State Water Plan, which has been ratified by the legislature, states:

Aquaculture can expand when and where water supplies are available and where such uses do not conflict with other beneficial uses. It is recognized, however, that future management and development of the Snake River Plain Aquifer may reduce the present flow of springs tributary to the Snake River

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12. Policy 5G of the State Water Plan contemplates a reduction in ground water discharge to the Snake River as a result of development in the Snake River Plain Aquifer. Policy 5G implies a determination by the Water Board and the ratifying legislature that a reduction of discharge to the Snake River in exchange for development in the Snake River Plain Aquifer is in the public interest.

13. The spring flows from Sculpin Springs, Sand Springs, and Thousand Springs portion of the ground water discharge flows which the legislature has declared may be partially reduced in favor of the public interest in development of the Snake River Plain Aquifer.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that applications for permit nos. 36-8556, 36-8557 and 36-8558 are APPROVED subject to the following conditions:

✓ 1. The use of water under these permits is subject to all prior water rights.

✓ 2. The use of water under these permits shall be nonconsumptive.

✓ 3. Use of water under these permits shall recognize and allow the continued beneficial diversion of water for irrigation or other purposes under any prior existing water right established by diversion and application to beneficial use or by an application, permit, or license on file or issued by the Director under the provisions of Chapter 2, Title 42, Idaho Code, with the priority of water right date earlier than August 3, 1990, for these applications for permit.

✓ 4. These permits for minimum streamflow shall be junior and subordinate to all consumptive use rights diverted from ground water within the Snake River Aquifer tributary to Thousand Springs, Sculpin Springs Creek and Springs and Sand Springs Creek, held in trust by the State of Idaho, which may be approved or diverted later in time than the priority of these permits. Approval of these minimum streamflow permits shall not give rise to any right or claim against any future rights to the consumptive use of ground water held in trust by the State of Idaho initiated later in time than the proposed priority of these permits and any subsequent license to the extent that such uses are within the limits established pursuant to the Swan Falls

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Agreement, the Idaho State Water Plan, and Chapter 2, Title 42, Idaho Code.

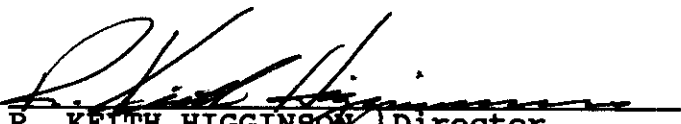
5. These minimum streamflows are subject to review and cancellation if public access is ever denied.

6. Upon the future finding and order of the Director that gauging stations are required to maintain the approved minimum flow on South Thousand Springs, Sculpin Springs Creek and Springs and Sand Springs Creek and its estuary, such measuring devices shall be permanently installed and maintained as specified by the Department.

7. The Director retains jurisdiction as described below, to review and amend any and all parameters of this permit and subsequent license. The Board, upon receiving a request, or upon its own initiative, may petition the Director for an amendment to the permit or license. The petition must set forth any significant change in circumstances and evidence of the public interest supporting the proposed amendment. The Director will notify the general public and specific persons or known interested parties of the proposed change, and conduct a hearing for the purpose of determining whether the permit or subsequent license should be amended in the public interest. The burden of proof at the hearing shall be upon the persons or parties seeking the amendment to establish that the amendment of the permit or license would be in the public interest.

8. Proof of instream beneficial use of the minimum streamflows appropriated may be submitted to the Department immediately following approval of this permit by the legislature, but not later than five (5) years of the approval of these permits is finally effective.

Dated this 2nd day of January, 1992.


R. KEITH HIGGINSON, Director
Idaho Department of Water Resources

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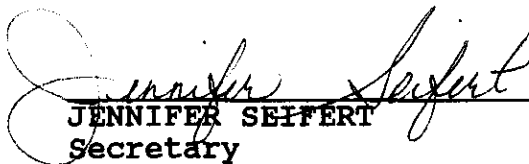
CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that on the 3rd day of January, 1992, I mailed a true and correct copy of the Proposed Memorandum Decision and Order and the Order Issuing Proposed Memorandum and Decision, postage prepaid, to the following individuals:

Dave Rydalch
Idaho Water Resource Board
Rt. 2 Box 108
St. Anthony, ID 83445

Department of Parks and Recreation
Rinda Just
Statehouse Mail
Boise, ID 83720

Department of Fish & Game
Steve Goddard
Statehouse Mail
Boise, ID 83720


JENNIFER SEIFERT
Secretary

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BEFORE THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT
OF WATER RESOURCES OF THE
STATE OF IDAHO

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATIONS FOR PERMIT NOS.
36-8556 (SOUTH THOUSAND SPRINGS CHANNEL); 35-8557
(SCULPIN SPRINGS CREEK); AND 36-8558 (SPRINGS AND
SAND SPRINGS CREEK); SEEKING TO APPROPRIATE MINIMUM
STREAMFLOWS IN THE NAME OF THE IDAHO WATER RESOURCE BOARD

ORDER ISSUING
PROPOSED MEMORANDUM
DECISION

R. Keith Higginson, Director of the Department of Water Resources, having reviewed the attached proposed decision prepared by this appointee, GARY SPACKMAN, who conducted the hearing or who has read the record in this case, hereby approves the same as a proposed decision pursuant to Idaho Code, Sec. 67-5211.

Each party to these proceedings who appeared at the hearing is given the opportunity, pursuant to Idaho Code, Sec. 42-1701A and 67-5211, to file exceptions to the proposed decision and to present briefs and oral arguments. If no timely and proper exceptions are received, an order by the Director will be entered adopting the proposed decision as his final decision.

I.
EXCEPTIONS

A. To be considered by the Director, exceptions must:

1. be received by the Director on or before the 15th day following the day of service of this Order and the proposed decision,

2. specifically identify the portions of the proposed decision to which exceptions are made and specifically state the grounds for those exceptions, and

3. be sent to each of the parties who appeared or their attorneys.

II.
BRIEFS

A. Any briefs in support of exceptions to the proposed decision shall be filed with the Director at the same time that party's exceptions are filed with the Director.

B. All response briefs to the exceptions must be filed with the Director within 15 days after the exceptions were served upon the responding party.

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III.

A. No oral arguments before the Director on the proposed decision will be held unless specifically requested by a party filing exceptions to the proposed decision and unless that request is filed with the Director concurrently with the filing of that party's exception.

B. If oral arguments have been properly requested by a party filing exceptions, any other party, upon reasonable notice to the Director, shall have the right to present oral argument in response to the exceptions filed.

C. Oral arguments before the Director on exceptions to the proposed decision shall be heard at the discretion of the Director, pursuant to Idaho Code, Sec. 42-1701A. If oral arguments are to be heard, the Director will, within a reasonable time, notify each party of the place, date and hour the oral arguments will take place and of the period of time allocated for the arguments of this case. Unless the Director orders otherwise, all oral arguments shall be heard in Boise, Idaho.

IV.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

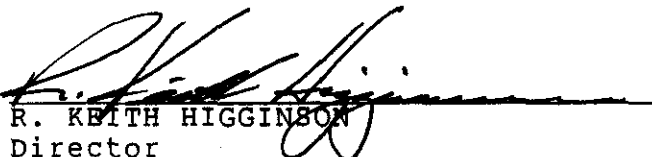
All exceptions, briefs, requests for oral argument and other matters filed with the Director in connection with the proposed decision shall be served on all other parties to these proceedings in accordance with Rule 7.2.

V.

FINAL DECISION

Following the submission of all exceptions, briefs and oral arguments, if they are heard, the Director shall issue a final decision adopting, modifying or rejecting and replacing the proposed decision. Copies of the decision and order shall be served on all parties.

Dated this 3RD day of DECEMBER, 19 91.


R. KEITH HIGGINSON
Director

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BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

OF THE

STATE OF IDAHO

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATIONS FOR PERMIT)

NOS. 36-8556 (SOUTH THOUSAND SPRINGS)

CHANNEL); 36-8557 (SCULPIN SPRINGS CREEK);)

AND 36-8558 (SPRINGS AND SAND SPRINGS)

CREEK); SEEKING TO APPROPRIATE MINIMUM)

STREAMFLOWS IN THE NAME OF THE IDAHO WATER)

RESOURCE BOARD)

PROPOSED MEMORANDUM
DECISION AND ORDER

On October 22, 1991, a hearing was conducted to determine whether three applications for minimum streamflow, numbered 36-8556, 36-8557 and 36-8558, should be approved or rejected. The Idaho Water Resource Board (Board) and the Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation (Parks & Recreation) appeared as formal parties.

The evidence having been submitted, the hearing officer, as a representative of the Director of the Department of Water Resources (Department), proposes the following findings, conclusions and order:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Vital information regarding the three minimum streamflow applications is:

Application No. 35-8556

Source: South Thousand Springs Channel

Flow Rate: 500 cfs from January 1 through December 31

Location: Beginning at the Idaho Power Thousand Springs Power Plant in Government Lot 3 (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 8, T8S, R14E, B.M., and extending downstream to the confluence with the Snake River, located

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in Government Lot 1, (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$),
Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M.

Purpose: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation,
aquatic life, beauty and fish and
wildlife habitat.

Priority: August 3, 1990

Application No. 35-8557

Source: Sculpin Springs Creek

Flow Rate: 33 cfs from January 1 through December
31

Location: Beginning at a point where the water
falls off the Snake River canyon wall,
located in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 17,
T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to
the confluence of Sculpin Springs Creek
and the Snake River, located in
Government Lot 4, (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section
17, T8S, R14E, B.M., Gooding County.

Purpose: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation,
aquatic life, and fish and wildlife
habitat.

Priority: August 3, 1990

Application No. 36-8558

Source: Springs and Sand Springs Creek

Flow Rate: 34 cfs from January 1 through December 31

Location: Beginning at the outflow of the
headwater spring from the Snake River
wall, located in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section
17, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream
to where Sand Springs Creek discharges
into the Snake River, located in
Government Lot 5, (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section
17, T8S, R14E, B.M., Gooding County.
This minimum streamflow would include
all unappropriated water that discharges
to the creek within the reach, including

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Purpose: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation aquatic life, and fish and wildlife habitat.

2. The flows of South Thousand Springs Channel, Sculpin Springs Creek and Sand Springs Creek were measured with an AA meter in May and June of 1990. The flows were measured by Cindy Lunte, a Nature Conservancy employee. Ms. Lunte has taken several hydrology courses while obtaining a masters degree in liminology, and has been field trained to measure water by USGS personnel.

4. The flow within the South Thousand Springs Channel was measured at 500 cubic feet per second.

6. Flow of Springs and Sand Springs Creek was measured at 34 cfs.

8. A prior minimum streamflow, numbered 36-8307 was established to preserve the Minnie Miller Springs which discharge into the north portion of the Thousand Springs channel. It also established a minimum streamflow in the north channel. Application no. 35-8556 proposes protection for the outflow waters from the Idaho Power Plant, which flow south to the Snake River. The flows of Sand Springs and Sculpin Springs Creek are also contributors to the Thousand Springs south outflow channel. Application nos. 36-8557 and 36-8558 seek protection of these tributary springs. All the above applications seek to protect the remaining Thousand Springs in a near natural state.

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channels, are a remnant of the large springs which once flowed undeveloped to the Snake River.

10. The preserved land owned and operated by Nature Conservancy will be referred to as the Minnie Miller Farm complex. The complex includes an island which is separated from the north bank of the Snake River by the south and north Thousand Springs Channel.

11. The entire channel is open to the general public by canoe or boat. The banks can also be used by fishermen and hunters.

12. The only area where public access is restricted is the farmstead and higher land on the island. Nature Conservancy restricts general access because of fear about vandalism. Nature Conservancy has arranged with Parks and Recreation to conduct tours of the area. Last year, tours of people visited the site almost weekly.

13. The Thousand Springs Channels, Sand Springs Creek and Sculpin Springs Creek are home to several species of concern, including the Snake River Sculpin. Development of many of the other springs in the area has caused a decline in their numbers, resulting in designation as species of special concern.

14. The South Thousand Springs Channel offers recreational and aesthetic value, as well as fishing opportunity to the general public.

15. There are no new proposals for water diversions from these sources that would affect the minimum streamflows.

16. These springs and channels are fed by the Snake River Plain Aquifer, which emits into the Snake River Canyon as springs.

17. Sand Springs, Sculpin Springs and the respective outfall channels will fluctuate depending on the future withdrawal of ground water from the aquifer, and the volume of surface water diverted onto lands overlying the Snake River Plain Aquifer that might recharge the aquifer.

18. The long term capability of maintenance of the flows is directly dependent on water use on the lands overlying the Snake River Plain Aquifer.

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CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. Idaho Code § 42-1501 provides that streamflow preservation for the protection of fish and wildlife habitat, aquatic life, recreation, aesthetic beauty, navigation, and water quality when made pursuant to the minimum streamflow statutes, is in the public interest and is declared to be a beneficial use of such water.

2. Idaho Code § 42-1503 sets forth the criteria to be considered by the Department in reviewing an application for minimum streamflow:

Upon the conclusion of the hearings and completion of any investigation conducted by the director, he shall enter his findings in writing approving the application in full, or in part, or upon conditions or rejecting said application. Approval of any such application must be based upon the findings that such appropriation of minimum streamflow:

- (a) will not interfere with any vested water right, permit, or water right application with priority of right date earlier than the date of receipt in the office of the director of a complete application for appropriation of minimum streamflow filed under the provisions of this act;
- (b) is in the public, as opposed to private, interest;
- (c) is necessary for the preservation of fish and wildlife habitat, aquatic life, recreation, aesthetic beauty, navigation, transportation, or water quality of the stream;
- (d) is the minimum flow or lake level and not the ideal or most desirable flow or lake level; and
- (e) is capable of being maintained as evidenced by records of streamflows and water levels and the existing or future establishment of necessary gauging stations and bench marks.

3. Any right to be acquired under this application is for instream nonconsumptive use and is subject to all vested water rights, permits, or water right applications having dates of priority earlier than the respective filing dates of the applications set forth in the findings of fact.

4. The minimum streamflows are necessary for the preservation of aesthetic enjoyment, recreation, and fish habitat.

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5. The minimum streamflows are in the public, as opposed to the private interest. Nature Conservancy has represented that it will continue to allow public access into the area.

6. The minimum streamflows sought are minimum flows and not maximum flows. The reasoning to support this conclusion is that the springs and outflow channels are only a remnant of the springs and channels that once flowed naturally into the Snake River. Any further degradation of these remaining undisturbed springs and channels would be less than minimally acceptable.

7. The minimum streamflows sought are capable of being maintained.

8. In response to litigation over the depletion of ground water discharge from the Snake River Plain Aquifer initiated by Idaho Power Company to protect its surface water flows in the Snake River, the Idaho Legislature declared in Idaho Code § 42-203B that it was in the public interest to regulate the use of Snake River water for power purposes in order to assure an adequate supply of water in the Snake River Plain Aquifer for all future beneficial uses.

9. The Idaho Legislature specifically ratified an agreement between the State of Idaho and Idaho Power Company in Idaho Code § 42-203B(5) which implements the public interest of supplying water for future beneficial use. The agreement expressly provides for a partial depletion of Snake River surface water flows resulting from development in the Snake River Plain Aquifer.

10. The analysis portion of Policy 5G of the State Water Plan, which has been ratified by the legislature, states:

Aquaculture can expand when and where water supplies are available and where such uses do not conflict with other beneficial uses. It is recognized, however, that future management and development of the Snake River Plain Aquifer may reduce the present flow of springs tributary to the Snake River

11. Policy 5G of the State Water Plan contemplates a reduction in ground water discharge to the Snake River as a result of development in the Snake River Plain Aquifer. Policy 5G implies a determination by the Water Board and the ratifying legislature that a reduction of discharge to the Snake River in exchange for development in the Snake River Plain Aquifer is in the public interest.

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12. The spring flows from Sculpin Springs, Sand Springs, and Thousand Springs portion of the ground water discharge flows which the legislature has declared may be partially reduced in favor of the public interest in development of the Snake River Plain Aquifer.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that applications for permit nos. 36-8556, 36-8557 and 36-8558 are APPROVED subject to the following conditions:

1. The use of water under these permits is subject to all prior water rights.

2. The use of water under these permits shall be nonconsumptive.

3. Use of water under these permits shall recognize and allow the continued beneficial diversion of water for irrigation or other purposes under any prior existing water right established by diversion and application to beneficial use or by an application, permit, or license on file or issued by the Director under the provisions of Chapter 2, Title 42, Idaho Code, with the priority of water right date earlier than August 3, 1990, for these applications for permit.

4. These permits for minimum streamflow shall be junior and subordinate to all consumptive use rights diverted from ground water within the Snake River Aquifer tributary to Thousand Springs, Sculpin Springs Creek and Springs and Sand Springs Creek, held in trust by the State of Idaho, which may be approved or diverted later in time than the priority of these permits. Approval of these minimum streamflow permits shall not give rise to any right or claim against any future rights to the consumptive use of ground water held in trust by the State of Idaho initiated later in time than the proposed priority of these permits and any subsequent license to the extent that such uses are within the limits established pursuant to the Swan Falls Agreement, the Idaho State Water Plan, and Chapter 2, Title 42, Idaho Code.

5. These minimum streamflows are subject to review and cancellation if public access is ever denied.

6. Upon the future finding and order of the Director that gauging stations are required to maintain the approved minimum flow on South Thousand Springs, Sculpin Springs Creek and Springs and Sand Springs Creek and its estuary, such measuring devices

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shall be permanently installed and maintained as specified by the Department.

7. Proof of instream beneficial use of the minimum streamflows appropriated may be submitted to the Department immediately following approval of this permit by the legislature, but not later than five (5) years of the approval of these permits is finally effective.

Dated this 25th day of November, 1991.



GARY SPACKMAN, Hearing Officer
Idaho Department of Water Resources

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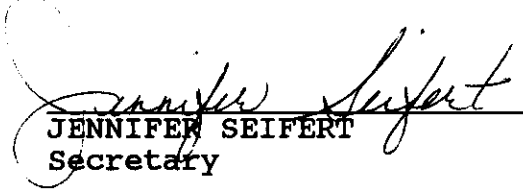
CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that on the 3rd day of December, 1991, I mailed a true and correct copy of the Proposed Memorandum Decision and Order and the Order Issuing Proposed Memorandum and Decision, postage prepaid, to the following individuals:

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Idaho Water Resource Board
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Department of Water Resources
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To appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho

1. Name of applicant Idaho Water Resource Board Phone (208) 327-7900

Post office address Statehouse Mail Boise, Idaho 83720

2. Source of water supply South Thousand Spring Estuary which is a tributary of SNAKE RIVER

3. Location of point of diversion is reach NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Govt. Lot 1

Sec. 17 Township 8S Range 14E B.M. Gooding County; upstream

to the points of diversion outflow station at the Idaho Power Thousand Springs Plant in
Lot 3 (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section 8, T8S, R14E.

4. Water will be used for the following purposes:

Amount 500 for Instream Flow purposes from 1/1 to 12/31 (both dates inclusive)
(cfs or acre-feet per annum)

Amount _____ for _____ purposes from _____ to _____ (both dates inclusive)
(cfs or acre-feet per annum)

Amount _____ for _____ purposes from _____ to _____ (both dates inclusive)
(cfs or acre-feet per annum)

Amount _____ for _____ purposes from _____ to _____ (both dates inclusive)
(cfs or acre-feet per annum)

5. Total quantity to be appropriated is (a) 500 and/or (b) _____
cubic feet per second acre feet per annum

6. Proposed diverting works:

a. Description of ditches, flumes, pumps, headgates, etc. None - Instream Flow

b. Height of storage dam N/A feet; active reservoir capacity _____ acre-feet; total
reservoir capacity _____ acre-feet; period of year when water will be diverted to storage:
_____ to _____ inclusive.

c. Proposed well diameter is N/A inches; proposed depth of well is _____ feet.

d. Is ground water with a temperature of greater than 90°F being sought? NO

7. Time required for the completion of the works and application of the water to the proposed beneficial use is
5* years (minimum 1 year).

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* ADDED BY GARY SPACKMAN ON 8/10/90

8. Description of proposed uses (if irrigation only, go to item 9):

- Hydropower; show total feet of head and proposed capacity in KW. _____
- Stockwatering; list number and kind of livestock. _____
- Municipal; show name of municipality. _____
- Domestic; show number of households. _____
- Other; describe fully. To maintain scenic beauty, significant riparian and wildlife habitat and recreational qualities. South Thousand Springs Estuary provides habitat for the endangered Shoshone Sculpin, endemic to the Hagerman Valley.

