

MEMORANDUM

Date: June 25, 2004
To: Transfer 71212
From: dcarlson
Re: transfer evaluation

This transfer proposes to combine 2 water rights from Bull Creek into one POU, on partially the same land list and partially changed POU. Same POD.

Authority to File:

Applicant provided tax notices for old and new POU and is the owner of record as far as SRBA claim/recommendation.

Water Right Validity:

This water right has a new recommendation in the SRBA as of May 10, 2004. Forfeiture is not an issue.

Injury to Other Water Rights:

Watermaster made comments beyond his authority. The Lemhi Decree and the newly printed SRBA recommendations do not combine Hawley creek and Bull creek into a diversion limitation. Transfer will be advertised to determine any protests.

Enlargement of Use:

There is no evidence of enlargement of use.

Local Public Interest:

No issues identified.

Beneficial Use / Conservation of Water Resources:

No issue identified.

Review of the application finds there is not clear inconsistency with criteria set forth in Section 42-222 Idaho Code preventing processing of this application.