

Important Information About Your Water Right

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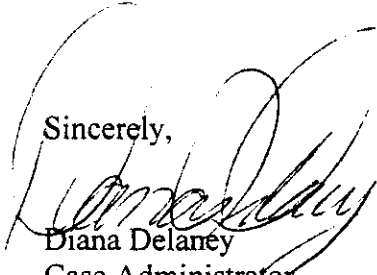
Dear Water Right Claimant(s):

Attached to this letter is a copy of an **Order Amending Irrigation Period of Use Element in Partial Decree, Nunc Pro Tunc** (hereinafter "**Order**") for water right number 34-13413. 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 February 24, 1998, 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 this **Order** and the original of the **Partial Decree** for this water right are 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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TWIN FALLS CO., IDAHO
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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 34-13413
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 February 24, 1998. 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 June 24, 1999, IDWR filed a *Supplemental Director's Report, Reporting Area 1, IDWR Basin 34, 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: 05-01 to 10-15

The period of use for irrigation described above may be extended in seasons of unusual characteristics to a beginning date of 04-20 and an ending date of 10-31 at the discretion of the Director of the Idaho Department of Water Resources.

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 July 10, 2002.



ROGER BURDICK
Presiding Judge
Snake River Basin Adjudication

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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

In Re SRBA	)	ORDER OF PARTIAL DECREE
	)	
Case No. 39576	)	For Water Right 34-13413
_____	)	

On October 15, 1997, a *Special Master's Report and Recommendation* was filed for the above water right. No Challenges were filed to the *Special Master's Report and Recommendation* and the time for filing Challenges has now expired.

Pursuant to I.R.C.P. 53(e)(2) and *SRBA Administrative Order 1*, Section 13f, this court has reviewed the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained in the *Special Master's Report* and wholly adopts them as its own.

Therefore, IT IS ORDERED that water right 34-13413 is hereby **decreed** as set forth in the attached *Partial Decree Pursuant to I.R.C.P. 54(b)*.

DATED February 24, 1998.

DANIEL C. HURLBUTT, JR.
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 34-13413

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DISTRICT COURT - SRBA
TWIN FALLS CO, IDAHO
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NAME & ADDRESS: ROBERT M THORNTON
BARBARA V THORNTON
RT 1 BOX 207
ARCO ID 83213

SOURCE: FERRIS SLOUGH TRIBUTARY: BIG LOST RIVER

QUANTITY: 2.00 CFS

PRIORITY DATE: 03/16/1923

POINT OF DIVERSION: T03N R27E S07 NENWSE Within BUTTE County

PURPOSE AND PERIOD OF USE:	PURPOSE OF USE	PERIOD OF USE	QUANTITY
	IRRIGATION	Irrigation Season	2.00 CFS

PLACE OF USE:	IRRIGATION	Within BUTTE County			
	T03N R27E S07	NESE 40	NWSE 40	SWSE 40	SESE 38
	S08	SWSW 38	SESW 40		
	236 ACRES TOTAL				

USE OF THIS RIGHT WITH RIGHT NO. 34-10315 IS LIMITED TO THE
IRRIGATION OF A COMBINED TOTAL OF 236 ACRES IN A SINGLE
IRRIGATION SYSTEM.

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

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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

In Re SRBA)
)
Case No. 39576)
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

Water Right(s): 34-13413

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that a true and correct copy of the PARTIAL DECREE
PURSUANT TO I.R.C.P. 54(b) for WATER RIGHT 34-13413 was mailed
on February 24, 1998, with sufficient first-class postage prepaid
to the following:

DIRECTOR OF IDWR
PO BOX 83720
BOISE, ID 83720-0098

ROBERT M THORNTON
RT 1 BOX 207
ARCO, ID 83213

DIANA DELANEY
Chief Deputy Clerk