9. Description of place of use:

- If water is for irrigation, indicate acreage in each subdivision in the tabulation below.
- If water is used for other purposes, place a symbol of the use (example: D for Domestic) in the corresponding place of use below. See instructions for standard symbols.

TWP	RANGE	SEC.	NE¼				NW¼				SW¼				SE¼				TOTALS
			NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	NE¼	NW¼	SW¼	SE¼	
8S	14E	8									SL3 JRW		JRW	SL4					
8S	14E	17					SL1 JRW												

Total number of acres to be irrigated _____

10. Describe any other water rights used for the same purposes as described above. _____

- Who owns the property within the MSF reach of the Snake River? The Nature Conservancy/Idaho Power Co.
- Who owns the land to be irrigated or place of use? The Nature Conservancy/Idaho Power Co.
- If the property is owned by a person other than the applicant, describe the arrangement enabling the applicant to make this filing. The Nature Conservancy has formally requested that the IDP & R petition for this application.

12. Remarks: The reach proposed for this instream flow is from the confluence of South Thousand Springs Estuary with the Snake River, upstream to the point where the water exits Idaho Power Company's Thousand Springs Power Plant. It includes all water that joins the Estuary upstream of the confluence with The Snake and downstream of the power plant.

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F. Dore Byrdalch
(Applicant)

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ACTION OF THE DIRECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

This is to certify that I have examined Application for Permit to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho No. 36-8556, and said application is hereby APPROVED.

1. Approval of said application is subject to the following limitations and conditions:

a. SUBJECT TO ALL PRIOR WATER RIGHTS.

b. Proof of construction of works and application of water to beneficial use shall be submitted on or before January 1, 19 97.

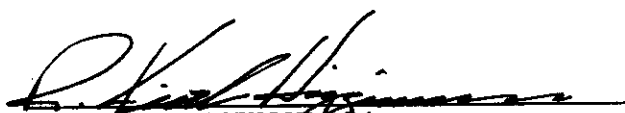
c. The rate of diversion, if water is to be used for irrigation under this permit, when combined with all other water rights for the same land shall not exceed 0.02 cubic feet per second for each acre of land.

d. The water right acquired under this permit if for hydropower purposes shall be junior and subordinate to all rights to the use of water, other than hydropower, within the State of Idaho that are initiated later in time than the priority of this permit and shall not give rise to any right or claim against any future rights to the use of water, other than hydropower, within the State of Idaho initiated later in time than the priority of this permit.

e. Other:

PURSUANT TO THE FINAL MEMORANDUM DECISION AND ORDER.

Dated this 2ND day of January, 1992.


R. KEITH HIGGINSON, Director
Department of Water Resources

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ATTACHMENT TO APPLICATION FOR PERMIT
TO APPROPRIATE A MINIMUM STREAM FLOW

11. Provide evidence that the appropriation will not interfere with any vested water right, permit, or water right application of earlier date of priority.

We have checked the records, and find that there are no senior water rights. A minimum stream flow, if granted, would be subordinate to all prior existing water rights.

12. Provide evidence to show that the appropriation would be in the public interest as opposed to private interest.

The spring water is visible from the Thousand Springs Scenic Route. They provide water for recreational floating, swimming, and boating via the Thousand Springs Power Plant site. They also provide hunting and fishing opportunities.

13. Provide evidence or justification that the appropriation is necessary for the purposes shown in Item 4.

There are very few remnants of the Thousand Springs left. It is necessary to obtain an instream flow appropriation at the springs to maintain the estuary at Minnie Miller Springs.

14. Provide evidence that the minimum flow or lake level is minimum and not the ideal or most desirable flow or lake level.

The amount of instream flow requested is the minimum needed to preserve the springs in their current state.

15. Provide evidence that the flow or lake level requested is capable of being maintained as evidenced by records of stream flows and water levels.

The flow data was measured in May at which time the flow is at the lowest amount of the year. This low spring level is capable of being maintained year round. Please note The Nature Conservancy memo stating which time of year the flows were taken and the amounts that were recorded.

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16. Describe the location of existing gaging stations that can be used in the administration of this appropriation.

There are no permanent gaging stations in place at this time. A temporary gage is placed in the stream and read as needed. It could be measured monthly or bimonthly.

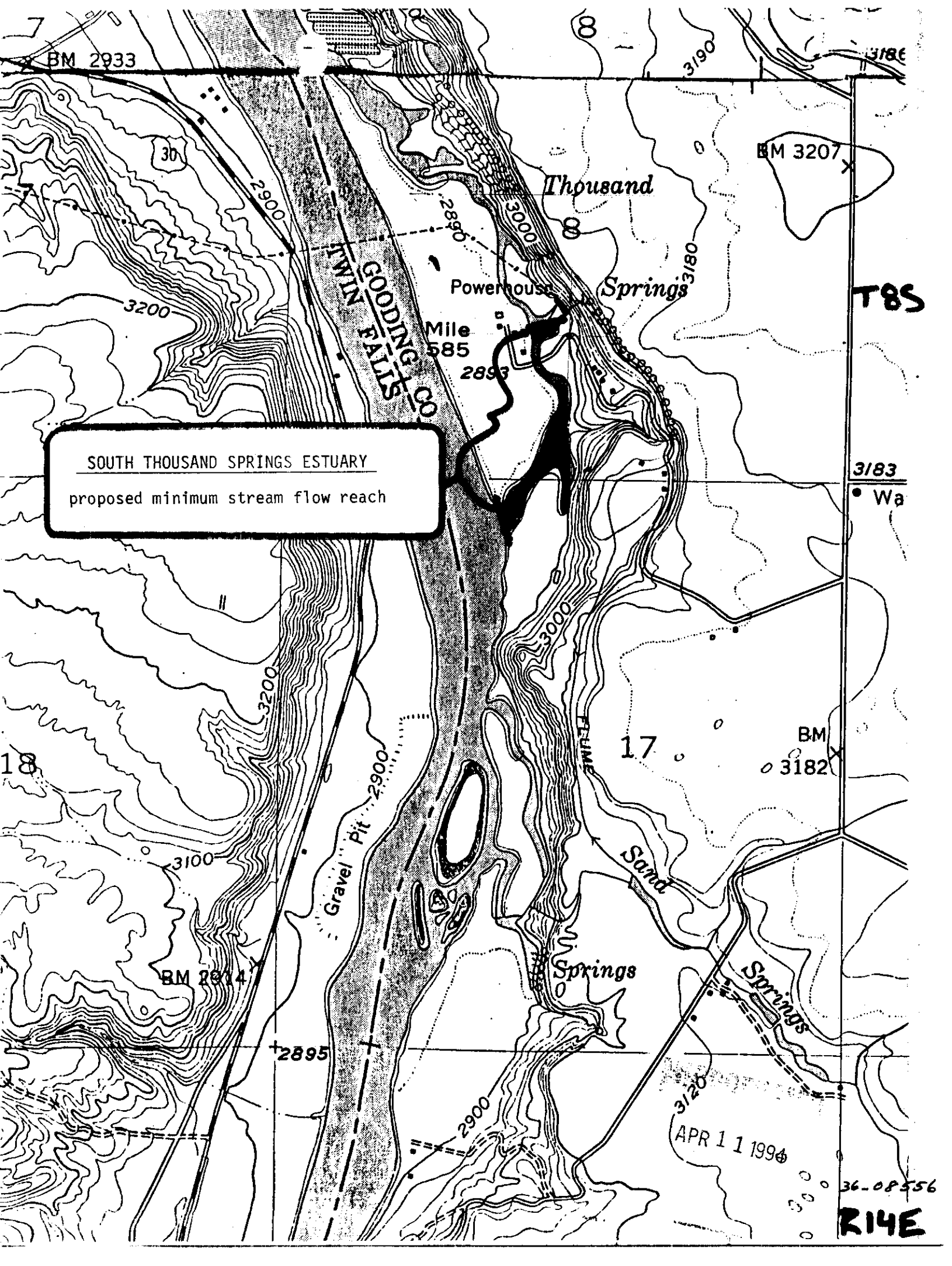
17. Do you intend to install additional gaging stations? Describe the location.

No permanent gaging station will be installed. The temporary stations will be used for the next four years of data gathering.

18. List any additional remarks related to this minimum stream flow application.

The Nature Conservancy is particularly interested in seeking protection for some of the remaining spring water that flows in and around Minnie Miller Springs and esturay. Minnie Miller Springs is the only remaining protected canyon wall free flowing spring of the historic Thousand springs.

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SOUTH THOUSAND SPRINGS ESTUARY
proposed minimum stream flow reach

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Mark

FROM: Lou

DATE: June 8, 1990

RE: Description of reaches & flows for in stream rights application at Thousand Springs.

Thousand Springs:

Flow measured May 9, 1990 to be 34 CFS (see map for location of measurement transect).

Stream Reach description - Beginning at the outflow of the unnamed springs from the Snake River canyon wall, located in E1/2E1/2SE1/4SW1/4 and SW1/4SW1/4SE1/4 Sec 17 T8S R14E, and that portion of the water that falls off the Snake River Canyon wall in the NW most corner of NW1/4SW1/4SE1/4 Sec 17 T8S R14E and flows south into the stream channel, to a point where the stream discharges into the Snake River in the NW1/4SE1/4NE1/4SW1/4.

Sculpin Springs:

Flow measured May 9, 1990 to be 33 CFS (see map for location of measurement transect).

Stream Reach Description - beginning at a point where the water falls off the Snake River Canyon wall in the NW most corner of NW1/4SW1/4SE1/4 Sec 17 T8S R14E and flows north in the stream channel to a point where the stream discharges into the Snake River in the NW1/4SE1/4SE1/4NW1/4.

South Channel - Thousand Springs Power Plant

Flow measured June 7, 1990 to be 500 CFS (see map for location of measurement transect).

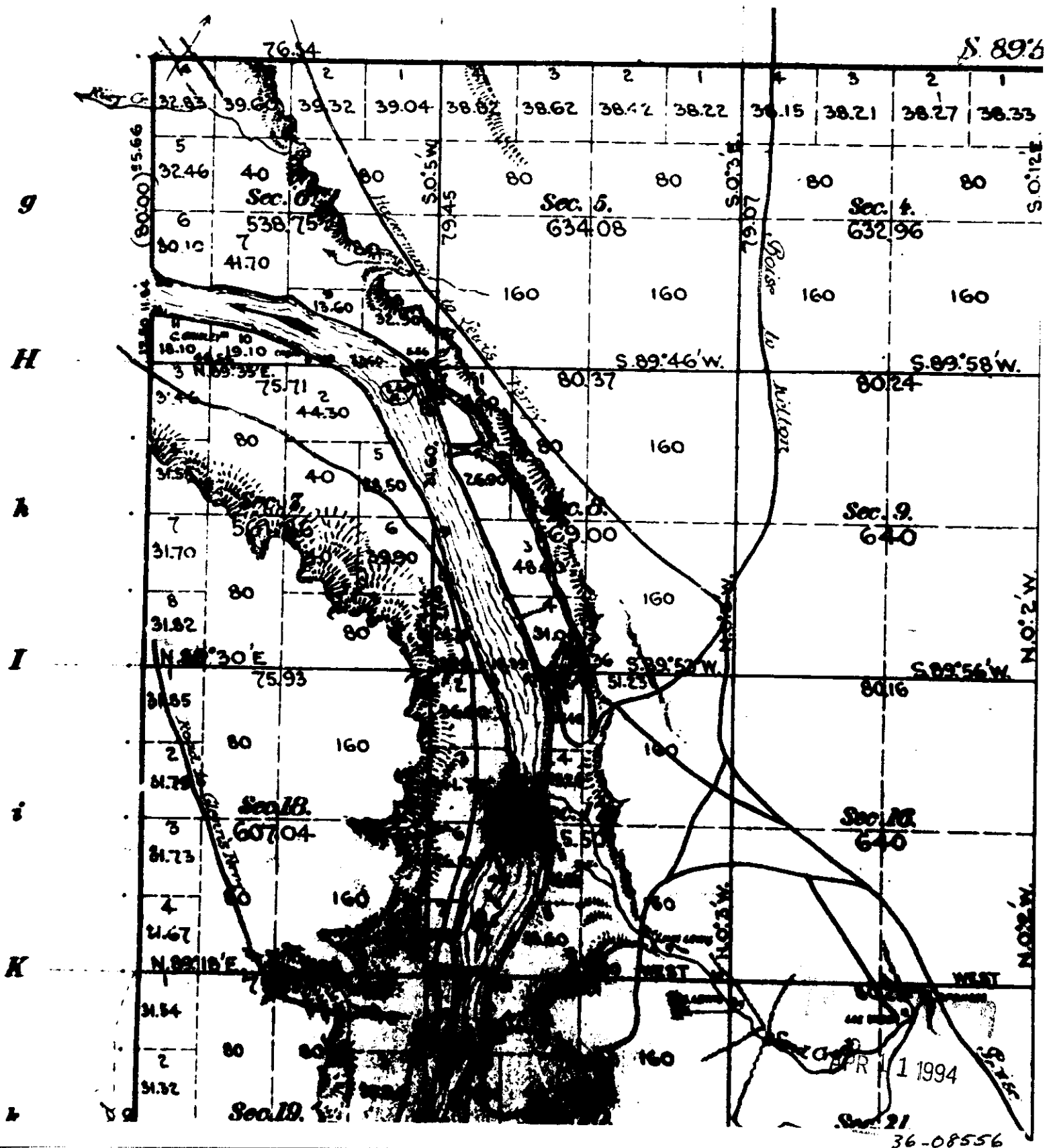
Stream Reach Description - beginning at the Idaho Power Thousand Springs Power Plant, in SE1/4SE1/4NE1/4SW1/4 Sec 8 T8S R14E, and headed south to a point where the stream discharges into the Snake River in the N1/2NE1/4NE1/4NW1/4 Sec 17 T8S R14E.

PURPOSE: Flows to be maintained for the local public interest: Scenic enjoyment and recreation, aesthetic beauty, and fish and wildlife habitat.

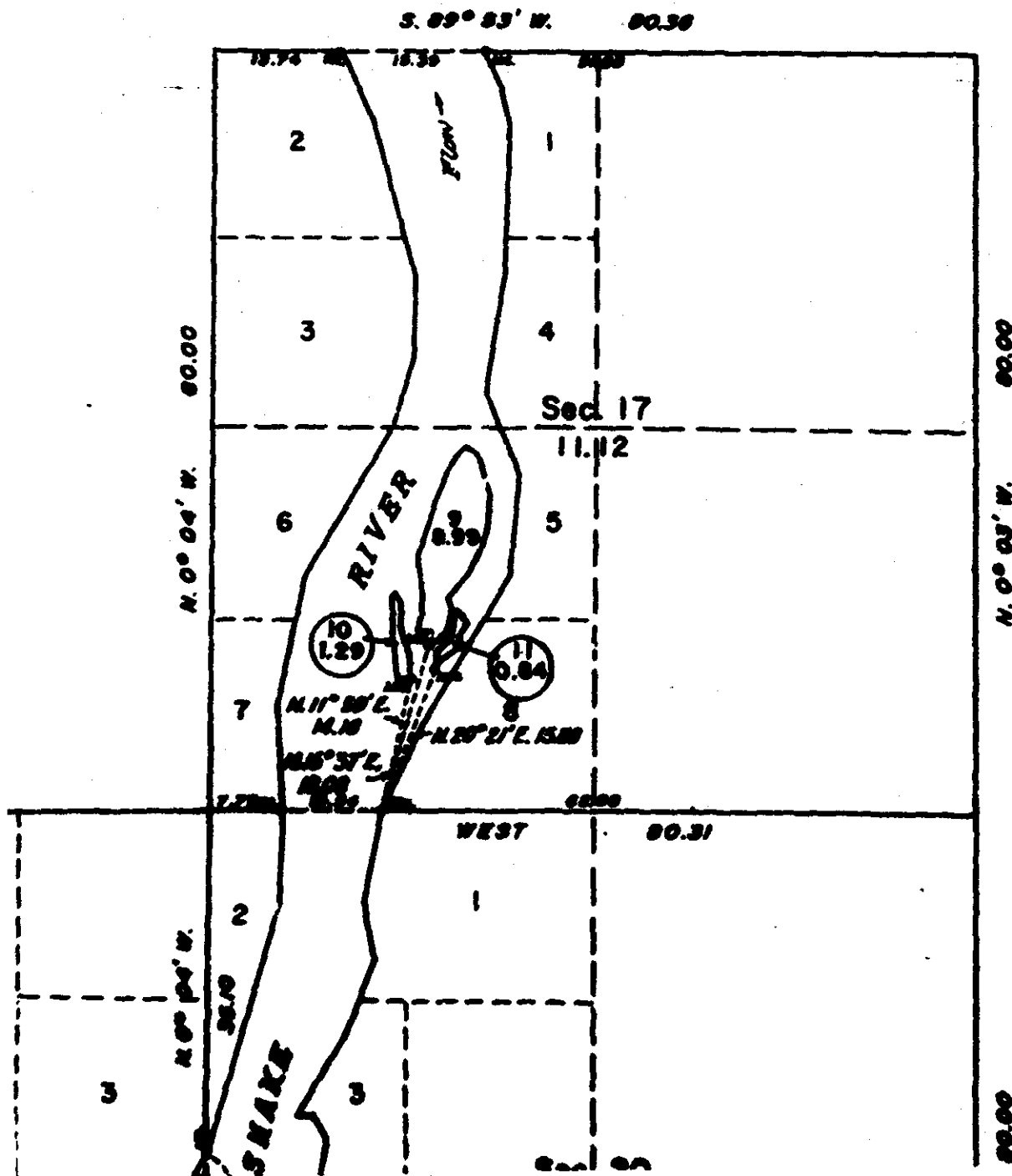
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..... *S. Bob Bright*
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this ... 16th ... day of October 1991..

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**NOTICE OF HEARING
FOR APPLICATION
FOR MINIMUM STREAMFLOW**

Notice is hereby given that the Idaho Water Resource Board submitted applications for permit to appropriate water to the Department of Water Resources on August 3, 1990, proposing to appropriate water for minimum instream flows in several springs and outflow channels in the vicinity of Thousand Springs. The applications are further described as follows:

Source: South Thousand Springs Channel
Application No.: 36-8556
Proposed Priority: August 3, 1990
Amount and Period of Use: 500.0 cfs from January 1, through December 31
Purpose of Minimum Flow: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, beauty, and fish and wildlife habitat.
Place of Use: Beginning at the Idaho Power Thousand Springs Power Plant, in Government Lot 3 (SE4NE4SW4), Section 8, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to the confluence with the Snake River, located in Government Lot 1 (NE4NE4NW4), Section 17, T8S, R14E.
Source: Sculpin Springs Creek
Application No.: 36-8557
Proposed Priority: August 3, 1990
Amount and Period of Use: 33.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31
Purpose of Minimum Flow: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, and fish and wildlife habitat.
Place of Use: Beginning at a point where the water falls off the Snake River canyon wall, located in the NW4SW4SE4, Section 17, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to the confluence of Sculpin Springs Creek and the Snake River, located in Government Lot 4 (SE4SE4NW4), Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M., Gooding County.
Source: Springs and Sand Springs Creek
Application No.: 36-8558
Proposed Priority: August 3, 1990
Amount and Period of Use: 34.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31
Purpose of Minimum Flow: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, and fish and wildlife habitat.
Place of Use: Beginning at the outflow of the headwater spring from the Snake River wall, located in the SW4SW4SE4, Section 17, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to where Sand Springs Creek discharges into the Snake River, located in Government Lot 5 (SE4NE4SW4), Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M., Gooding County. This minimum streamflow would include all unappropriated water that discharges to the creek within the reach, including any springs from their point of origin to their

discharge into the creek.

The Director of the Department of Water Resources will hold a public hearing in the Hagerman Senior Citizen's Center, 140 Lake street, Hagerman, Idaho, beginning at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday October 22, 1991, for the purpose of hearing evidence in regard to the application. The hearing will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of Section 42-1503, Idaho Code.

The hearing will recess at the close of formal testimony, but will reconvene at 7:00 p.m. for the taking of public testimony.

Any party who wishes to formally appear in the proceeding for the purpose of presenting evidence or cross examining witnesses should file a notice of appearance with the Director of the Department of Water Resources, 222 Shoshone St. East, Twin Falls, Idaho 83301, five (5) days prior to the hearing. Other parties will be given an opportunity to informally present their views and comments without filing a notice of appearance. Written informal views and comments may also be submitted to the Department of Water Resources prior to the hearing.

