

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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LEE R. PETERSON
Watermaster

Pete Oneida
Shoshone, Idaho

Department of Water
Southern Region

Dear Mr. Oneida,

Our Deputy has advised me that your diversion at Bock 67 is inoperable, and as a result he cannot make accurate measurement of your water.

Idaho Code 42-701 states in part:

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Failure to do so may result in the director of water resources instructing the watermaster to shut off and refuse to deliver at the point of diversion, the water owned by such appropriator or user until the user does construct and maintain such headgates, controlling works or measuring devices or remedy the defects which exist.

Repair of this diversion needs to be done as soon as possible for delivery of water during the 1998 season.

If we can be of any assistance please feel free to call.

Sincerely,

Lee R. Peterson
Watermaster

cc: IDWR

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November 23, 1998

Allen Merritt
IDWR
1341 Fillmore, Suite 200
Twin Falls, Idaho 83301

Dear Allen,

As we mentioned to you earlier, we have enclosed copies of the letters we wrote last year concerning repairs needed. Would you send out a letter from the Department for additional enforcement?

It is our hope that this will make a difference to the water users and they will take the necessary steps to comply. Thank you for your help.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Lee R. Peterson".

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Elise Lufken
P O Box 8154
Ketchum, Idaho 83340

October 30, 1997

Dear Elise:

Your meter is not working at your diversion point (Lufken #21-P2). If you have to purchase a new meter I would recommend Micrometer that meters in CFS.

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Larry Capps
1619 E 1400 S
Gooding, Idaho 83330

May 7, 1997

RE: Robertson ditch headgate & measurement system.

Larry:

I was out looking over the headworks of the Robertson ditch. It is terrible condition; the front orifice is almost to fall over, and totally unmeasurable. The two rear gates are almost inoperable. It requires a new measuring system in order to meet the Idaho Code.

I would recommend installation of a single gate valve system in front, and then approximately 20 feet below install a cippoletti weir. This would give a more accurate measurement, and less costly to install.

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Sliman Land & Livestock
1642 B Hwy 46
Gooding, Idaho 83330

October 30, 1997

Dear David:

Your meter is not working at your diversion point (Silk #31-P). If you have to purchase a new meter I would recommend Micrometer that meters in CFS.

Idaho Code 42-701 states in part:

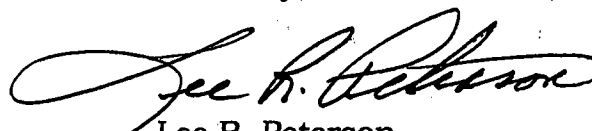
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David Morrow
% Don Morrow
1661 S Main
Gooding, Idaho 83330

October 30, 1997

Dear David:

Your meter is not working at your diversion point Dietrich #0033-P). If you have to purchase a new meter I would recommend Micrometer that meters in CFS.

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Sincerely,

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Lee R. Peterson
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M & M Farms
1550 S 1819 E
Gooding, Idaho 83330

October 30, 1997

Dear Nick:

You need to install a new headgate and measuring device at your diversion point (Walters #0033).

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Bill Arkoosh
2368 E 1775 S
Gooding, Idaho 83330

October 30, 1997

Dear Bill:

You have a broken orifice on your headgate at your diversion point (Devaney86).

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LEE R. PETERSON
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Fred Judd
P O Box 476
Sun Valley, Idaho 83353

October 30, 1997

Dear Fred:

Your Grainland meter is not working at your diversion point (Heath #10). If you have to purchase a new meter I would recommend Micrometer that meters in CFS. Idaho Code 42-701 states in part:

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John Flood
Box 317
Picabo, Idaho 83348

October 30, 1997

John:

Your Grainland meters are not working at your diversion points (Hunter 24-P & Lawson 24-P2). If you have to purchase a new meter I would recommend Micrometer that meters in CFS. Idaho Code 42-701 states in part:

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Don Taber
312 E 20 N
Shoshone, Idaho 83352

October 30, 1997

Dear Don:

There is no meter at your diversion point (Taber 66-P).

If you have to purchase a new meter I would recommend Micrometer
that meters in CFS.

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Installation of the meter needs to be done prior to the 1998 irrigation season; otherwise we will not deliver any water until repairs are complete.

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