

Important Information About Your Water Right

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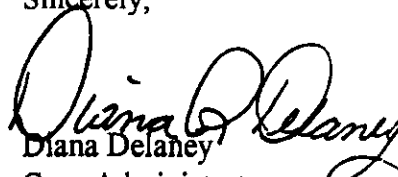
Dear Water Right Claimant(s):

This letter accompanies a copy of an ***Order Amending Irrigation Period of Use Element in Partial Decree, Nunc Pro Tunc*** (hereinafter "***Order***") for water right number 57-07204. According to Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) records, you are the current owner of this water right. If you are not the current owner, please contact IDWR immediately at:

Idaho Department of Water Resources
1301 North Orchard
Boise, ID 83706
800-451-4129

The purpose of the ***Order*** is to set forth beginning and ending dates for the irrigation period of use for this water right. As stated in the face of the ***Order***, this action was necessary following the decision of the Idaho Supreme Court in *A&B Irrigation Dist. v. Idaho Conservation League*, 131 Idaho 411, 423, 958 P.2d 568, 580 (1998). This ***Order*** also incorporates into the ***Partial Decree*** an express statement that the ***Partial Decree*** is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition or for the efficient administration of the water right. This express statement is necessary to comply with the requirements of Idaho Code section 42-1412(6). This ***Order***, in combination with the ***Partial Decree*** that was issued for this water right on December 15, 1997, sets forth all of the elements of your water right. The Snake River Basin Adjudication (SRBA) Court suggests that you keep this document in a safe location together with a copy of the ***Partial Decree*** to show evidence of this water right. The original of the ***Order*** and the original of the ***Partial Decree*** for this water right is on file with SRBA Court. If you do not have a copy of the original ***Partial Decree***, one can be obtained by contacting the SRBA Court at (208) 736-3011. Please note that the ***Order*** is entered ***Nunc Pro Tunc***, meaning that the ***Order*** will be treated as if it were issued on the same date that the ***Partial Decree*** was originally issued.

Sincerely,


Diana Delaney
Case Administrator

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

	)	Water Right 57-07204
In Re SRBA	)	
	)	
	)	ORDER AMENDING IRRIGATION PERIOD OF USE
	)	ELEMENT IN PARTIAL DECREE and
Case No. 39576	)	INCORPORATING INTO PARTIAL DECREES AN
	)	EXPRESS STATEMENT REGARDING GENERAL
_____	)	PROVISIONS, <i>NUNC PRO TUNC</i>

A *Partial Decree* was entered for the above-captioned irrigation water right on December 15, 1997. The period of use element was decreed as "irrigation season." In *A&B Irrigation Dist. v. Idaho Conservation League*, 131 Idaho 411, 423, 958 P.2d 568, 580 (1998), the Idaho Supreme Court remanded with the directive to include specific dates for the period of use element. Following remand, on July 26, 1999, IDWR filed a *Supplemental Director's Report, Reporting Area 2, IDWR Basin 57, Regarding Revision of Period of Use (For Irrigation Water Uses) and Conjunctive Management General Provisions*, which included an irrigation period of use recommendation for this water right. No objections were filed to this *Supplemental Director's Report*.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the period of use element for the irrigation portion of the above-captioned water right is hereby amended and decreed as:

PERIOD OF USE: 03-15 to 11-15
The use of water for irrigation under this right may begin as early as March 1 and may continue to as late as November 15, provided other elements of the right are not exceeded. The use of water before March 15 under this remark is subordinate to all water rights having no subordinated early or late irrigation use and a priority date earlier than the date a partial decree is entered for this right.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the *Partial Decree* for the above-captioned water right is hereby amended and decreed to contain the following:

This partial decree is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of the water rights as may be ultimately determined by the court a point in time no later than the entry of a final unified decree. I.C. section 42-1412(6).

This order is being entered *nunc pro tunc* as of the date the *Partial Decree* was issued and is not intended to modify subsequent administrative changes for the water right, if any, which occurred following entry of the *Partial Decree*.

RULE 54(b) CERTIFICATE

With respect to the issues determined by the above judgment or order, it is hereby CERTIFIED, in accordance with Rule 54(b), I.R.C.P., that the court has determined that there is no just reason for delay of the entry of a final judgment and that the court has and does hereby direct that the above judgment or order shall be a final judgment upon which execution may issue and an appeal may be taken as provided by the Idaho Appellate Rules.

Dated February 21, 2003



ROGER BURDICK
Presiding Judge
Snake River Basin Adjudication

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

In Re SRBA)
)
Case No. 39576)
_____)

PARTIAL DECREE PURSUANT TO
I.R.C.P. 54(b) FOR
Water Right 57-07204

1997 DEC 15 AM 10: 58

DISTRICT COURT - SRBA
TWIN FALLS CO., IDAHO

FILED _____

NAME & ADDRESS: LESTER H LONG
MARGARET LONG
HC 79 BOX 106B
MELBA ID 83641

SOURCE: GROUNDWATER

QUANTITY: 0.13 CFS
13.5 AFY

THE QUANTITY OF WATER UNDER THIS RIGHT FOR DOMESTIC USE SHALL
NOT EXCEED 13,000 GALLONS PER DAY.

PRIORITY DATE: 01/04/1978

POINT OF DIVERSION: T01N R03W S08 LOT 1 (SESW) Within OWYHEE County

PURPOSE AND PERIOD OF USE:	PURPOSE OF USE	PERIOD OF USE	QUANTITY
	IRRIGATION	Irrigation Season	0.09 CFS
			13.5 AFY
	DOMESTIC	01-01 12-31	0.04 CFS

DOMESTIC USE IS, 1 HOME WITH HEATING

PLACE OF USE: IRRIGATION Within OWYHEE County
T01N R03W S08 Lot 1 (SESW) 3
3 ACRES TOTAL

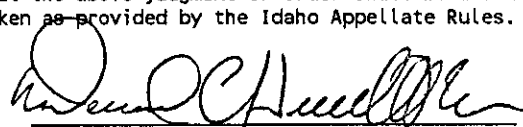
DOMESTIC Within OWYHEE County
T01N R03W S08 Lot 1 (SESW)

OTHER PROVISIONS NECESSARY FOR DEFINITION OR ADMINISTRATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT:

THE QUANTITY OF WATER DECREED FOR THIS WATER RIGHT FOR
DOMESTIC USE IS NOT A DETERMINATION OF HISTORICAL BENEFICIAL USE.

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DANIEL C. HURLBUTT, JR.
PRESIDING JUDGE
Snake River Basin Adjudication