If issued, these permits will be subject to all prior water rights.

R. KEITH HIGGINSON, Director
Idaho Department of Water Resources
Published: October 3, 1991

*See application for hearing
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pertaining to permits*

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NOTICE OF HEARING FOR APPLICATION FOR MINIMUM STREAMFLOW

Notice is hereby given that the Idaho Water Resource Board submitted applications for permit to appropriate water to the Department of Water Resources on August 3, 1990, pursuant to appropriate water for minimum streamflow flows in several surface and outflow channels in the vicinity of Thousand Springs. The applications are described as follows:

Source:
Application No.:
Proposed Priority:
Amount and Period of Use:
Purpose of Minimum Flow:

South Thousand Springs Channel
B-2000
August 3, 1990
30.0 cfs from January 1, through December 31
Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life,
fish and wildlife habitat.

Source:
Application No.:
Proposed Priority:
Amount and Period of Use:
Purpose of Minimum Flow:

Beginning at the Idaho Power Thousand Springs Power Plant, in Government Lot 4 (SE1/4NW1/4), Section 17, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to the confluence with the Snake River located in Government Lot 1 (SE1/4NW1/4), Section 17, T8S, R14E, Snake Springs Creek
B-2007
August 3, 1990
30.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31
Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life,
and fish and wildlife habitat.

Place of Use:

Beginning at a point where the water falls off the Snake River canyon wall, located in the NW1/4NW1/4, Section 17, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to the confluence of Snake Springs Creek and the Snake River, located in Government Lot 1 (SE1/4NW1/4), Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M., Gooding County
Spring and Sand Springs Creek
B-2008
August 3, 1990
30.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31
Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life,
and fish and wildlife habitat.

Source:
Application No.:
Proposed Priority:
Amount and Period of Use:
Purpose of Minimum Flow:

Beginning at the outflow of the headwater spring from the Snake River wall, located in the SW1/4NW1/4, Section 17, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to where Sand Springs Creek discharges into the Snake River, located in Government Lot 1 (SE1/4NW1/4), Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M., Gooding County. This minimum streamflow would include all appropriated water that discharges to the creek within the reach, including any springs from their point of origin to their discharge into the creek.

Place of Use:

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The Director of the Department of Water Resources will hold a public hearing in the Hagerman Senior Center, 1401 14th Street, Hagerman, Idaho, beginning at 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, October 11, 1991, for the purpose of hearing testimony in regard to the application. The hearing will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of Idaho Code, Title 2, Chapter 12, Section 12-1201. The hearing will be conducted at the residence of the applicant, but will reconvene at 1:00 p.m. for the taking of testimony.

The hearing will be held in accordance with the provisions for the purpose of presenting evidence or testimony in support of the application. The Department of the Department of Water Resources, 222 Brookside Blvd., Lewiston, Idaho 83501, will be present at the hearing. The hearing will be held in accordance with the provisions for the purpose of presenting evidence or testimony in support of the application. The Department of the Department of Water Resources, 222 Brookside Blvd., Lewiston, Idaho 83501, will be present at the hearing. The hearing will be held in accordance with the provisions for the purpose of presenting evidence or testimony in support of the application. The Department of the Department of Water Resources, 222 Brookside Blvd., Lewiston, Idaho 83501, will be present at the hearing.

R. KEITH HIGGINSON, Director
Idaho Department of Water Resources

I, SS.
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maister, being duly sworn,

I, the Legal Clerk

ing Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Idaho, publishers of the TRIBUNE, a newspaper of general circulation in Nez Perce County, Idaho; That the said Lewiston established paper and has been published regularly at least once a day for more than 21 consecutive days preceding the first publication of this notice, and uninterrupted for said period; that the

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for 2 consecutive WEEKS, the first publication on the 10/11/91, and the last publication on the 10/11/91, and said

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the regular and entire issue of said newspaper and thereof and was so published in every issue and paper, during the period and times of publication as

Sue Baumeister

SWORN BEFORE ME THIS THE 16

1991

Sheral M. Lentz

Notary Public in and for the State of Idaho,
residing at Lewiston, therein.

TRIBUNE PUBLISHING COMPANY, INC.
The Lewiston Morning Tribune
505 C St., P.O. Box 957
Lewiston, Idaho 83501
(208) 743-9411

Date 10-18-91 INVOICE No. 100309788
Account No. 446620 THOJBANE
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SOLD TO:

DEPT OF WATER RESOURCES
122 GHOSENE ST EAST
TWIN FALLS
ID 83301

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Department of Water Resources
Southern Region Office

NOTICE: This is an invoice of Purchase made by you. Statement will be rendered the first of the month.
Please Retain This Invoice as Your Statement Will Refer To Invoice by No. Only.

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STATE OF IDAHO, ss.
County of Nez Perce

Sue Baumeister, being duly sworn,
deposes and says, I am the Legal Clerk
of the Tribune Publishing Company, a corporation organized and existing
under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Idaho, publishers of the
LEWISTON MORNING TRIBUNE, a newspaper of general circulation
published at Lewiston, Nez Perce County, Idaho; That the said Lewiston
Morning Tribune is an established paper and has been published regular-
ly and issued regularly at least once a day for more than 21 consecutive
years next immediately preceding the first publication of this notice, and
has been so published uninterrupted for said period; that the

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was so published in the regular and entire issue of said newspaper and
not in a supplement thereof and was so published in every issue and
number of the said paper, during the period and times of publication as
set forth above.

Sue Baumeister
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN BEFORE ME THIS THE 16
day of October 1991

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Department of Defense
Washington, D.C. 20301

2 consecutive issues in said newspaper proper and not in a supplement; that the date of the first publication of said advertisement was on the 2nd day of Oct, 1991, and the date of the last publication was on the 9th day of Oct, 1991.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Oct., 1991.

(SEAL)

Lucia J. Santiago
NOTARY PUBLIC

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Gooding, Idaho

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36-8557

Vol. of AP. 36-8558

TITLE OF NOTICE

3 Springs & Sand
Creek

PLAINTIFF ATTORNEY

DEFENDANT:

PLAINTIFF

IO. Dept water resource
BILL TO

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC
MEETING MINIMUM
STREAMFLOW
APPLICATIONS

Notice is hereby given that the IDAHO WATER RESOURCE BOARD will hold a public meeting at 7:30 P. M. on October 17, 1990 at the Hagerman Valley Senior Citizens Center, 140 E. Lake Street, Hagerman, ID 83332. Staff will discuss the Board's applications to appropriate water for minimum streamflows in the South Thousand Springs Estuary, Sculpin Springs Creek and Sand Springs Creek. The applications are further described as follows:

Application No: 36-08556
Source: South Thousand Spring Estuary tributary to Snake River

Proposed Priority: 8/3/1990

Stream Reach Description - The reach for this instream flow is from the confluence of South Thousand Springs Estuary with the Snake River, upstream to the point where the water exits Idaho Power Company's Thousand Springs Power Plant. It includes all water that joins the Estuary upstream of the confluence with The Snake and downstream of the power plant.

Beginning at the outflow station of the Idaho Power Thousand Springs Plant in Govt. Lot 3 (SE1/4NE1/4SW1/4), Section 8, T8S, R14E B.M., Gooding County, and extending downstream to its confluence with the Snake River in Govt. Lot 1 (NE1/4NE1/4NW1/4) of Section 17, T8S, R14E B.M.

Amount & Period of Use: 500 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31

Application No: 36-08557
Source: Sculpin Springs Creek tributary to Snake River

Proposed Priority: 8/3/1990

Stream Reach Description - The reach proposed for this instream flow is from the confluence of Sculpin Springs Creek with the Snake River, upstream to the point where the water falls off of the Snake River Canyon Wall. It also includes all unappropriated water that joins the creek throughout this reach.

Beginning at the point where water falls over the Snake River Canyon wall in the NW1/4SW1/4SE1/4, Section 17, T8S, R14E B.M., Gooding County, and extending downstream to its confluence with the Snake River in Govt. Lot 4 (SE1/4SE1/4NW1/4), Section 17, T8S, R14E B.M.

Amount & Period of Use: 33 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31.

Application No: 36-08558
Source: Springs and Sand Springs Creek tributary to Snake River

Proposed Priority: 8/3/1990

Stream Reach Description - The reach proposed for this instream flow is from the confluence of Sand Springs Creek with The Snake River, upstream to the outflow of the unnamed springs at the base of the Snake River Canyon Wall. It also includes all unappropriated water that joins the creek throughout this reach.

Beginning at its headwater spring located in the SW1/4SW1/4SE1/4, Section 17, T8S, R14E B.M., Gooding County and extending downstream to its confluence with the Snake River in Govt. 5 (SE1/4NE1/4SW1/4), Section 17, T8S, R14E B.M.

Amount & Period of Use: 34 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31

Purpose of Minimum Instream Flows: Flows to be maintained for the local public interest: Scenic enjoyment and recreation, aesthetic beauty, and fish and wildlife habitat.

If approved, these applications will be junior to all existing rights within the minimum streamflow reaches.

The applications are on file and may be reviewed at the Southern Region Office of the Department of Water Resources, 222 Shoshone Street East, Twin Falls, ID 83301.

GENE M. GRAY,
CHAIRMAN
IDAHO WATER
RESOURCE BOARD
PUBLISH: Thursday, October 4 and 11, 1990.

Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF IDAHO

COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

SS.

NOV 1 1990

I, Linda Capps McBride being first duly sworn upon oath, depose and say that I am Public Clerk of the Department of Water Resources, published daily, at Twin Falls, Idaho, and do solemnly swear that a copy of the notice of advertisement, as per clipping attached, was published in the regular and entire issue of said newspaper, and not in any supplement thereof, for Two consecutive Weeks, commencing with the issue dated October 4, 1990, and ending with the issue dated October 11, 1990.

And I do further certify that said newspaper is a consolidation, effective February 16, 1942, of the Idaho Evening Times, published theretofore daily except Sunday, and the Twin Falls News, published theretofore daily except Monday, both of which newspapers prior to consolidation had been published under said names in said city and county continuously and uninterruptedly during a period of more than twelve consecutive months, and said TIMES-NEWS, since such consolidation, has been published as a daily newspaper except Saturday, until July 31, 1978, at which time said newspaper began daily publication under said name in said city and county continuously and uninterruptedly.

And I further certify that pursuant to Section 60-108 Idaho Code, Thursday of each week has been designated as the day on which legal notice by law or by order of any court of competent jurisdiction within the state of Idaho, to be published weekly, will be published; and that at the head of the editorial column of said combined newspapers, and in each issue thereof, Thursday is announced as the day on which said legal notices will be published.

STATE OF IDAHO
COUNTY OF TWIN FALLS

On this 11 day of October in the year of 1990, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Linda Capps McBride, known or identified to me to be the person whose name subscribed to the within instrument, and being by me first duly sworn, declared that the statements therein are true, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Notary Public for Idaho

Residing at

My commission expires:

Twin Falls County
8/8/96



The Times-News

P.O. Box 548, Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-0548

(208) 733-0931

Oct. 31, 1990

Idaho Water Resources
222 Shoshone St East
Twin Falls ID 83301

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Department of Water Resources
Southern Region Office

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CLAIM #36-08556 ET AL

Two Times

Oct. 4, 1990, 148 lines @ .40- - \$59.20

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Affidavit \$ 3.00

TOTAL DUE \$109.56

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222 Shoshone St East
Twin Falls ID 83301

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Department of Water Resources

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GROSS AMOUNT		109.56		NET AMOUNT		73.56	
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TWIN FALLS TIMES NEWS
122 3RD ST. N.
P.O. BOX 548
TWIN FALLS ID 83303

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State of Idaho,)
) SS.
County of Gooding)

Department of Water Resources
Southern Region Office

John J. Jones, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the printer (publisher) of the Gooding County Leader, a newspaper published every week in Gooding, County of Gooding, State of Idaho, that said newspaper has been continuously and uninterruptedly published for a period of seventy-eight consecutive weeks prior to the first publication of the annexed notice, and is a newspaper qualified to publish legal notices as provided by act of the 1919 session of the legislature of the State of Idaho, known as House Bill 145; that the annexed advertisement was published once

each week for 2 consecutive issues in said newspaper proper and not in a supplement; that the date of the first publication of said advertisement was on the 3rd day of Oct 1990, and the date of the last publication was on the 11th day of Oct, 1990.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Oct, 1990.
(SEAL)

GOODING COUNTY LEADER
Gooding, Idaho

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DEFENDANT

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APPLICATIONS

Notice is hereby given that the IDAHO WATER RESOURCE BOARD will hold a public hearing on the 17th day of October, 1990, at 10:00 a.m. at the Board's Office, 140 E. Main Street, Hagerman, ID 83422. Staff will discuss the Board's application to acquire the right for diversion of water in the Snake River watershed, including the Snake River, Snake River Estuary, Snake River Spring Creek, and Snake River. The applications are further described as follows:

Application No: 30-08566

Source: South Thousand Spring Estuary
tributary to Snake River

Proposed Priority: 2001000

Snake River Estuary - The reach for this diversion flow is from the confluence of South Thousand Spring Estuary with the Snake River, upstream to the point where the water enters Idaho Power Company's Thousand Spring Power Plant. It includes all water that joins the Estuary upstream of the confluence with the Snake and downstream of the power plant.

Beginning at the authorization of the Idaho Power Thousand Spring Plant in Goshute Lot 3 (SE1/4SW1/4SW1/4, Section 5, T8S, R14E, S2E, Gooding County, and extending downstream to the confluence with the Snake River in Goshute Lot 1 (NE1/4SW1/4SW1/4, Section 17, T8S, R14E, S2E).

Amount & Period of Use: 500 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31

Application No: 30-08567

Source: Sculptin Springs Creek tributary to Snake River

Proposed Priority: 2001000

Snake River Estuary - The reach proposed for this diversion flow is from the confluence of Sculptin Springs Creek with the Snake River, upstream to the point where the water falls off of the Snake River Canyon Wall. It also includes all unappropriated water that joins the creek throughout this reach.

Beginning at the point where water falls over the Snake River Canyon wall in the NE1/4SW1/4SW1/4, Section 17, T8S, R14E, S2E, Gooding County, and extending downstream to the confluence with the Snake River in Goshute Lot 4 (SE1/4SW1/4SW1/4, Section 17, T8S, R14E, S2E).

Amount & Period of Use: 30 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31

Application No: 30-08568

Source: Spring Creek and Spring Creek tributary to Snake River

Proposed Priority: 2001000

Snake River Estuary - The reach proposed for this diversion flow is from the confluence of Spring Creek with the Snake River, upstream to the confluence of the Snake River with the Snake River Canyon Wall. It also includes all unappropriated water that joins the creek throughout this reach.

Beginning at the authorization of the Idaho Power Thousand Spring Plant in Goshute Lot 3 (SE1/4SW1/4SW1/4, Section 5, T8S, R14E, S2E, Gooding County, and extending downstream to the confluence with the Snake River in Goshute Lot 5 (SE1/4SW1/4SW1/4, Section 17, T8S, R14E, S2E).

Amount & Period of Use: 34 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31

Purpose of Diversion: American Flows: Flows to be maintained for the local health, economic, social, and recreational benefits, and for the health and safety of the community.

It is requested that these applications be given priority in the Snake River watershed.

The applications are on file and may be obtained at the Southern Region Office of the Department of Water Resources, 222 Broadway Street East, Tula, Idaho 83451.

By: John J. Jones
Idaho Water Resource Board
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State of Idaho

County of Twin Falls

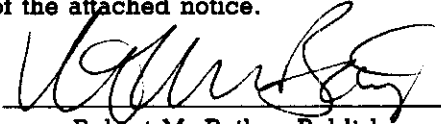
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I, **Robert M. Bailey**, do solemnly swear that I am the publisher of **The Buhl Herald**, a weekly newspaper of general circulation, published once each week at Buhl, Idaho; that the notice attached hereto was published in said newspaper _____

October 3 & 10, 1990

that said notice was published in the regular and entire issue of every number of the paper during the period and time of publication, and that the said notice was published in the newspaper proper, and not in the supplement thereof.

That said newspaper has been printed and published continuously in Buhl, Twin Falls County, Idaho, for a period of more than 78 weeks prior to the first publication of the attached notice.


Robert M. Bailey, Publisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
29th day of Oct., 1990


Tamra Burton, Notary Public.

Residing at Buhl, Idaho
My Commission Expires
October 1, 1992

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STATE OF IDAHO
WATER RESOURCES
222 SHOSHONE STREET EAST
TWIN FALLS, IDAHO 83301

9/30/90 BALANCE FORWARD
10/03/90 4589 LEGAL ADS
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Buhl, Idaho 83316
Phone (208) 543-4335

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All claims and returned goods MUST be accompanied by this bill.

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Thank You

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State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

1301 North Orchard Street, Statehouse Mail, Boise, Idaho 83720-9000

Phone: (208) 327-7900 FAX: (208) 327-7866

PHILIP E. BATT
GOVERNOR

KARL J. DREHER
DIRECTOR

September 18, 1995

STATE OF IDAHO
IDAHO WATER RESOURCE BOARD
STATEHOUSE
BOISE ID 83720

RE: WATER RIGHT NO. 36-08556

Dear Water Right Holder(s):

Enclosed is a copy of the Water Right License issued on the above referenced permit. If you have any questions, please contact me within 10 days of receipt of this license.

Sincerely,

Shelley W. Keen
Water Rights Supervisor

SK:rl

Enclosure

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RIGHT NO. 36-08556

Was flow data submittal a requirement
with proof submittal? Yes No ✓

Data submitted fully complies with permit condition
(i.e. # of years of flow data sufficient) N/A

Name Standardized
Total cfs & div. capacity listed as highest flow
P/D(s) beginning and ending descriptions listed
Use flows defined for entire year
P/U left blank (description in remarks)
Remarks/non-standard conditions
 Non-consumptive
 Watermaster control
 Jurisdiction retains to amend
 Description of reach(es)
 All other applicable permit conditions
 carried forward

Printed license hand-edited ✓

ANALYSIS SHEET
FOR
PROOF OF BENEFICIAL USE

Permit No. 36-08556

Reviewed by [Signature]

Date 3-29-94

GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS

TYPES OF USE

yes Name same as permit?
yes Address same as permit?
yes Proof timely received?
If not, complete calculation below.

min. Stream Flow
Correct Uses? yes

SOURCE OF WATER

☒ Surface water source
☐ Ground water source

☐ Drilling permit required?
☐ Copy in the file? Drilling Permit No. _____
☐ Amount paid for permit _____ Correct?
☐ Well log in the file?

LICENSE EXAMINATION FEE

☐ Required?
☐ Amount Submitted
☐ Correct?

MEASURING DEVICE

☐ Required?
☐ Installed?
☐ Waiver requested?

PRIORITY CALCULATION

Date proof received		
Date proof due	-	
No. of days late	=	
Priority Date	+	
New Priority Date		

DEFICIENCIES OR ACTION ITEMS

Proof acceptable

DATA ENTRY

New Address _____

Proof Made 3-29-94

March 29, 1994

STATE OF IDAHO
IDAHO WATER RESOURCE BOARD
STATEHOUSE MAIL
BOISE ID 83720

PROOF ACKNOWLEDGMENT LETTER

RE: PERMIT NO. 36-08556

Dear Permit Holder:

The department acknowledges receipt of the proof of beneficial use form submitted for the above referenced permit. The next step in the process of developing a water right is for the department to conduct a field examination to determine and confirm the use being made of the water.

If you have questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact the SOUTHERN Regional Office in Twin Falls at (208)736-3033.

Sincerely,

JULIE L. YARBROUGH
Senior Secretary

c: IDWR - Region

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MEMORANDUM

TO: FILE 36-08556 IN THE NAME OF THE IDAHO WATER RESOURCE BOARD;
MINIMUM STREAMFLOW FOR THE SOUTH THOUSAND SPRINGS CHANNEL

FROM: *Gary*
GARY SPACKMAN

DATE: JULY 12, 1993

The Department timely submitted permit to appropriate water no. 36-08556 to the legislature as required by Idaho Code. The Senate approved a joint concurrent resolution approving the permit. The joint resolution was forwarded to the House Resources and Conservation Committee, where it was held and not sent to the full floor of the House of Representatives. Attached is a copy of the Senate concurrent resolution which was passed.

Idaho Code States the permit becomes finally effective unless the legislature affirmatively rejects the permit. As a result, permit no. 36-08556 was implicitly approved by the legislature because of default.

