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DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
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June 25, 1996

Sam Steiner, Watermaster
HC 79 Box 2235
Oreana, ID 83650

RE: Water District No: 57C

Stream: Castle Creek

Dear Mr. Steiner:

The petition requesting that you begin your duties, and your Oath of Office have been received by this office. Your Certificate of Appointment is enclosed.

You will take charge of the water of the district and distribute the same in accordance with the law and the decrees of the courts to the various users in such district in accordance with the terms and conditions of their respective rights and perform such other duties as may be required by the Department of Water Resources, under the laws of the State of Idaho. You are hereby requested to assume your duties for the upcoming irrigation season and continue until the necessity therefore shall cease.

You should note that the enclosed Certificate of Appointment authorizes delivery of natural flow and also stored water pursuant to Section 42-801, Idaho Code.

Please feel free to call upon this office, if we can be of assistance to you.

Sincerely,

John Westra
Western Region

Enclosure

PETITION FOR WATERMASTER'S SERVICES

6/24/96, Idaho

_____, 19___

RE: Water District No. 57C

Stream: Castle Creek

TO: IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

We, the undersigned, owners or managers of ditches or persons controlling ditches in Water District No. 57C, hereby request the services of a watermaster for the reason that there is a necessity for the use and control of the waters of the District.

Date watermaster is to start: 6/25/96

If known, the date services of watermaster are to terminate: _____

Telephone Per call by Nick Nettleton 6/24/96 for Watermaster - JFW IDWR

signature	address	telephone	water right ident no.
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WARNING: Watermaster cannot begin services until ALL conditions of appointment have been fulfilled.

BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
OF THE
STATE OF IDAHO

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) ss
County of O)

OFFICIAL OATH

I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support the Constitution of the United States, the Constitution and laws of the State of Idaho, specifically including the provisions of Section 42-605 and 42-607, Idaho Code and that I will faithfully discharge all the duties of the office of Watermaster of Castle Creek Water District according to the best of my ability. So help me God.

Principal

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 25th day of June, 1996.

LORI GRAVES NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF IDAHO

SEAL

NOTARY PUBLIC
Residing at Boise
Commission Expires 6/18/98

STATE OF IDAHO

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

CERTIFICATE OF APPOINTMENT

This is to certify that I have this day appointed SAM STEINER *as*

WATERMASTER *of* CASTLE CREEK WATER DISTRICT *for*

THE 1996 IRRIGATION SEASON *or until his successor is appointed and qualified*

under the provisions of Section 42-605 *, Idaho Code, at such rate of compensation as established by applicable law.*

This certificate has been issued and the seal of the Director affixed at Boise, Idaho this 25th

day of JUNE *19* 96.