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DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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RE: Change in Ownership of Decreed Water Right 35-2805

Dear Interested Parties:

The Department of Water Resources acknowledges receipt of your Notice of Change in Water Right Ownership. Our review of your notice indicates that additional information is required before we can process the change. The information required is indicated below:

☒ **Evidence of Water Right Ownership:** copy of (signed) Warranty Deed, Title Policy, Contract of Sale, or other legal document indicating your ownership of the property and/or water rights in question

☒ **Legal Description of Property**

During our review of the documentation you submitted we found some discrepancies between that documentation and the legal description of the place of use for the water right(s) indicated in your notice. The decreed water right includes 141 acres in 4 different $\frac{1}{4}$'s. The only matching lands between your unsigned deed and the decreed water right are 29 acres in the NENE. I have enclosed a copy of the decreed water right for your reference.

If you have purchased only those 29 acres out of the 141 acres listed in the decree, it will be necessary to split the water right. The filing fee required for a division of a water right is \$100.00. That would leave a balance of \$75.00 owed. I am returning the unsigned warranty deed with this letter.

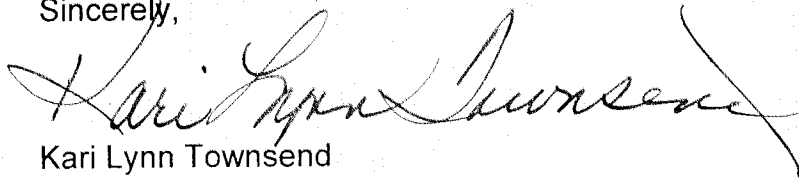
Please furnish our office with a signed copy of a Warranty Deed or a Title Policy or Contract of Sale along with the balance of the filing fee (if a split of the water right is required). Please be sure to include adequate legal description of property (if NO split is required).

Because the Department cannot process the ownership change without proper documentation and fees, we will hold any action on your notice pending receipt of the necessary information and fees. If we do not receive the necessary information and fees **within 30 days** we will return your notice and all attachments and your notice will not be processed.

Please note that water right owners are required to report any change in water right ownership and/or mailing address to the Department within 120 days of the change. Failure to report these changes could result in a \$100 late filing fee. Contact any office of the Department or visit the Department's homepage (<http://www.idwr.state.id.us>) on the Internet to obtain the proper forms and instructions.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please call me at 208-327-7941.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Kari Lynn Townsend". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Kari Lynn Townsend
Secretary

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Enclosures