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IN THE SENATE

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 127

BY RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION
2 APPROVING AN APPLICATION TO APPROPRIATE WATER FOR MINIMUM STREAMFLOW.

3 Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

4 WHEREAS, the Idaho Water Resource Board may apply for a permit to appro-
5 priate unappropriated waters of any stream to establish a minimum streamflow;
6 and

7 WHEREAS, under the provisions of Section 42-1503, Idaho Code, an approved
8 application shall not become finally effective until acted upon by the Legis-
9 lature, except that if the Legislature fails to act prior to the end of the
10 regular session to which the application was submitted, the application shall
11 be considered approved; and

12 WHEREAS, the Director of the Department of Water Resources approved Appli-
13 cation for Permit No. 36-8556 on January 2, 1992, by issuing a Final Memoran-
14 dum Decision and Order authorizing the appropriation of a minimum streamflow
15 in the South Thousand Springs Channel of 500.0 cfs from January 1 through
16 December 31. The minimum streamflow begins at the outflow station of the Idaho
17 Power Thousand Springs Plant in Government Lot 3 (SE1/4NE1/4SW1/4), Section 8,
18 T8S, R14E, and extends downstream to its confluence with the Snake River in
19 Government Lot 1 (NE1/4NE1/4NW1/4), Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M., Gooding
20 County.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the members of the Second Regular Ses-
22 sion of the Fifty-first Idaho Legislature, the Senate and the House of Repre-
23 sentatives concurring therein, that the same is hereby approved subject to the
24 conditions and limitations contained in the Final Memorandum Decision and
25 Order, dated January 2, 1992.

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State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

1301 North Orchard Street, Statehouse Mail, Boise, Idaho 83720-9000

Phone: (208) 327-7900 FAX: (208) 327-7866

CECIL D. ANDRUS
GOVERNOR

R. KEITH HIGGINSON
DIRECTOR

January 9, 1992

Senator Michael Crapo, President
Senate Pro Tem
Statehouse Mail
Boise, ID 83720

RE: Water Right Applications for Permit for Minimum Streamflow
Nos.: 37-08258 and 37-08307, Big Wood River; 36-8556,
South Thousand Springs Estuary; 36-8557, Sculpin Springs
Creek; 36-8558, Springs and Sand Springs Creek; 65-12839 and
65-13059, North Fork Payette River; 65-13060, South Fork
Payette River; 97-7308, North Fork East River

Dear Senator Crapo:

Enclosed please find copies of the above referenced
Applications for Permit. Enclosed with the applications are the
decisions and orders which conclude the administrative processing
of the applications.

As you are aware, Section 42-1503, Idaho Code, requires that
the applications be reviewed by the legislature. As defined by
statute, each application "(i) shall not become finally effective
until affirmatively acted upon by concurrent resolution of the
Idaho Legislature; or (ii) except that if the legislature fails
to act prior to the end of the regular session to which the
application was submitted, the application shall be considered
approved."

This letter constitutes submittal of the applications to the
legislature for approval. Please advise me if you desire further
information or presentation on the nature of the applications.

Sincerely,

R. KEITH HIGGINSON
Director

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cc. Legislative Council

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January 9, 1992

Representative, Tom Boyd
Speaker of the House
Statehouse Mail
Boise, ID 83720

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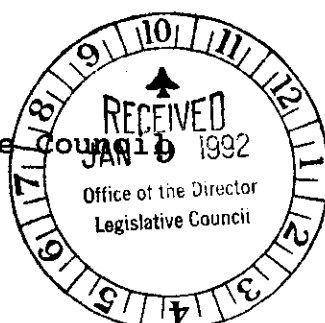
Sincerely,

R. KEITH HIGGINSON
Director

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cc. Legislative Council



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GOVERNOR

R. KEITH HIGGINSON
DIRECTOR

January 3, 1992

Rinda Just
Department of Parks and Recreation
Statehouse Mail
Boise, ID 83720

RE: Applications for Permit Nos. 36-8556, South Thousand
Springs; 36-8557, Sculpin Springs Creek; 36-8558, Springs
and Sand Springs Creek

Dear Ms. Just:

Please find enclosed a copy of the Final Memorandum Decision
and Order on the above referenced permit.

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Respectfully,

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GARY SPACKMAN, Manager
Water Right Permits Section

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R. KEITH HIGGINSON
DIRECTOR

January 3, 1992

Dave Rydalch
Idaho Water Resource Board
Rt. 2 Box 108
St. Anthony, ID 83445

RE: Applications for Permit Nos. 36-8556, South Thousand
Springs; 36-8557, Sculpin Springs Creek; 36-8558, Springs
and Sand Springs Creek

Dear Mr. Rydalch:

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January 3, 1992

Steve Goddard
Idaho Department of Fish and Game
Statehouse Mail
Boise, ID 83720

RE: Applications for Permit Nos. 36-8556, South Thousand
Springs; 36-8557, Sculpin Springs Creek; 36-8558, Springs
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Dear Mr. Goddard:

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DEPARTMENT OF PARKS & RECREATION
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TELEPHONE: (208) 327-7444

December 17, 1991

Gary Spackman, Manager
Water Right Permits Section
Idaho Department of Water Resources
Statehouse Mail
Boise, ID 83720-9000

RE: Proposed Memorandum Decision and Order, Permit Nos. 36-8556, 36-8557,
and 36-8558

Dear Gary:

The Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation has reviewed the December 13, 1991 letter from Cindy Lunte which seeks to correct several factual errors in the proposed decision, and includes one exception to Condition 5 of the proposed order. The department concurs with Ms. Lunte, and adopts the December 13, 1991 letter in its entirety, and submits the same to you pursuant to your Order Issuing Proposed Memorandum Decision.

Thank you for your consideration of our concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Rinda".

Rinda Just
Deputy Attorney General
Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation

cc: Steve V. Goddard, IDFG
Dave Rydalch, IWRB
Keith Higginson, IDWR

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Gary Spackman
Idaho Department of Water Resources
Statehouse Mail
Boise, ID 83720-9000

Department of Water Resources

Dear Mr. Spackman,

We would like to submit the following corrections and exception to the Proposed Memorandum Decision and Order and Order Issuing Proposed Memorandum Decision for applications for permit nos. 36-8556, 36-8557 and 36-8558 establishing minimum stream flows on South Thousand Springs Channel, Sculpin Springs Creek and Springs and Sand Springs Creek:

Corrections:

1. Page 3, #2: limnology is incorrectly spelled.
2. Page 3, #8: The flows from Sand Springs and Sculpin Springs creek do not contribute directly to the Thousand Springs outflow channel. This statement should be corrected to state: The flows of Sand Springs and Sculpin Springs Creek also flow into the Snake River, upriver of the Thousand Springs outflow channel.
3. Page 4, #10: The Snake River flows from south to north through this stretch so the last sentence should read: The complex includes an island which is separated from the east bank of the Snake River by the south and north Thousand Springs Channel.
4. Page 4, #13: We would suggest changing the first sentence to the following: The Thousand Springs Channel, Sands Springs Creek and Sculpin Springs Creek are home to several species of concern, including the Shoshone sculpin and three species of molluscs which are currently under review by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service for possible listing under the Endangered Species Act.
5. Page 2, under Location for Applications Nos. 35-8556 and 35-8557 the proposed Order does not mention the inclusion of unappropriated water discharging into the channel or creek in these stretches, even though both applications did expressly

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mention this. Moreover, under Location for Application No. #36-8558 on pages 2 to 3, the Proposed Order provides: This minimum streamflow would include all unappropriated water that discharges to the creek within the reach, including any springs from their point of origin to their discharge into the creek. Similar such inflows should be included in the Location for Application Nos. 35-8556 and 35-8557, to be consistent with the Location for Application #36-8558 and to track the applications as filed.

Exceptions:

The Conservancy takes exception to Condition Number 5 of the Order found on page 7. This condition is totally open ended and subject to various interpretations as currently written. It could unduly restrict The Nature Conservancy's ability to manage its property for the protection of the fish, wildlife and historic resources found on it. We propose the condition be changed to the following: **These minimum streamflows may be reviewed and may be subject to cancellation if public access within the Thousand Springs Channel, Springs and Sand Springs Creek, and Sculpin Springs Creek or within the mean high water marks on their banks is ever denied.** But while the Conservancy will accept this more specific condition for these applications, we do not agree that a minimum streamflow appropriation is necessarily private and not in the public interest where there is no public access to the stream. The statute providing for such appropriations does not require public access and the public interest can be served by the preservation of fish and wildlife habitat, aquatic life, aesthetic beauty, and water quality without public occupancy of the stream itself.

Thank you for your consideration and attention to these matters.

Sincerely,



Cindy Lunte
Idaho Land Steward
The Nature Conservancy

Copies of this letter have been sent to the following persons:

Dave Rydalch, Idaho Water Resource Board
Steve Goddard, Dept. of Fish and Game
Rinda Just, Department of Parks and Recreation

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Respectfully,

GARY SPACKMAN, Manager
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Dept. of Parks and Recreation
Rinda Just
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Dear Ms. Just:

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Mr. Gary Spackman Manager

Dear Mr. Spackman:

Please enter my name to be a full
party at the meetings in Hagerman on Oct 22 1991
concerning minimum stream flows of water right

Nos 36-8390
36-8556
36-8557
36-8558

Thank you

Yours Truly

Edward C. Shokal
963-Pioneer Rd.
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R. KEITH HIGGINSON
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October 15, 1991

Peggy Johnson
Hagerman Valley Senior Citizen's Center
140 Lake Street
Hagerman, ID 83332

I would like to confirm reservations for the Senior Center on the following dates.

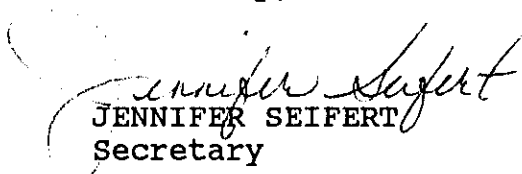
October 22, 1991 1:00 - 10:00 p.m.

November 7, 1991 1:00 - 10:00 p.m.

If we discover any conflicts with these dates, we will notify you before the hearing. If you have any problems, please contact us immediately.

If you have any questions, please call me at 327-7907.
Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,


JENNIFER SEIFERT
Secretary

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October 8, 1991

CECIL D. ANDRUS
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R. KEITH HIGGINSON
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Don Kramer
Rt. 1
Castleford, ID 83321

RE: Minimum Streamflow Applications for Channels in the Vicinity
of the Thousand Springs

Dear Mr. Kramer:

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Sincerely,

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R. KEITH HIGGINSON
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Clarence Parr
810 South River Rd.
Heyburn, ID 83336

RE: Minimum Streamflow Applications for Channels in the Vicinity
of the Thousand Springs

Dear Mr. Parr:

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Gary Spackman, Manager
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RE: Minimum Streamflow Applications for Crystal Springs and Channels in the
Vicinity of the Thousand Springs

Dear Gary:

Enclosed is an original and one copy of a Notice of Appearance for each of the
four minimum streamflow hearings described above. Hope you've ordered a piano.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Rinda".

Rinda Just
Deputy Attorney General
Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation

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BEFORE THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
OF THE STATE OF IDAHO

In the Matter of the Application	)	
For A Minimum Streamflow On	)	
South Thousand Springs Channel	)	NOTICE OF APPEARANCE
	)	
Application No. 36-8556	)	
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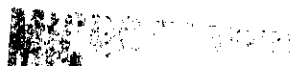
Rinda Just, Deputy Attorney General, hereby enters an appearance as attorney of record for the Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation for the hearing to be held in this matter on October 22, 1991, in Hagerman, Idaho.

DATED this 8th day of October, 1991.



Rinda Just
Deputy Attorney General
Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation

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R. KEITH HIGGINSON
DIRECTOR

Margie Jacobs
1476 Shenandoah
Boise, ID 83712

RE: Minimum Streamflow Applications for Crystal Springs and
Channels in the Vicinity of the Thousand Springs

Dear Ms. Jacobs:

The Idaho Department of Water Resources will conduct a hearing on Tuesday October 22, 1991, to determine whether a minimum streamflow on Crystal Springs should be approved. The hearing will commence at the Hagerman Valley Senior Citizen's Center, 140 Lake Street, Hagerman, Idaho, beginning at 9:30 a.m.

The Department will conduct a hearing to determine whether a minimum streamflow on South Thousand Springs Channel, Sculpin Springs Creek, and Springs and Sand Springs Creek, at the same location stated above, beginning at 1:30 p.m.

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Contact: Gerald Grimmett
327-7900

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

WATER BOARD TO TAKE COMMENT ON SPRINGS-CREEK MINIMUM FLOWS

The Idaho Department of Water Resources will take formal public comment on applications for minimum stream flows on Crystal Springs, South Thousand Springs Channel, Sculpin Springs Creek, and Spring and Sand Springs Creek in the Twin Falls, Hagerman area of southern Idaho.

The applications are as follows:

Crystal Springs-126 cfs from Jan. 1 through Dec. 31 for the purpose of recreation, aesthetics, fish and wildlife habitat, and water quality with a proposed priority date of August 3, 1990. The place of use is Crystal Springs contained within Govt. lots 11 and 12, Section 12, T9S, R15E.

South Thousand Springs Channel-500 cfs from Jan. 1 through Dec. 31 for the purpose of preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, beauty, and fish and wildlife habitat with a proposed priority date of August 3, 1990. The place of use is beginning at the Idaho Power Thousand Springs Power Plant and extending downstream to the confluence with the Snake River.

Sculpin Springs Creek-33 cfs from Jan. 1 through Dec. 31 for the purposes of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, and fish and wildlife habitat with a proposed priority date of August 3,

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1990. The proposed place of use begins at a point where the water falls off the Snake River canyon wall and extending downstream to the confluence of Sculpin Springs Creek and the Snake River in Gooding County.

Springs and Sand Springs Creek-34 cfs from Jan. 1 through Dec. 31 with a proposed priority date of August 3, 1990. The proposed place of use is beginning at the outflow of the headwater spring from the Snake River Wall and extending downstream to where Sand Springs Creek discharges into the Snake River. This minimum streamflow would include all unappropriated water that discharges to the creek within the reach, including any springs from their point of origin to their discharge into the creek.

If issued, these permits will be subject to all prior water rights.

The Director of the Department of Water Resources will hold a public hearing on the Crystal Springs application in the Hagerman Senior Citizen's Center Tuesday Oct. 22 beginning at 9:30 a.m. and will be held pursuant to the provisions of Section 42-1503, Idaho Code.

The hearing will recess at the close of formal testimony but will reconvene at 7:00 p.m. for the taking of public testimony.

The hearings for the South Thousand Springs, Sculpin Springs Creek, Springs and Sand Springs Creek will be held at the Hagerman Senior Citizen's Center beginning at 1:30 p.m. The hearing will recess and reconvene at 7:00 p.m. for the taking of public testimony.

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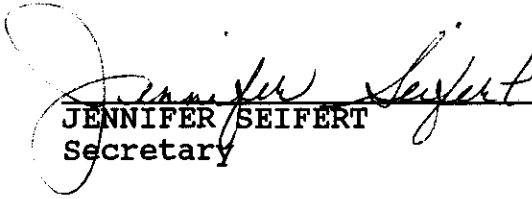
Any party wishing to formally appear in the hearing to present evidence or cross examine witnesses should file a notice of appearance with the Director of the Department of Water Resources, Statehouse Mail, 1301 N. Orchard St., Boise, ID 83720 at least five days prior to the hearing. Other parties will be given an opportunity to informally present their views and comments without the necessity of filing a notice of appearance. Written informal views and comments may also be submitted to the Department prior to the hearing.

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that on the 4th day of October, I mailed a true and correct copy of the following letter, postage prepaid, to the attached list of individuals:


JENNIFER SEIFERT
Secretary

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<name>

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Sincerely,

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MINIMUM STREAMFLOW
Fact Sheet

Water right No. 36-8556

Source: South Thousand Springs Channel

Applicant: Idaho Water Resource Board

Requesting Agency: Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation

Date Application Filed: August 3, 1990

Rate of Flow: 500.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31

Place of Use: Beginning at the Idaho Power Thousand Springs Power Plant, in Government Lot 3 (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 8, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to the confluence with the Snake River, located in Government Lot 1 (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 17, T8S, R14E.

Purpose: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, beauty, and fish and wildlife habitat.

Water Right No. 36-8557

Source: Sculpin Springs Creek

Applicant: Idaho Water Resource Board

Requesting Agency: Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation

Date Application Filed: August 3, 1990

Rate of Flow: 33.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31

Place of Use: Beginning at a point where the water falls off the Snake River canyon wall, located in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 17, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to the confluence of Sculpin Springs Creek and the Snake River, located in Government Lot 4 (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M., Gooding County.

Purpose: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, and fish and wildlife habitat.

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Water Right No. 36-8558

Source: Springs and Sand Springs Creek

Applicant: Idaho Water Resource Board

Requesting Agency: Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation

Date Application Filed: August 3, 1990

Rate of flow: 34.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31

Place of Use: Beginning at the outflow of the headwater spring from the Snake River wall, located in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 17, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to where Sand Springs Creek discharges into the Snake River, located in Government Lot 5 (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M., Gooding County. This minimum streamflow would include all unappropriated water that discharges to the creek within the reach, including any springs from their point of origin to their discharge into the creek.

Purpose: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, and fish and wildlife habitat.

Hearing Location for the Three Water Rights

Hagerman Valley Senior Citizen's Center, 140 Lake Street, Hagerman, Idaho, beginning at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday October 22, 1991.

A public comment session will be held the evening of Tuesday October 22, 1991, at 7:00 p.m.

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LEGAL NOTICE

College,
Jeffery M. Harmon
Assistant Dean of Finance
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tober 3 and 10, 1991.

NOTICE OF HEARING FOR APPLICATION FOR MINIMUM STREAMFLOW

Notice is hereby given that the Idaho Water Resource Board submitted applications for permit to appropriate water to the Department of Water Resources on August 3, 1990, proposing to appropriate water for minimum instream flows in several springs and outflow channels in the vicinity of Thousand Springs. The applications are further described as follows:

Source: South Thousand Springs Channel
Application No.: 35-8558
Proposed Priority: August 3, 1990

Amount and Period of Use: 500.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31

Purpose of Minimum Flow: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, beauty, and fish and wildlife habitat.

Place of Use: Beginning at the Idaho Power Thousand Springs Power Plant, in Government Lot 3 (SE 1/4 NE 1/4 SW 1/4), Section 8, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to the confluence with the Snake River, located in Government Lot 1 (NE 1/4 NE 1/4 NW 1/4), Section 17, T8S, R14E.

Source: Sculpin Springs Creek

Application No.: 35-8557
Proposed Priority: August 3, 1990

Amount and Period of Use: 33.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31

Purpose of Minimum Flow: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, and fish and wildlife habitat.

Place of Use: Beginning at a point where the water falls off the Snake River canyon wall, located in the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 17, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to the confluence of Sculpin Springs Creek and the Snake River, located in Government Lot 4 (SE 1/4 SE 1/4 NW 1/4), Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M., Gooding County.

Source: Springs and Sand Springs Creek

Application No.: 35-8558
Proposed Priority: August 3, 1990

Amount and Period of Use: 34.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31

Purpose of Minimum Flow: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, and fish and wildlife habitat.

Place of Use: Beginning at the outflow of the headwater spring from the Snake River wall, located in the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 17, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to where Sand Springs Creek discharges into the Snake River, located in Government Lot 5 (SE 1/4 NE 1/4 SW 1/4), Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M., Gooding County. This minimum streamflow would include all unappropriated water that discharges to the creek within the reach, including any springs from their point of origin to their discharge into the creek.

The Director of the Department of Water Resources will hold a public hearing in the Hagerman Senior Citizen's Center, 140 Lake Street, Hagerman, Idaho, beginning at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 22, 1991, for the purpose of hearing evidence in regard to the application. The hearing will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of Section 42-1503, Idaho Code.

The hearing will recess at the close of formal testimony but will reconvene at 7:00 p.m. for the taking of public testimony.

Any party who wishes to formally appear in the proceeding for the purpose of presenting evidence or cross examining witnesses should file a notice of appearance with the Director of the Department of Water Resources, 222 Shoshone St. East, Twin Falls, Idaho 83301, five (5) days prior to the hearing. Other parties will be given an opportunity to informally present their views and comments without filing a notice of appearance. Written informal views and comments may also be submitted to the Department of Water Resources prior to the hearing.

If issued, these permits will be subject to all prior water rights.

R. KEITH HIGGINSON
Director

Idaho Department of Water Resources

PUBLISH: Thursday, October 3 and 10, 1991.

