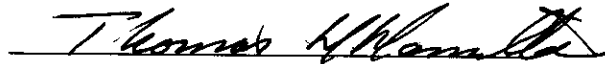
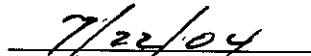


**WITHDRAWAL OF PROTEST, TRANSFER NO. 71162
PETITION TO CHANGE, WATER RIGHT NO. 63-11176A**

I, Thomas H. Hamilton, withdraw my protest to transfer application no. 71162 subject to the removal of condition no. W35 from my water right 63-11176A, which states "This right when combined with rights 63-03582 and 63-11176B shall not exceed a diversion rate of 3.69 cfs". Per the attached, signed agreement, Don Brandt of the Brandt Agency has agreed to reduce his combined flow rate to 3.49 cfs on his water rights 63-11176B and 63-3582, thus allowing me exclusive right to divert .20 cfs from my separate well without being tied to his system.


Thomas H. Hamilton


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