NOTICE OF HEARING FOR APPLICATION FOR MINIMUM STREAMFLOW

Notice is hereby given that the Idaho Water Resource Board submitted an application for permit to appropriate water to the Department of Water Resources, proposing to appropriate water for a minimum streamflow in Willow Creek, a tributary of the Snake River. The application is further described as follows:

Source: Willow Creek
Application No.: 25-7697
Proposed Priority: June 24, 1991

Amount and Period of

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Use: 30.0 cfs from December 1 to March 31
 250.0 cfs from April 1 to May 31

100.0 cfs from June 1 to July 15
 30.0 cfs from July 16 to September 30
 40.0 cfs from October 1 to November 30

Purpose of Minimum Flow: Preservation of fish and wildlife habitat, aquatic life and water quality.

Place of Use: Willow Creek, commencing at the confluence of Grays Lake Outlet in the SE 1/4 of the NW 1/4, Section 33, T1N, R40E, and extending downstream to the backwaters of Frie Reservoir in the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4, Section 27, T2N, R40E, B.M. Bonneville County.

The Director of the Department of Water Resources will hold a public hearing in the State Office Building, 2nd Floor Conference Room, 150 Shoup Avenue, Idaho Falls, Idaho, beginning at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 23, 1991, for the purpose of hearing evidence in regard to the application. The hearing will be held pursuant to the provisions of Section 42-1503, Idaho Code.

Any party who wishes to formally appear in the proceeding for the purpose of presenting evidence or cross examining witnesses should file a notice of appearance with the Director of the Department of Water Resources, Statehouse Mall, 1301 North Orchard Street, Boise, Idaho 83720, five (5) days prior to the hearing. Other parties will be given an opportunity to informally present their views and comments without the necessity of filing a notice of appearance. Written informal views and comments may also be submitted to the Department of Water Resources prior to the hearing.

If issued, this permit will be subject to all prior water rights.

R. KEITH HIGGINSON,
 Director

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 Water Resources.

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NOTICE OF HEARING FOR APPLICATION FOR MINIMUM STREAMFLOW

Notice is hereby given that the Idaho Water Resource Board has submitted two applications to the Department of Water Resources for permits to appropriate water for a minimum streamflow in the Big Wood River. The applications are further described as follows:

Source: Big Wood River
 Application No.: 37-8258
 Proposed Priority: January 16, 1986

Amount and Period of Use: 200.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31

Purpose of Minimum Flow: Fish and wildlife habitat, water quality, aesthetics and recreation.

Place of Use: Beginning at the intersection of the Big Wood River with the Sawtooth National Recreational Area Boundary, located in the SE 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 20, T5N, R17E, B.M., and extending downstream approximately 3 miles to the confluence of the Big Wood River, and Warm Springs Creek, located in the SE 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 18, T4N, R17E, B.M., Blaine County.

Source: Big Wood River
 Application No.: 37-8307
 Proposed Priority: October 16, 1987

Amount and Period of Use: 119.23 cfs from January 1 through December 31

Purpose of Minimum Flow: Fish and wildlife habitat, water quality, aesthetics and recreation.

Place of Use: Beginning at the confluence of the Big Wood River and Warm Springs Creek, located in the SE 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 12, T4N, R17E, B.M., and extending downstream about 18 miles to the Bellevue diversion located in the SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 36, T2N, R18E, B.M., Blaine County.

The Director of the Department of Water Resources will hold a public hearing in the Blaine County Courthouse, 101 2nd Avenue South, Hailey, Idaho, beginning at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, October 23, 1991, for the purpose of hearing evidence in regard to the application. The hearing will be held pursuant to the provisions of Section 42-1503, Idaho Code.

The hearing will recess at the close of formal testimony, but will reconvene at 7:00 p.m. for the taking of public testimony. The evening meeting will be held in the Ketchum City Hall, 480 East Avenue North, Ketchum, Idaho.

Any party who wishes to formally appear in this proceeding for the purpose of presenting evidence or cross examining witnesses should file a notice of appearance with the Director of the Department of Water Resources, Statehouse Mall, 1301 N. Orchard Street, Boise, Idaho 83720, five (5) days prior to the hearing. Other parties will be granted an opportunity to informally present their views and comments without the necessity of filing a notice of appearance. Written informal views and comments

may also be submitted to the Department of Water Resources prior to the hearing.

If issued, these permits will be subject to all prior water rights.

R. KEITH HIGGINSON,
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Source: South Thousand Springs Channel

Application No.: 36-8556

Proposed Priority: August 3, 1990

Amount and Period of Use: 500.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31

Purpose of Minimum Flow: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, beauty, and fish and wildlife habitat.

Place of Use: Beginning at the Idaho Power Thousand Springs Power Plant, in Government Lot 3 (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 8, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to the confluence with the Snake River, located in Government Lot 1 (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 17, T8S, R14E.

Source: Sculpin Springs Creek

Application No.: 36-8557

Proposed Priority: August 3, 1990

Amount and Period of Use: 33.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31

Purpose of Minimum Flow: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, and fish and wildlife habitat.

Place of Use: Beginning at a point where the water falls off the Snake River canyon wall, located in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 17, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to the confluence of Sculpin Springs Creek

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and the Snake River, located in Government Lot 4 (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M., Gooding County.

Source: **Springs and Sand Springs Creek**

Application No.: 36-8558

Proposed Priority: August 3, 1990

Amount and Period of Use: 34.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31

Purpose of Minimum Flow: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation aquatic life, and fish and wildlife habitat.

Place of Use: Beginning at the outflow of the headwater spring from the Snake River wall, located in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 17, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to where Sand Springs Creek discharges into the Snake River, located in Government Lot 5 (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M., Gooding County. This minimum streamflow would include all unappropriated water that discharges to the creek within the reach, including any springs from their point of origin to their discharge into the creek.

The Director of the Department of Water Resources will hold a public hearing to determine whether the application should be approved or rejected. Informal testimony and comments will be taken the evening of Tuesday, March 26, at the hour of 7:00 p.m. in the Hagerman Valley Senior Citizen's Center, 140 East Lake Street, Hagerman, Idaho. The formal hearing will be conducted the next day, Wednesday March 27, beginning at 1:30 p.m., in the Gooding City Hall, 308 5th Avenue West, Gooding, Idaho. The hearing will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of Section 42-1503, Idaho Code.

Any party who wishes to formally appear in the proceeding for the purpose of presenting evidence or cross examining witnesses should file a notice of appearance with the Director of

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the Department of Water Resources, 222 Shoshone St. East, Twin Falls, Idaho 83301, five (5) days prior to the hearing. Other parties will be given an opportunity to informally present their views and comments without filing a notice of appearance. Written informal views and comments may also be submitted to the Department of Water Resources prior to the hearing.

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NEWS RELEASE

Statehouse Mall, Boise, Idaho 83720

March 15, 1991

Contact: Gerald Grimmert
327-7900

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

MINIMUM STREAMFLOW HEARINGS CANCELED

Deficiencies in the legal notice requirements has caused the cancellation of minimum streamflow hearings on Sculpin Springs, Sand Springs, the South Thousand Springs Channel, and the Malad River originally scheduled for March 26-27.

The hearing will be rescheduled later this year, according to Gary Spackman, Idaho Department of Water Resources spokesman.

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MEMORANDUM

TO: FILES 36-8556, 36-8557, 36-8558

FROM: Mary Baldwin

DATE: 01-Mar-1991

SUBJECT: Cancel of advertising of notice of hearing

Gary Spackman, State Office, asked that the publication scheduled for 3/6 & 3/13 for Buhl Herald & Gooding County Leader and 3/7 & 3/14 for Idaho Statesman, Post Register, Lewiston Morning Tribune, Times News be cancelled.

Telephone calls were made at 4:40 p.m. to:

OK Tamara-Buhl Herald (*Bob Bailey*)
mess Mary Ann Hagan-Gooding County Leader (*Linda Esterbrook*)
OK Iris-Idaho Statesman
OK Shelley-Post Register
OK Sue-Lewiston Tribune
OK Karen-Times News

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GL - Linda Esterbrook - 36-8556 (*only*) canceled for 3/6 but entire legal pulled for 3/13/91.

3/5/91
Via telephone from Gary Spackman, pull
all ads on 36- 8556
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37- 7892
37- 8333

GL	✓	Linda
LT	✓	Sue
IS	✓	Iris
PR	✓	Kathy
BH	✓	Bob Bailey

scheduled for 3/6 & 3/13
3/7 & 3/14

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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT ANALYSIS SHEET

5. Thousand gphs Estimated

INITIAL REVIEW BY JH DATE 9/1/90 APPLICATION NUMBER 36-08556

REQUIRED INFORMATION

- ☒ Name (If applicant is a corporation or partnership, names must be provided for the director, officers, & other partners.)
 - ☒ Address
 - ☒ Source (See USGS Quad for names of water sources)
 - ☒ Point of Diversion (10 acres for spring, lot & block descriptions for subdivisions, local name, flow and/or volume)
 - ☒ County
 - ☒ Quantity (flow and/or volume)
 - ☒ Period of Use
 - ☒ Nature of proposed use (Include description of use.)
 - ☒ Description of diverting works
 - ☒ Time required for beneficial use of water
 - ☒ Place of use or acres irrigated
 - ☒ Map
 - ☒ Signature (If applicant is corp. partnership, or municipality, title of signator is required)
 - ☒ Fee
 - ☒ Yes ☐ No* In form to receipt
- ***PROPOSED PRIORITY DATE 8/3/1990

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- ☒ Overlapping place of use (Describe source & relationship to present application on the back.)
 - ☒ Overlapping point of diversion
 - ☐ Yes ☒ No Field check required
 - ☐ Yes ☒ No Field check by _____
 - ☐ Yes ☒ No Field report attached
 - ☐ Yes ☒ No Critical groundwater area
 - ☐ Yes ☒ No Groundwater management area
 - ☐ Yes ☒ No Send dam safety information
 - ☐ Yes ☒ No Send power requirement letter
 - ☐ Yes ☒ No Send fish farm requirement letter
 - ☐ Yes ☒ No Power residency affidavit
 - ☐ Yes ☒ No Power efficiency form
 - ☐ Yes ☒ No Within trustwater boundary (If yes, attach trust water supplementary analysis sheet.)
 - ☒ Yes ☐ No Diversion greater than 5 cfs or 500 acre ft. (If yes, attach large diversion supplementary analysis sheet.)
 - ☐ See reverse side for additional information
- SWAN FALLS HOLD? _____

*REQUEST THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM THE APPLICANT _____

_____ Date Requested _____

SEND COPIES TO

☒	Idaho Dept. of Health & Welfare	☐	U.S. BLM
☒	Idaho Dept. of Fish & Game	☐	U.S. Forest Service
☐	Idaho Dept. of Lands	☐	Water District
☐	Adjudication Bureau Unit	☒	Other <u>Dept. of Parks</u>
			<u>& Recreation</u>

<u> </u>	Yes	<u> </u>	No	Affidavit of publication received
<u> </u>	Yes	<u> </u>	No	Application published correctly. If not, record action taken.
<u> </u>	Yes	<u> </u>	No	Publication dates & paper, recorded on application
<u> </u>	Yes	<u> </u>	No	Protests received
				Final date for protest <u> </u>
<u> </u>	Yes	<u> </u>	No	Protests, dates, resolution of protest, recorded on application
<u> </u>	Yes	<u> </u>	No	Recommendations attached
<u> </u>	Yes	<u> </u>	No	Measuring device required
<u> </u>	Yes	<u> </u>	No	Access port required
<u> </u>	Yes	<u> </u>	No	Will water be delivered by watermaster? If yes, what Dist. <u> </u>
<u> </u>	Yes	<u> </u>	No	Special conditions of approval or cover letter below.

STATE OFFICE REVIEW

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

LOCAL PUBLIC INTEREST

Comments received from:

<u> </u> City	<u> </u> Idaho Fish & Game	<u> </u> Irrigation District
<u> </u> County	<u> </u> Idaho Health & Welfare	<u> </u> Canal Company
<u> </u> Reservations	<u> </u> Division of Environment	<u> </u> Other

Project impacts/implications report

COMMENTS

MINIMUM STREAMFLOW REQUEST/APPLICATION
PROCESSING CHECKLIST

15
Idaho Water Resources Board

	<u>Assigned to</u>	<u>Initials/Date</u>
1. Request received and checklist attached.	Records Chief	_____
2. Request indexed.	Records Chief	_____
3. Preliminary review. Application prepared for signature.	Section Supv.	_____
4. Streamflow information requested from hydrology.	Section Supv.	_____
5. Region advised of request	Section Supv.	_____
6. Acknowledgement letter sent.	Section Supv.	_____
7. Copy of request routed to: Reg. Off. Bur. Chief; Oper. Bur. Chief; Admin.; Director.	Section Supv.	_____
8. Copy of request routed to Administrator, Resources Analysis Division for placement on Board Agenda.	Section Supv.	_____
9. Water Rights researched and abstracted.	Records Chief	_____
10. Request and related data presented to Board.	Requestor	_____
11. Filed or Rejected by Board.	IWRB, Section Supv.	_____
12. Board action indexed.	Records Chief	_____
13. Original application sent to region	Section Supv.	_____
14. Copy of application sent to F&G, H&W, Parks & Recreation (mandatory)	Region	<u> ZM </u>
15. Application advertised w/o hearing date.	Region	<u> ZM </u>
16. Notice sent to each water right holder or applicant on MSF reach.	Section Supv.	_____
17. Personal contact made with riparian land owners.	Requestor	_____
18. Visual aid request prepared. (location, water rights, hydrology)	Section Supv.	_____
19. Visual aids reviewed.	Section Supv.	_____
20. Need for informal public meeting determined. If yes, proceed with step 21. If no, skip to step 24.	Both Administrators & IWRB	_____
21. Informal public meeting advertised in legal notices.	Region	<u> ZM </u>

	<u>Assigned to</u>	<u>Initials/Date</u>
22. Notification of informal public meeting sent to:		
a. IWRB members	Section Supv.	_____
b. Local Legislators	Section Supv.	_____
c. Watermaster	Section Supv.	_____
d. Department Personnel	Section Supv.	_____
e. Local TV and Radio Stations	Section Supv.	_____
f. Water Right Holders	Requestor	_____
g. Riparian Owners	Requestor	_____
23. Informal public meeting held.	IWRB and Section Supv.	_____
24. Notice of formal hearing advertised in legal notices.	Region	_____
25. Notification of formal hearing sent to:		
a. IWRB members	Section Supv.	_____
b. Local Legislators	Section Supv.	_____
c. Watermaster	Section Supv.	_____
d. Department Personnel	Section Supv.	_____
e. Local TV and Radio Stations	Section Supv.	_____
f. Water right holders	Section Supv.	_____
g. Attendees of informal public meetings	Section Supv.	_____
h. Riparian Owners (with data generated by Requestor)	Section Supv.	_____
26. Hearings held (mandatory).	Hearing Officer and Regional Rep.	_____
27. Standard approval procedure for memorandum decision.	Hearing Officer	_____
28. If application is approved, Legislative approval procedure attached.	Records Chief	_____

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GOODING COUNTY LEADER
PO BOX 56
GOODING ID 83330

Gentlemen:

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Very truly yours,

Mary Baldwin
Secretary/Office Coordinator

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LEWISTON MORNING TRIBUNE
505 C STREET
LEWISTON ID 83501

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POST REGISTER
PO BOX 1800
IDAHO FALLS ID 83402

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IDAHO STATESMAN
PO BOX 40
BOISE ID 83707

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TIMES NEWS
PO BOX 548
TWIN FALLS ID 83301

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State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

Southern Region, 222 Shoshone St. East, Twin Falls, Idaho 83301 (208) 734-3578

CECIL D. ANDRUS
Governor

28-Feb-1991

R. KEITH HIGGINSON
Director

BUHL HERALD
PO BOX 312
BUHL ID 83316

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NOTICE OF HEARING FOR APPLICATION FOR MINIMUM STREAMFLOW

Notice is hereby given that the Idaho Water Resource Board submitted applications for permit to appropriate water to the Department of Water Resources on August 3, 1990, proposing to appropriate water for minimum instream flows in several springs and outflow channels in the vicinity of Thousand Springs. The applications are further described as follows:

Source:	South Thousand Springs Channel
Application No.:	36-8556
Proposed Priority:	August 3, 1990
Amount and Period of Use:	500.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31
Purpose of Minimum Flow:	Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, beauty, and fish and wildlife habitat.
Place of Use:	Beginning at the Idaho Power Thousand Springs Power Plant, in Government Lot 3 (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 3, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to the confluence with the Snake River, located in Government Lot 1 (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 17, T8S, R14E.
Source:	Sculpin Springs Creek
Application No.:	36-8557
Proposed Priority:	August 3, 1990
Amount and Period of Use:	33.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31
Purpose of Minimum Flow:	Preservation of aesthetics, recreation, aquatic life, and fish and wildlife habitat.
Place of Use:	Beginning at a point where the water falls off the Snake River canyon wall, located in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 17, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to the confluence of Sculpin Springs Creek

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and the Snake River, located in Government Lot 4 (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M., Gooding County.

Source: Springs and Sand Springs Creek

Application No.: 36-8558

Proposed Priority: August 3, 1990

Amount and Period of Use: 34.0 cfs from January 1 through December 31

Purpose of Minimum Flow: Preservation of aesthetics, recreation aquatic life, and fish and wildlife habitat.

Place of Use: Beginning at the outflow of the headwater spring from the Snake River wall, located in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 17, T8S, R14E, and extending downstream to where Sand Springs Creek discharges into the Snake River, located in Government Lot 5 (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M., Gooding County. This minimum streamflow would include all unappropriated water that discharges to the creek within the reach, including any springs from their point of origin to their discharge into the creek.

The Director of the Department of Water Resources will hold a public hearing to determine whether the application should be approved or rejected. Informal testimony and comments will be taken the evening of Tuesday, March 26, at the hour of 7:00 p.m. in the Hagerman Valley Senior Citizen's Center, 140 East Lake Street, Hagerman, Idaho. The formal hearing will be conducted the next day, Wednesday March 27, beginning at 1:30 p.m., in the Gooding City Hall, 308 5th Avenue West, Gooding, Idaho. The hearing will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of Section 42-1503, Idaho Code.

Any party who wishes to formally appear in the proceeding for the purpose of presenting evidence or cross examining witnesses should file a notice of appearance with the Director of

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the Department of Water Resources, 222 Shoshone St. East, Twin Falls, Idaho 83301, five (5) days prior to the hearing. Other parties will be given an opportunity to informally present their views and comments without filing a notice of appearance. Written informal views and comments may also be submitted to the Department of Water Resources prior to the hearing.

If issued, these permits will be subject to all prior water rights.

R. KEITH HIGGINSON, Director
Idaho Department of Water Resources

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Attendance

Public meeting - minimum Streamflow Applications
Thousand Springs Vicinity - 17 Oct 90

Name	Organization/Address	Phone #
GARY SPACKMAN	IDWR	327-7946
MARY JEAN LUCACHICK	IDPR	334-2154
KIMBERLEY RYAN	KMYT-TV TWIN FALLS	
M ^(Marne) Mercer	919 Justice Grade Hagerman	837-6655
Bob Snyffley	Gooding County Commissioner	934-4781
Bob Burke	Box 298 Wendell	536 2219
Billy Stremmel	Box 115 Hagerman Id.	837-4528
Donna Lee Lemmon	Box 219 " "	837-4806
Alice Wilson	Rt 1 #79 Hagerman "	837-4746
Phil Jough	RR#1 Box 25 Hagerman "	837-4925
LARRY PITTER	3379 A. HONEYCUT RD. SLC	84106
STEVE THOMPSON	#147 616 BLUE LAKES RD, TWIN FALLS, ID	8330/
Chips Corsi	868 E Main Jerome	324 4359
Mark Elmore	The Nature Conservancy, Box 84, Soda Valley 83453	726-3007
Kevin Lynott	Rt 1, Box 358, Hagerman	83332

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IDAHO FISH & GAME

REGION 4
868 East Main Street
Jerome, ID 83338
(208) 324-4350

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Department of Water Resources
Southern Region Office

Idaho Department of Water Resources
ATTN: Loren Holmes
222 Shoshone Street East
Twin Falls, Idaho 83301

RE: Applications 36-08556, 36-08557, 36-08558

Dear Loren:

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on these applications for stream flows. Because of the high rate of development of the Thousand Springs area in recent years, a considerable amount of fish and wildlife habitat has been lost. Maintenance of existing habitat in this area is critical for Shoshone sculpin, as well as for providing spawning areas for rainbow trout. Terrestrial and avian wildlife will also benefit from the maintenance of undeveloped spring areas.

We strongly support the proposed applications and encourage their approval. If we can be of any assistance, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

Carl H. Nellis
Regional Supervisor

Cecil D. Andrus / Governor
Jerry M. Conley / Director



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THURSDAY
4-Oct-90
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COLUMNS: LINE

Legal Notice

IN THE DISTRICT
COURT OF THE FIFTH
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF
THE STATE OF IDAHO,
IN AND FOR THE
COUNTY OF
TWIN FALLS
MAGISTRATE DIVISION
Case No. SP-90-574
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the Matter of the Estate
ALFRED PETERS

Deceased
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Estate of Alfred Peters,
Deceased

Probate No. SP-90-574
NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN that Johna Mae
Peters has been ap-
pointed personal repre-
sentative of the above-
named decedent. All per-
sons having claims
against the decedent or
his estate are required to
present their claims within
four (4) months after the
date of the first publication
of this notice or said
claims will be forever
barred. Claims must either
be presented to the under-
signed at the address indi-
cated, or filed with the
Clerk of the Court.

STEPHAN, KVANVIG,
GREENWOOD, STONE &
TRAINOR
Russell Kvanvig
Attorneys for Personal
Representative
P.O. Box 83
Twin Falls, Idaho 83303-
0083
Telephone: 208-733-
2721

PUBLISH: Thursday,
September 20, 27 and Oc-
tober 4, 1990.

IN THE DISTRICT
COURT OF THE FIFTH
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF
THE STATE OF IDAHO,
IN AND FOR THE
COUNTY OF
TWIN FALLS

MAGISTRATE DIVISION
Case No. SP-90-598
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the Matter of the Estate
of
WILLARD R. NUTTING

Deceased
NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN that the under-
signed has been ap-
pointed personal repre-
sentative to the above-
named decedent. All per-
sons having claims
against the decedent or
his estate are required to
present their claims within
four (4) months after the
date of the first publication
of this notice or said
claims will be forever
barred. Claims must either
be presented to the under-
signed at the address indi-
cated, or filed with the
Clerk of the Court.

s/Mary B. Nutting
1221 Spruce Ave
Twin Falls, ID 83301

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20, 27 and October 4,
1990.

IN THE DISTRICT
COURT OF THE FIFTH
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF
THE STATE OF IDAHO,
IN AND FOR THE
COUNTY OF TWIN
FALLS

MAGISTRATE DIVISION
Case No. SP-90-576
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the Matter of the Estate
WALTER HICKS,

Deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN that the under-
signed have been ap-
pointed Co-Personal Rep-
resentatives of the above-
named estate. All persons
having claims against the
said decedent are re-
quired to present their
claims within four (4)
months after the date of
the first publication of this
notice or said claims will
be forever barred. Claims
must either be presented
to Clarence Hicks and Ella
McBride, Co-personal
Representatives, whose
address is PO Box 66,
Twin Falls, ID 83303-
0066, or filed with this
Court.

s/CLARENCE HICKS
s/ELLA MCBRIDE
Publish: Thursday, Sep-
tember 27, and October 4,
and 11, 1990.

IN THE DISTRICT
COURT OF THE FIFTH
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF
THE STATE OF IDAHO,
IN AND FOR
THE COUNTY OF

TWIN FALLS
Case No. CV 90-02707-3
AMENDED SUMMONS
YELDA FREDRICKS,
Plaintiff,

vs
KYLE FREDRICKS,
Defendant.
THE STATE OF IDAHO
sends greetings to the
above-named defend-
ant, KYLE
FREDRICKS:2

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-
TIFIED that a Complaint
has been filed against you
in the District Court of the
Fifth Judicial District of the
State of Idaho, in and for
the County of Twin Falls,
by the above-named plain-
tiff, and you are hereby di-
rected to file a written An-
swer or written Motion in
defense to said Complaint
within twenty (20) days of
the service of this
Amended Summons, and
you are further notified
that unless you do so
within the time herein
specified, the plaintiff will
take judgement against
you as prayed in said
Complaint.

The nature of the claim
against you is for a De-
cree of Divorce based
upon the grounds of irrec-
oncilable differences.

WITNESS MY HAND and
the seal of said District
Court, this 19 day of Sep-
tember, 1990.

RICHARD A. PENCE
CLERK OF THE
DISTRICT COURT
BY Camille Jones
Deputy Clerk
PUBLISH: Sunday, Sep-
tember 30 and Thursday,
October 4, 11 and Satur-
day, 20, 1990.

IN THE DISTRICT
COURT OF THE FIFTH
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF
THE STATE OF IDAHO,
IN AND FOR THE
COUNTY OF
TWIN FALLS

Case NO. CV 90-02525 D
SUMMONS
JAMES D. SOLOMON &
JOAN SOLOMON,
husband and wife,

Plaintiffs,

vs
DARLENE FRAZIER, a
widow, INDIANA LUM-
BERMENS MUTUAL IN-
SURANCE COMPANY,
ELTA R. PULSIPHER,

DAVID N. M. TIN &
JOAN E. MARTIN, hus-
band and wife, WILBUR
W. WINKLE, and KIM-
BERLY SOLOMON, a mi-
nor child,

Defendants.

THE STATE OF IDAHO
Sends greetings to the
above named defendants:
YOU ARE HEREBY NO-
TIFIED that a Complaint
has been filed against you
in the District Court of the
Fifth Judicial District of the
State of Idaho, in and for
the County of Twin Falls,
by the above-named plain-
tiffs, and you are hereby
directed to file a written
Answer or written Motion
in defense to said Com-
plaint within twenty days
of the service of this Sum-
mons, and you are further
notified that unless you do
so within the time herein
specified, the plaintiffs will
take judgement against
you as prayed in said
complaint.

The nature of this claim
against you is for a quiet
title action.

WITNESS MY HAND
and the Seal of said Dis-
trict Court, this 30 day of
August, 1990.

RICHARD A. PENCE
By Camille Jones
Deputy Clerk
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tober 4, 11, 18 and 25,
1990.

NOTICE OF
APPLICATION
78-7211

Notice is hereby given that
application No. 78-7211 in
the name of Osborn
Ranch, Inc. was filed on
4/8/1982 for the diversion
of 20. cfs from Six Mile
Creek with a point of di-
version within the NESE,
SWSE Sec 30 T20N R2E,
Adams County to be used
for Power purposes from
1/1 to 12/31 within por-
tions of the SESW Sec 30
T20N R2E.

The applicant now pro-
poses to amend the appli-
cation by changing the
point of diversion to the
SWNE and NWSE Sec
T20N R2E Adams County.
Any protest against the
approval of the proposed
amendment must be filed
with the Department of
Water Resources, West-

ern Region, 2735 Airport
Way, Boise, ID 83705 on
or before October 22,
1990.

R.Keith Higginson
Director
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tober 4 and 11, 1990.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC
MEETING MINIMUM
STREAMFLOW
APPLICATIONS

Notice is hereby given that
the IDAHO WATER RE-
SOURCE BOARD will
hold a public meeting at
7:30 P. M. on October 17,
1990 at the Hagerman
Valley Senior Citizens
Center, 140 E. Lake
Street, Hagerman, ID
83332. Staff will discuss
the Board's applications to
appropriate water for mini-
mum streamflows in the
South Thousand Springs
Estuary, Sculpin Springs
Creek and Sand Springs
Creek. The applications
are further described as
follows:

Application No: 36-08556
Source: South Thou-
sand Spring Estuary
tributary to Snake
River

Proposed Priority: 8/3/
1990

Stream Reach Description
- The reach for this in-
stream flow is from the
confluence of South Thou-
sand Springs Estuary with
the Snake River, upstream
to the point where the wa-
ter exits Idaho Power
Company's Thousand
Springs Power Plant. It in-
cludes all water that joins
the Estuary upstream of
the confluence with The
Snake and downstream of
the power plant.

Beginning at the outflow
station of the Idaho Power
Thousand Springs Plant in
Govt. Lot 3 (SE1/4NE1/
4SW1/4), Section 8, T8S,
R14E B.M., Gooding
County, and extending
downstream to its conflu-
ence with the Snake River
in Govt. Lot 1 (NE1/
4NE1/4NW1/4) of Section
17, T8S, R14E B.M.

Amount & Period of Use:
500 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31
Application No: 36-08557

Source: Sculpin
Springs Creek tributary
to Snake River

Proposed Priority: 8/3/

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Southern Region Office

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Stream Reach Description
- The reach proposed for this instream flow is from the confluence of Sculpin Springs Creek with the Snake River, upstream to the point where the water falls off of the Snake River Canyon Wall. It also includes all unappropriated water that joins the creek throughout this reach.
Beginning at the point where water falls over the Snake River Canyon wall in the NW1/4SW1/4SE1/4, Section 17, T8S, R14E B.M., Gooding County, and extending downstream to its confluence with the Snake River in Govt. Lot 4 (SE1/4SE1/4NW1/4), Section 17, T8S, R14E B.M.
Amount & Period of Use: 33 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31.
Application No: 36-08558
Source: Springs and Sand Springs Creek tributary to Snake River

Proposed Priority: 8/3/1990
Stream Reach Description - The reach proposed for this instream flow is from the confluence of Sand Springs Creek with the Snake River, upstream to the outflow of the unnamed springs at the base of the Snake River Canyon Wall. It also includes all unappropriated water that joins the creek throughout this reach.

Beginning at its headwater spring located in the SW1/4SW1/4SE1/4, Section 17, T8S, R14E B.M., Gooding County and extending downstream to its confluence with the Snake River in Govt. 5 (SE1/4NE1/4SW1/4), Section 17, T8S, R14E B.M.

Amount & Period of Use: 34 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31

Purpose of Minimum Instream Flows: Flows to be maintained for the local public interest: Scenic enjoyment and recreation, aesthetic beauty, and fish and wildlife habitat.

If approved, these applications will be junior to all existing rights within the minimum streamflow reaches.

The applications are on file and may be reviewed

at the Southern Region Office of the Department of Water Resources, 222 Shoshone Street East, Twin Falls, ID 83301.
GENE M. GRAY, CHAIRMAN
IDAHO WATER RESOURCE BOARD
PUBLISH: Thursday, October 4 and 11, 1990.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
On the 9th day of January, 1991 at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A.M., of said day, in the lobby of the Office of First American Title Company, 1616 Addison Avenue East, Twin Falls, in, County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, First American Title Company of Idaho, Inc., an Idaho Corporation, as successor trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 17 in Block 2 of KINGSGATE SUBDIVISION NO. 1, Twin Falls County, Idaho, according to the plat thereof recorded in Volume 10 of Plats, Page 6, records of said County.

The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113 Idaho Code, the Trustee has been informed that the address of 429 Nottingham Drive, Twin Falls, Idaho is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the deed of trust executed by GREGORY EDWARD BROWER AND MARGARET A. BROWER, husband and wife grantor, to FIRST AMERICAN TITLE COMPANY OF IDAHO, INC., an Idaho corporation,

as successor/trustee, for the benefit and security of Sherwood & Roberts Inc., recorded November 1, 1978 as Instrument No. 747018 and assigned to Idaho Housing Agency, by assignment recorded December 15, 1978 as Instrument No. 749635 and re-recorded January 17, 1979 as Instrument No. 751431, Mortgage Records of Twin Falls County, Idaho.

THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506 (4)(a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, under Deed of Trust Note dated October 18, 1978 the monthly payments for Principal, Interest and Impounds of \$348.00 per month for the months of May through August, 1990 and all subsequent payments until the date of sale or reinstatement, with a standard late fee of \$13.74, uncollected late fees of \$10.00, the current interest rate being 6.875 and the principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$31,349.53, plus accruing interest. All delinquent payments are now due, together with unpaid and accruing taxes, assessments, trustee's fees, attorney's fees, costs and advances made to protect the security associated with this foreclosure. The beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation.

DATED August 27, 1990
PUBLISH: Thursday, September 13, 20 and 27 and October 4, 1990.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On the 15th day of January, 1991 at the hour of 9:30 o'clock A. M., of said day, in the lobby of the Office of First American Title Company, 1616 Addison Avenue East, Twin Falls,

in County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, First American Title Company of Idaho, Inc., an Idaho Corporation, as trustee/successor, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property, situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to wit:

Lot 2 in Block 1 of O'HARROW - BAILEY - GIBSON SUBDIVISION, Twin Falls County, Idaho according to the plat thereof, recorded in Book 7 of Plats, page 37, records of said County.

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DATED September 4, 1990.

First American Title Company of Idaho, Inc., Trustee

By Monine Cole, Trustee Officer

PUBLISH: Thursday, September 13, 20, 27 and October 4, 1990.

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**Minimum streamflow hearing
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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
MINIMUM STREAMFLOW APPLICATIONS**

Notice is hereby given that the IDAHO WATER RESOURCE BOARD will hold a public meeting at 7:30 P.M. on October 17, 1990 at the Hagerman Valley Senior Citizens Center, 140 E. Lake Street, Hagerman, ID 83332. Staff will discuss the Board's applications to appropriate water for minimum streamflows in the South Thousand Springs Estuary, Sculpin Springs Creek and Sand Springs Creek. The applications are further described as follows:

Application No: 36-08556

Source: South Thousand Spring Estuary tributary to Snake River

Proposed Priority: 8/3/1990

Stream Reach Description — The reach for this instream flow is from the confluence of South Thousand Springs Estuary with the Snake River, upstream to the point where the water exits Idaho Power Company's Thousand Springs Power Plant. It includes all water that joins the Estuary upstream of the confluence with The Snake and downstream of the power plant.

Beginning at the outflow station of the Idaho Power Thousand Springs Plant in Govt. Lot 3 (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 8, T8S, R14E B.M., Gooding County, and extending downstream to its confluence with the Snake River in Govt. Lot 1 (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section 17, T8S, R14E B.M.

Amount & Period of Use: 500 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31

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Source: Sculpin Springs Creek tributary to Snake River

Proposed Priority: 8/3/1990

Stream Reach Description — The reach proposed for this instream flow is from the confluence of Sculpin Springs Creek with the Snake River, upstream to the point where the water falls off of the Snake River Canyon Wall. It also includes all unappropriated water that joins the creek throughout this reach.

Beginning at the point where water falls over the Snake River Canyon wall in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 17, T8S, R14E B.M., Gooding County, and extending downstream to its confluence with the Snake River in Govt. Lot 4 (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 17, T8S, R14E, B.M.

Amount & Period of Use: 33 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31.

Application No: 36-08558

Source: Springs and Sand Springs Creek tributary to Snake River

Proposed Priority: 8/3/1990

Stream Reach Description — The reach proposed for this instream flow is from the confluence of Sand Springs Creek with the Snake River, upstream to the outflow of the unnamed springs at the base of the Snake River Canyon Wall. It also includes all unappropriated water that joins the creek throughout this reach.

Beginning at its headwater spring located in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 17, T8S, R14E B.M., Gooding County, and extending downstream to its confluence with the Snake River in Govt. 5 (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$), Section 17, T8S, R14E B.M.

Amount & Period of Use: 34 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31

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Amount & Period of Use: 500 cfs from 1/1 to 12/31

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DATE: 7/31/90

TO:

Mary Luca Chick
Idaho Parks & Rec.

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SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:

Mary - Here's the memo indicating
the flow data taken at Thousand Springs
this past spring. Please contact me if
you need any additional information for
the applications

FROM:

Mark Elsbree

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Thousand Springs Hearing

36-08556 South Thousand Springs Estuary
500 cfs -

36-08557 Sculpin Springs Creek
33 cfs -

36-08558 Springs & Sand Springs Creek
34 cfs -

Aesthetic value -

Bill Graham

Measurements for filing were filed in June -

Rinda Just examination

Mary Lucachick - witness
recreational, interpretive & historical value
springs are focal point for Minnie Miller Preserve
Park service ~~recommended~~ found area
suitable for national landmark but not
designated -

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Top 10 sights for recreation development
Thousand Springs is the number 2
priority. As a park in the future

True minimum -

500 cts. is a true minimum. It is
a remnant. need a few in their
complete form -

In public interest - Aesthetics & recreation

Public access -

Accessible for tours - Not open 24 hours/day
Have to pre-arrange

Elsbree, Mark

Employed by Nature

Conservancy -

Very familiar with Stearns talking about
Numerous hours on the preserve

Creeks are lifeblood of the property

Familiar with land ownership

Purchased property from Judge Ritter -

Conservancy owns

Since 1986 - managed as a nature preserve
restoration of wildlife habitat -
Want to maintain stream channel & riparian
areas

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Where
is Nancy
Ritter

Has provided a lot of interest in the area
Foot access - not vehicular access
Once a week tours on the island
Have hired permanent ranch managers
Access by water is unimpeded
Do not intend to close property down

500 visitors annually to the island -
Believes this number will increase -
In the business of protecting water
& waterways

500 cfs - flows need to remain
protected. - Not many of the
springs have been left in their
natural state

In the public interest - Private
organization - but provide public
access

Lynott, Kevin - Manages Maled & Niagara
How become familiar with
Have outreach recreational program
Provided interpretive services on Saturday
special resource tour - Fisheries & one other -
How many people attended - 196 on the tours
Averaged 14 people per program

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Intends to continue the program - Wants to increase attendance

Parks is providing services for facilities it does not own.

Ownership is not required

Most people come to look at the water

Flow is a true minimum

Flows are in the public interest -

Cindy Lunte - Nature Conservancy employee

Familiar with the waterway -

Hundreds of hours in the streams - measuring etc.

Masters degree in limnology -

Field trained by USGS - measurements -

Measured the flow rates -

Equipment thru USGS.

500 cfs for So. Thousand Springs

Uniform flow - no obstructions

Used a boat & cable system of the

So. 1000 spr. estuary -

25-30 segments -

Measured only once

Will start taking monthly measurements

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June of 1990 - low flow period -
1990 was a drought year -
500 cfs - a historically low flow -

Used together for Sand Spring & Sulphur
Spring - measured in May 1990
Will continue monthly measurements.

Studied rare species - best populations
of the candidate species - C-2 classifying
means a species of concern.

Important for populations to be preserved
Snails require velocities, & clearliness -
Four Snake River species need freshwater
flow from spring to survive.

Maintenance of organism depends
on stream flow maintenance.

A lot of water flow
Temp. is a constant 52°

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Partridge

Fish & Game regional fisheries
biologist

Maintain knowledge of regional fisheries
status.

Few remaining springs. no development
affecting water quality.

Good velocities & gravel - nearly all
other spawning areas have been affected.
Sampled in 1990 $\frac{1}{3}$ fish are wild trout -
Most likely main source of wild trout
in the area.

Also introduce hatchery fish in the
area.

Provide rearing for trout.

White sturgeon move in occasionally into
the channels.

Springs important to waterfowl
Seen 1,000 mallards/day during the
winter.

River otter - mink.

Over time channels

Reduction in flow would reduce
spawning.

Flows requested are true minimums.
Streams are important for wild fish.

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Hagerman Valley
Ned Swisher - Citizen's Alert -
Non profit corporation -
Board 7 people -

95%

40-60 people -
President of the organization -

Bob Burkes

Knew Minnie Miller - His dad

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**SOUTH THOUSAND SPRINGS ESTUARY
MINIMUM STREAMFLOW APPLICATION DATA**

WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 36-8556

SOURCE: SOUTH THOUSAND SPRINGS ESTUARY

APPLICANT: IDAHO WATER RESOURCE BOARD

**REQUESTING AGENCY:
IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION**

DATE FILED: AUGUST 3, 1990

MINIMUM STREAMFLOW REACH:

COMMENCES AT THE OUTFLOW STATION OF THE IDAHO POWER THOUSAND SPRINGS PLANT IN GOVT. LOT 3 (SE1/4 NE1/4 SW1/4), SECTION 8, T8S, R14E, AND EXTENDS DOWNSTREAM TO ITS CONFLUENCE WITH THE SNAKE RIVER IN GOVT. LOT 1 (NE1/4 NE1/4 NW1/4), SECTION 17, T8S, R14E, B.M., GOODING COUNTY.

RATE OF FLOW: 500 CFS

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 1 - DECEMBER 31

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MINIMUM STREAMFLOW APPLICATION DATA**

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APPLICANT: IDAHO WATER RESOURCE BOARD

**REQUESTING AGENCY:
IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION**

DATE FILED: AUGUST 3, 1990

MINIMUM STREAMFLOW REACH:

COMMENCES AT THE POINT WHERE WATER FALLS OVER THE SNAKE RIVER CANYON WALL IN THE NW1/4 OF THE SE1/4 OF THE SE1/4, SECTION 17, T8S, R14E, AND EXTENDS DOWNSTREAM TO ITS CONFLUENCE WITH THE SNAKE RIVER IN GOVT. LOT 4 (SE1/4 SE1/4 NW1/4), SECTION 17, T8S, R14E, B.M., GOODING COUNTY.

RATE OF FLOW: 33 CFS

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 1 - DECEMBER 31

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**SAND SPRINGS CREEK AND SPRINGS
MINIMUM STREAMFLOW APPLICATION DATA**

WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 36-8558

SOURCE: SAND SPRINGS CREEK AND SPRINGS

APPLICANT: IDAHO WATER RESOURCE BOARD

**REQUESTING AGENCY:
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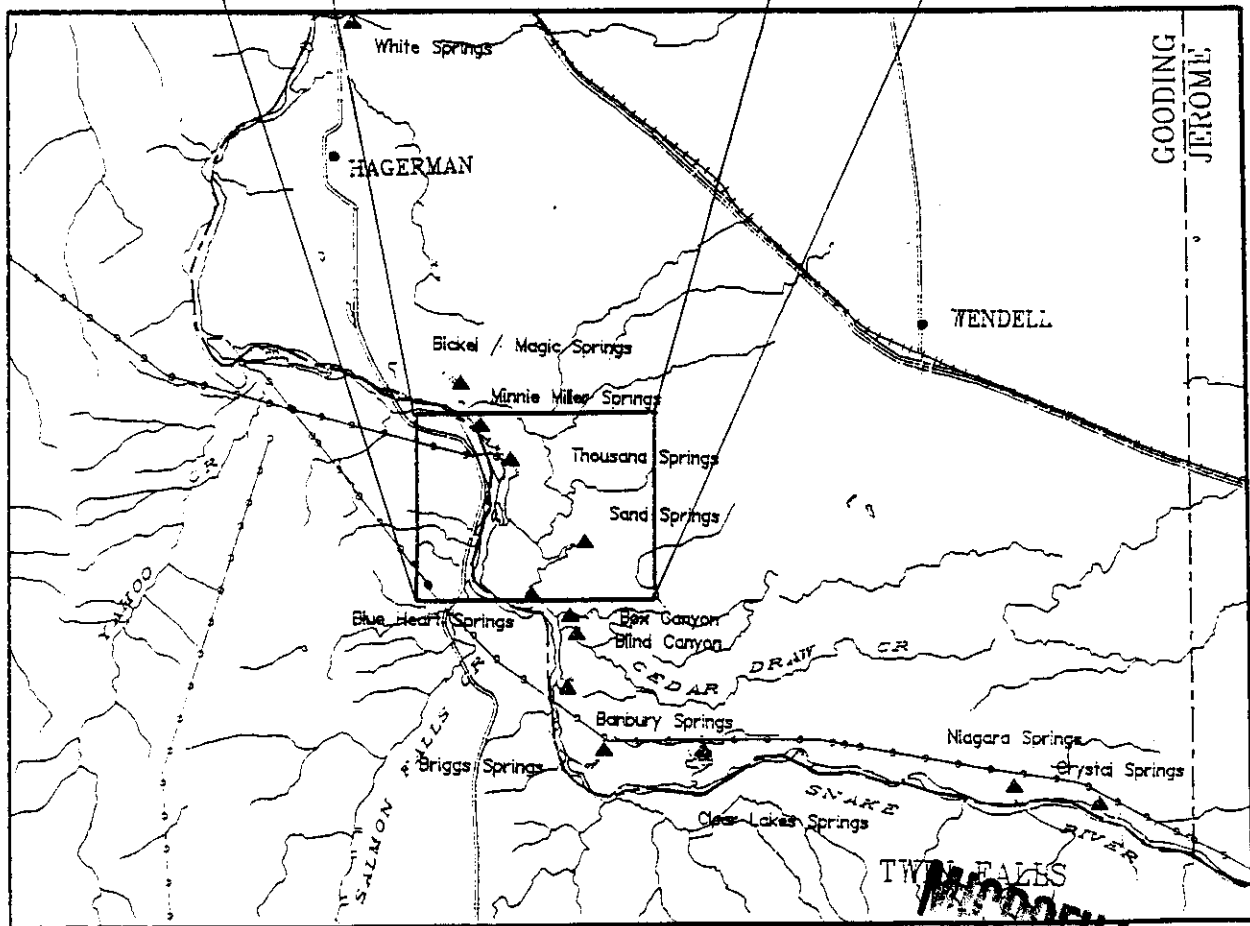
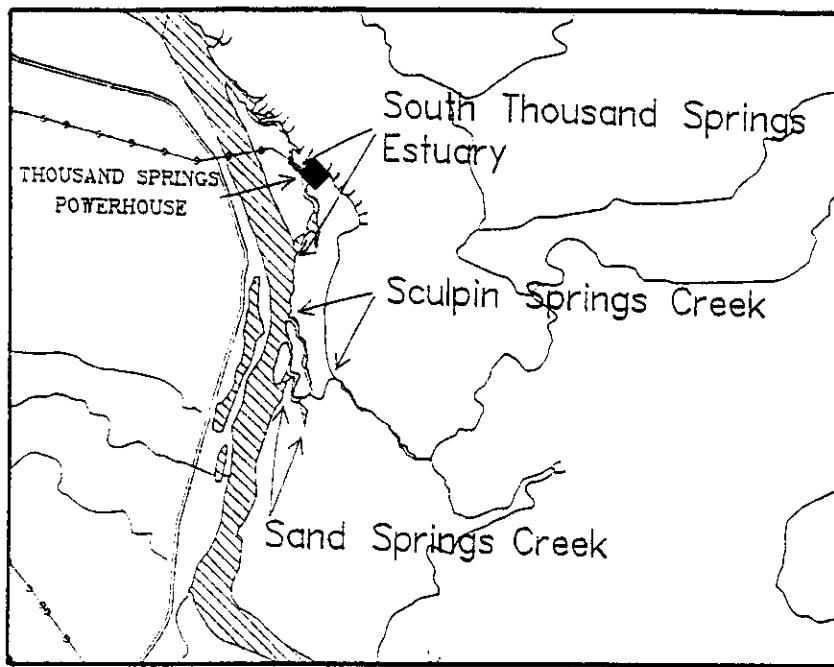
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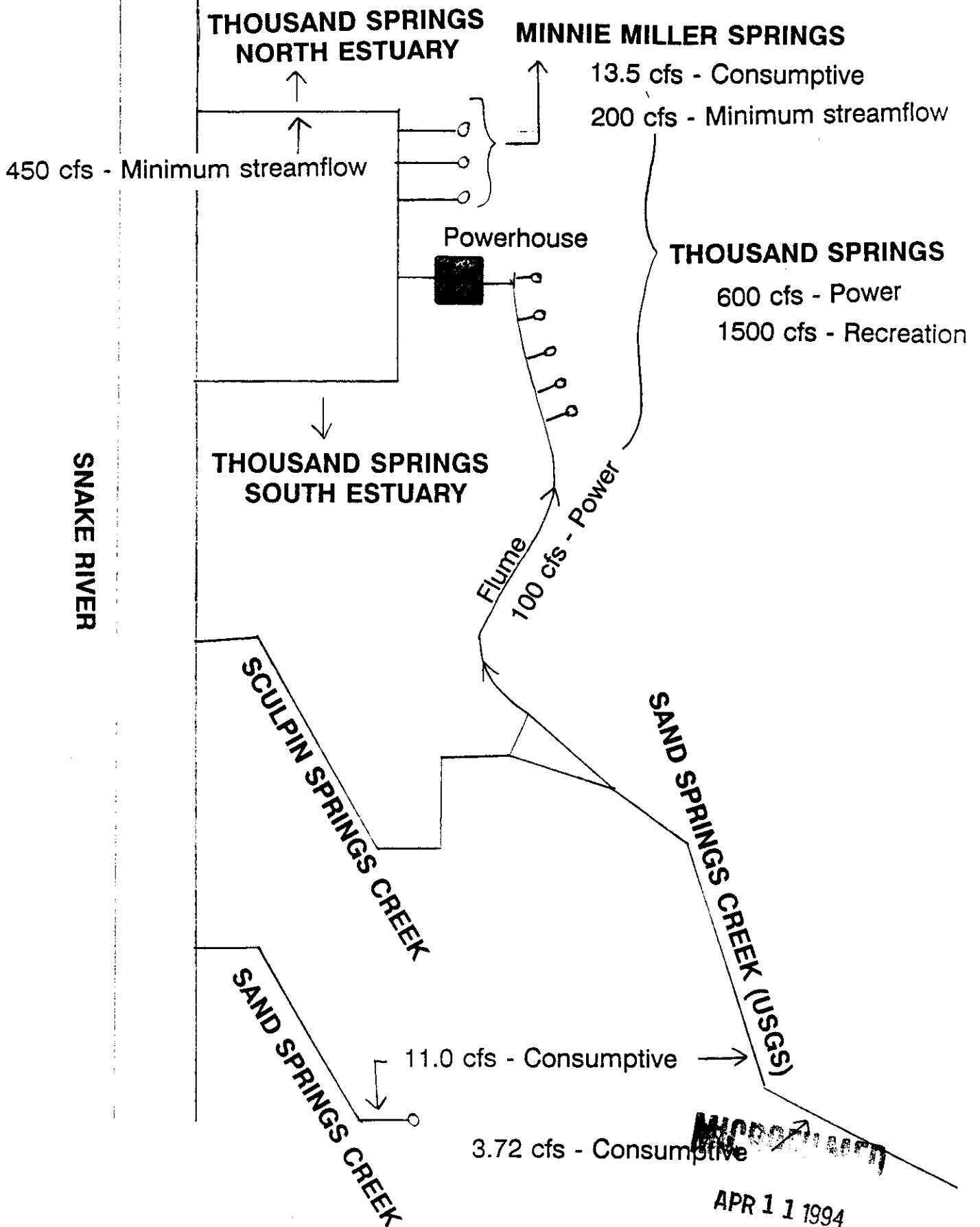
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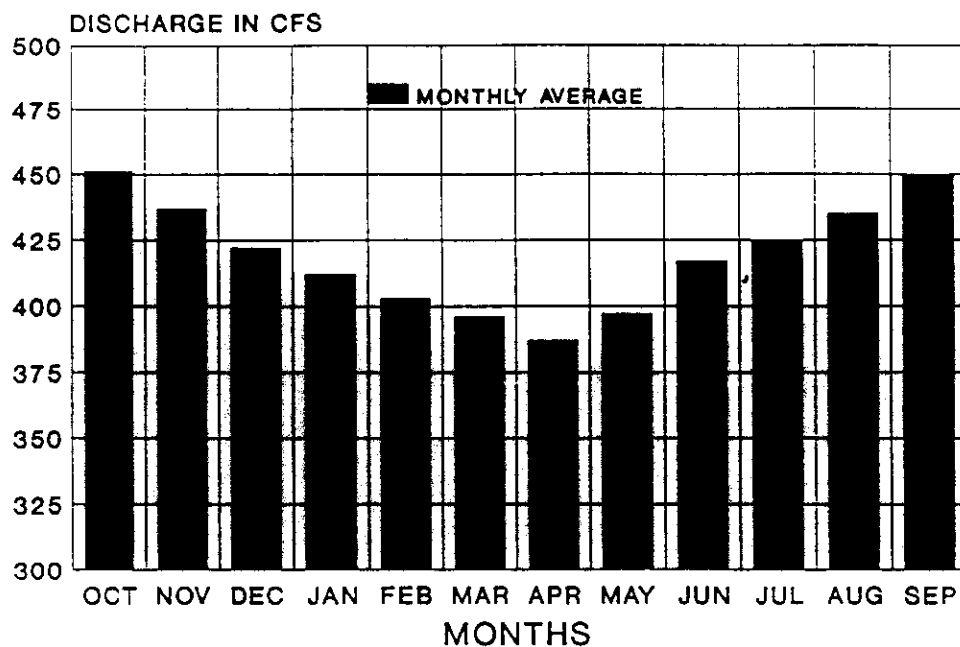
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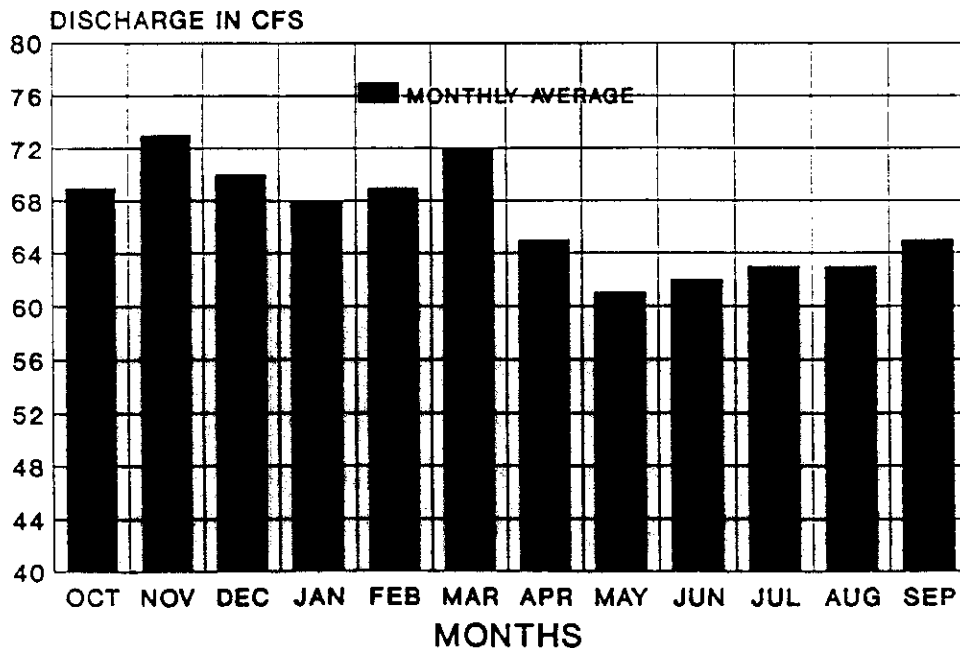


BOX CANYON SPRINGS NEAR WENDELL, IDAHO
(STA 133095500,USGS)



AVERAGE, 1951 TO 1958 WATER YEARS.

RILEY CREEK BELOW LEWIS SPRING
NEAR HAGERMAN (STA 13134000, USGS)



AVERAGE, 1952 TO 1954 WATER YEARS.

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Part 5 Exhibit A



Centennial State Park Study

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Centennial Park Intro

A little over a year ago Bob Meinen, Bill Dokken, Merl Mews, and I met to talk about projects the department might propose for Idaho's Centennial. We reviewed several from our parks and approved many of them. Then we talked about how we were going to respond to the proposals for a Centennial State Park. It's common for states to celebrate their 100th birthday that way, and even then there were proposals floating around. We wanted to be sure we weren't somehow left out the process, ending up with a park that might be unsuitable.

As you know historically we've received our parks through some outside means, such as donations or political pressure. We have seldom, if ever, had the opportunity to follow our charge. That is, institute a comprehensive plan and program for the acquisition and development of parks.

Bob Meinen saw the Centennial as an opportunity to fulfill that commitment to the state. He proposed that we ask the Centennial Commission to fund a Park Priority Study that would rank all potential park sites. And, as a secondary part of that study, he suggested that we give the Lasting Legacy Committee and the Centennial Commission the opportunity to pick a Centennial State Park from a short list of sites that came out of the study. We proposed that particular emphasis be given to the historical and cultural aspects that made Idaho what it is today, especially mining, timber, and agriculture.

The Lasting Legacy Committee was quick to endorse the study. They were extremely enthusiastic... It was the largest grant they had approved.

Now that study is complete.

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INTRODUCTION

"...a lot of this state
Idaho, that I
didn't know about".

Remember reading diary entries on journal accounts or observations of early Idaho? Ernest Hemingway seems an appropriate understatement in introducing a search for potential state park sites in Idaho. The good news is there remains "a lot" that deserves our attention.

This "opportunity to rekindle pride in a heritage worth preserving and sharing" has been made possible by a grant from the Lasting Legacy Committee of the Idaho Centennial Commission. Working within the committee's goal of "protection of our heritage" we have sought to identify sites that represent the best of "Idaho's natural resources, historic structures, and cultural heritage."

Not since shortly after the Department of Parks (and Recreation) was created by legislation in 1965 have we had the opportunity to look at potential state park sites. Enabling legislation provides that "...the Department of Parks and Recreation shall formulate and put into execution a ...program for the acquisition, planning, protection, operation, maintenance, development and wise use of areas of scenic beauty, recreational utility, historic, archaeologic or scientific interest, to the end that the health, happiness, recreational opportunities and wholesome enjoyment of life of the people may be further encouraged". This study reflects the first concentrated look for potential state park sites in over fifteen years.

The Lasting Legacy Committee provides the initiative, the Department of Parks and Recreation provides the means, the citizens of Idaho provided the interest, enthusiasm and participation. Together, we've been able to identify many sites, certainly not all, that demand our attention. The real work lies ahead.

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One of the long range planning goals of the Idaho Department of Parks and Recreation has always been to recognize sites that warrant inclusion in the state park system. Periodically nominations have been received; lists of sites have always been available, but this study represents the first real effort to identify and then acquire a park site in a programmed manner.

Idaho Park and Recreation Board policy recognizes an "acquisition program is vital to state parks and should continue commensurate with the needs of a growing population." To serve as a guideline for acquisition and development of state park units, the Board has adopted A Procedure to Identify and Evaluate Areas of Outstanding Natural, Scientific, Cultural, Historic or Recreational Value in Idaho.

One of the products of this study will be an updated document that integrates changes in related programs and contemporary standards. To assist in this revision, several states were contacted relative to their procedure in reviewing potential sites. Each respective process, while unique, was a variation of a process made popular by G. Angus Hills. This process used the terms capability to refer to a resources inherent or present condition or abilities, suitability if specified management alterations were to be made and feasibility based upon present and forecasted off site conditios. These broad criteria were then divided into criterion to measure site values. To establish cultural values, National Register of Historic Places criteria was incorporated. As was National Natural Landmark criteria for natural sites. Point factors were then assigned to each criterion to establish a 100 point scale:

Capability - 60 points
 Cultural (20)
 Natural (20)
 Recreational (20)
Suitability - 20 points
Feasibility - 20 points

This scoring system became the basis for evaluating sites and compiling a list of "intrinsic" site values against which sites could be ranked. This exercise in scoring was not intended to confuse or complicate but to remove as much subjectivity as possible.

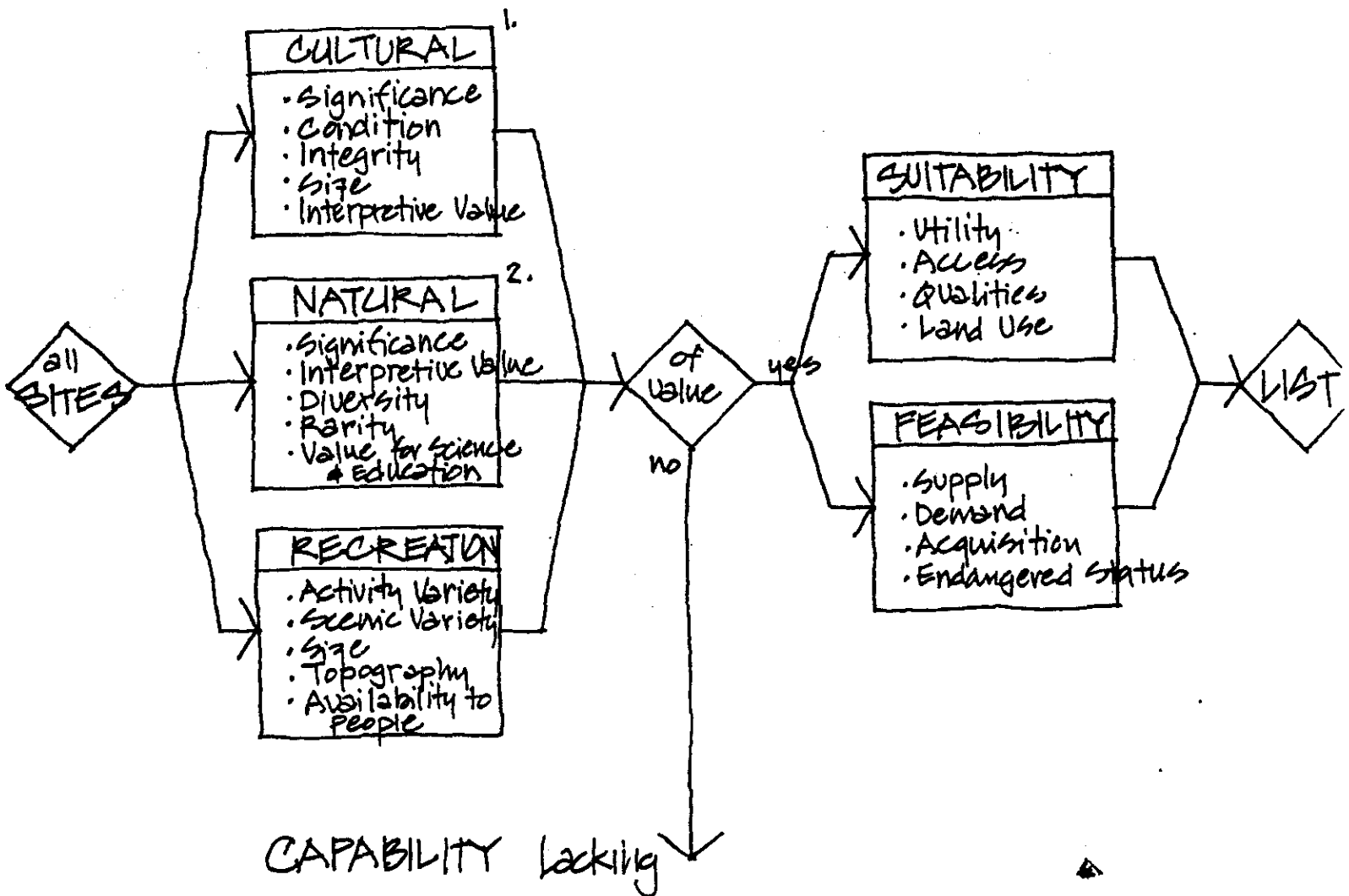
Efforts to apply the "procedure" began in the fall of 1987 with statewide press releases soliciting public input. The response to this public involvement and information on file resulted in a list of 150 nominations. This list was condensed to approximately 100 sites. Evaluations were made relying on file information, familiarity with the site or site visits. When possible or desirable, sites were visited with the individuals that nominated or had a special knowledge of it.

The resulting list identifies regional rankings of sites based solely on site values. This list should not be interpreted to mean that all sites listed are potential state park sites, but a summary of the work.

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The purpose of the study was to identify "new" sites for possible acquisition; the evaluation structured to be a site specific review. As a result, many sites nominated are not included on the list. Existing recreation sites were eliminated immediately; as were "underdeveloped" or questionably managed sites. Concepts too faded poorly, without a specific site to review points could not be scored. The above list while an end to this study, is not the conclusion of the "procedure". Potential sites evaluation is a dynamic process; sites may drop from the list, and surely, new sites will be added.

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1. National Register of Historic Places criteria
2. National Natural Landmarks Program

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Park Priority Study Rankings and Review

The main purpose for the study was to establish criteria for future park acquisition and development. The study resulted in a list of sites ranked for future consideration. The top ten sites identified by the study, in order are:

1. City of Rocks
2. Thousand Springs Area
3. Upper and Lower Mesa Falls
4. Town of Chesterfield
5. Albion Normal School Site
6. Clearwater Recreation Area
7. Salmon Creek Reservoir
8. Town of Bayhorse
9. Custer/Bonanza Area
10. St. Anthony Sand Dunes

Centennial State Park

The Centennial State Park should not necessarily be the site with the highest over-all ranking, but rather a site that best captures the spirit of the Centennial. Our application to the Centennial Commission stated that in searching for a Centennial State Park we would give special emphasis to those sites that would "preserve and interpret the historic and cultural factors most significant in the settling of Idaho, such as mining, timber, and farming.

After reviewing the raw rankings, department staff discussed the development potential of the top ten sites and how each might relate to the Centennial. Each site has its charm, its problems, and its opportunities. Staff identified three areas of concern and ranked the sites accordingly.

Feasibility of development by 1990. Ideally the Centennial State Park would be dedicated in 1990 and open for visitors. With that in mind the top sites rank:

1. Upper and Lower Mesa Falls
2. Chesterfield
3. Town of Bayhorse

Need for protection. The Centennial Commission wants the park to be a legacy for the state. Each site is in some way threatened, whether by development, deterioration, or vandalism. Ranking by need for protection is:

1. Town of Bayhorse
2. Chesterfield
3. Thousand Springs

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Historic and cultural value. The Centennial celebrates the past as well as preserving for the future. In keeping with that especially important Lasting Legacy theme the historic ranking of the sites is:

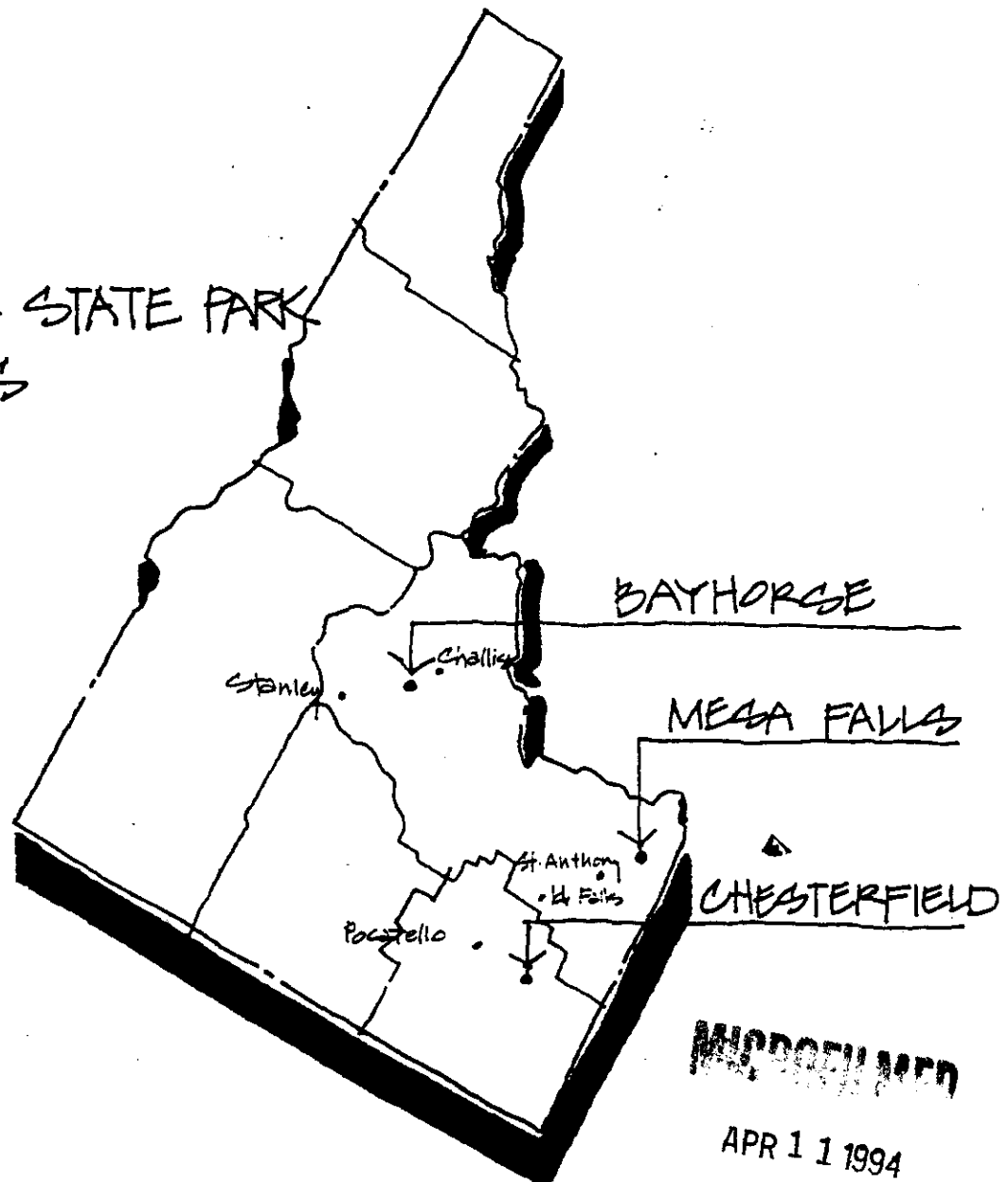
1. Bayhorse
2. Chesterfield
3. Custer/Bonanza

Recommendation

After reviewing the above considerations and the criteria that resulted in the top ten sites statewide, staff recommends that the following ranked list be sent to the Lasting Legacy Committee of the Idaho Centennial Commission for their consideration. Further, the staff recommends that the board give approval to proceed with planning, acquisition, and implementation of the endorsed Centennial State Park site.

1. Bayhorse
2. Chesterfield
3. Mesa Falls

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CENTENNIAL STATE PARK
SITES



Site: Bayhorse
Location: Fifteen miles south of Challis in Custer County
Region: Six
Nominated by: Ernest J. Lombard, Paul Fritz--Boise
Roger Williams--Meridian

Description

Bayhorse Creek enters the Salmon River on the left, 13.5 miles down river from Clayton. The town of Bayhorse is located about 2.5 miles up the creek from Highway 75.

The creek was prospected as early as 1864 and a claim was staked in 1872. Rich ore was not discovered in the creek until 1877. That year a mining district including Bayhorse and Clayton was formed, and smelters were built in both locations.

The post office was first established as Aetna, a name assigned by the U.S. Post Office because Bay Horse--as two words--was considered unacceptable, but by 1884 Bayhorse was listed as a post office name and Aetna was dropped. The post office was discontinued in 1927.

Significance

Bayhorse is considered a historic site of statewide significance. The two graveyards, charcoal kilns, and remaining buildings (about 10) are judged to be in fair condition with very little alteration. The interpretive value of Bayhorse is considered significant for its contribution to the broad patterns of Idaho history, and its vernacular mining structures and siting.

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Site: Town of Chesterfield
Location: Twenty miles northeast of Lava Hot Springs, Caribou County
Region: Five
Nominated by: Elaine Johnson--Soda Springs

Description

Located in the northwest part of the county is the captivating Mormon settlement of Chesterfield. In 1879 Chester Call, and his nephew Christian Nelson, from Bountiful, Utah, entered the Portneuf Valley in search of grazing land for their horses. They found this area suited to their needs and went home to persuade 12 families to join them in a new endeavor.

A traditional Mormon townsite grid was laid out over the hilly terrain: 35 10-acre blocks, seven tiers north and south, and five east and west, every block square. The streets were 99 feet wide. Though dimmed by age and agriculture, the pattern is still evident.

Twenty-three of the original buildings still sprinkle the site. All but two were built before 1910. A variety of architectural styles and materials is represented. Six homes, two stores, a meeting house, school, and tithing office are made from orange bricks fired here. Some of the wood "slab" homes built of vertical, squared logs, chinked with batten strips are most unusual.

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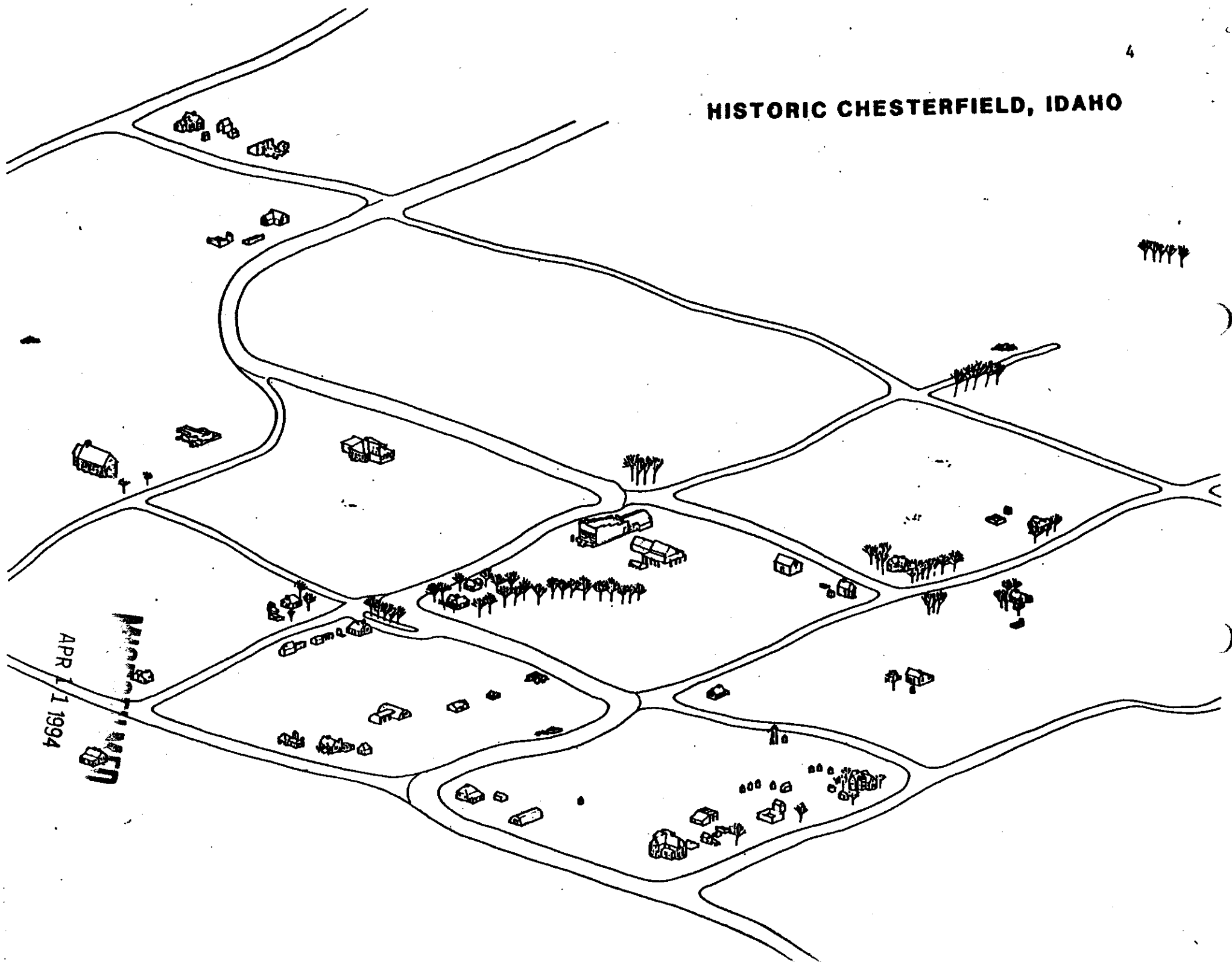
Chesterfield remains one of the best preserved colonies among the 500 or so established by the Latter-Day Saints. It is considered a district of statewide significance on the National Register of Historic Places, and is listed as both a historic and archaeologic site.

Because it exists surprisingly intact, it is even more significant as a primitive village and rural landscape, little compromised by modern development. Finally, among its buildings one finds not only a variety of examples of early building forms, but also a distinguishing level of workmanship. Existing buildings are judged to be in good condition with little modification. Interpretive programs can be structured around Chesterfield's significant contribution to Idaho history and its distinctive town grid, structures, and cultural landscape.

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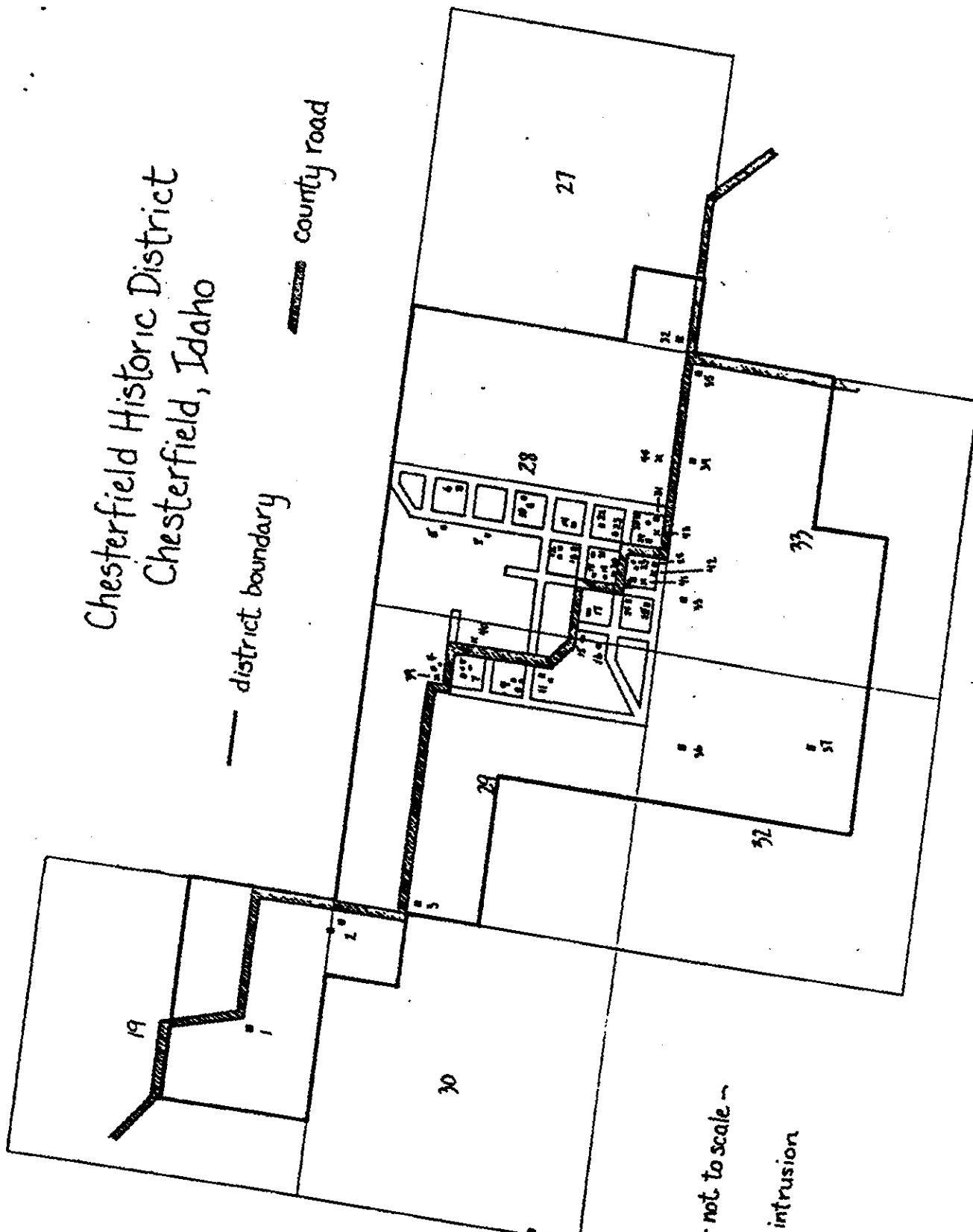
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Chesterfield Historic District Chesterfield, Idaho

— district boundary

— county road



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Site: Upper and Lower Mesa Falls
Location: Fifteen miles northwest of Ashton via Forest Highway 294.
Region: Six
Nominated by: John Burns, Forest Supervisor, Targhee National Forest
Gene Eyraud, Park Manager, Harriman State Park

Description

Upper and Lower Mesa Falls are a part of the Henry's Fork of the Snake River. The upper falls is approximately 114 feet high and 200 feet wide. The companion lower falls is a short distance downstream and is listed as 65 to 70 feet high. With an enormous volume of water (600 to 1500 cfs) plunging over its escarpment, Mesa Falls is the single falls on the Snake River not affected by fluctuation of irrigation or power withdrawals. In fact, Mesa Falls is the last undisturbed falls on the Columbia River system.

Significance

Natural and cultural features are likely eligible for respective national programs. Mesa Falls, as a geologic site, has been nominated for inclusion in the National Natural Landmark program. Its excellent condition, very high quality examples of ecological and geological features, well developed and undisturbed features, and excellent value for science and education, make inclusion likely. The Mesa Falls Lodge, built prior to 1912, while not formally nominated, should be eligible for the National Register of Historic Places. Recreation uses of the river, including white-water boating, fishing, hiking, and viewing are very popular. Adequate land area is available for development of traditional camping, picnicking, and viewing areas. Take-out and launching points could be developed to accommodate white-water boaters.

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