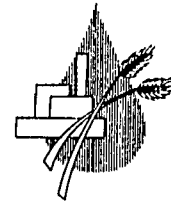


STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

CLAIM TO A WATER RIGHT



Under the provisions of Section 42-243, Idaho Code, any person using or claiming rights to the public waters of Idaho established by diversion and application to a beneficial use must file a claim with the Department of Water Resources on or before June 30, 1983. Exempted from this filing are single family domestic uses as defined in Section 42-230(d), Idaho Code. Also exempted are rights represented by a permit, license, decree, adjudicated right, or a previously filed claim.

The filing of this claim does not confirm the water right claimed but failure to file may result in forfeiture of a water right.

Notice is hereby given that Mink Creek Irrig. Comp. #4 c/o Ronald Baird
(Name of Claimant)
Rt. 2 Box 565 Preston, ID. Telephone No. 852-0421
(Mailing Address) (Zip Code)

claims a right to the diversion and beneficial use of the surface or ground water. The extent and nature of said claim is as follows:

(1) Date of priority: (When was the water first applied to a beneficial use) July 19, 1932

A claim is not acceptable on a ground water source with a priority later than March 25, 1963 or on a surface water source with a priority later than May 20, 1971. An exception is that a claim may be filed on single family domestic use from a ground water source.

(2) Describe the source of water: (Name of stream, lake, spring, etc., or ground water)
Mink Creek tributary to Bear River

(3) Describe the purpose for which the water has been used and the time during the year when you have used the right claimed:

Quantity	(cfs, af)	Use	(Domestic, Irrigation, Stock, Etc.)	(Both dates inclusive)	
				(Mo., Day)	(Mo., Day)
Quantity <u>4.50 cfs</u>		Use <u>Irrigation</u>		Period of Use From <u>4-20</u>	To <u>9-30</u>
Quantity _____		Use _____		Period of Use From _____	To _____
Quantity _____		Use _____		Period of Use From _____	To _____
Quantity _____		Use _____		Period of Use From _____	To _____
Quantity _____		Use _____		Period of Use From _____	To _____

(4) 4.50 cfs TOTAL QUANTITY USED.
(cfs, af)

(5) A) Point of diversion: (Location of point where water is diverted from its source)
NW 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 27 Twp. 13S Rge. 41E B.M., County of Franklin
Additional points of diversion: _____

B) Describe means of diversion of water: (Pump and pipeline, well, diversion dam, reservoir, length of ditch and field, etc.). Give sizes and capacities: be as specific as possible. Describe any changes in the system and give the date of the change. headgate and weir to ditch system

(6) A) Describe location of use by listing number of irrigated acres within each 40-acre tract in appropriate box. If use is not for irrigation, place an "X" in appropriate box to show location.

T	R	SEC.	NE 1/4				NW 1/4				SW 1/4				SE 1/4				TOTAL
			NE 1/4	NW 1/4	SW 1/4	SE 1/4	NE 1/4	NW 1/4	SW 1/4	SE 1/4	NE 1/4	NW 1/4	SW 1/4	SE 1/4	NE 1/4	NW 1/4	SW 1/4	SE 1/4	
13S	40E	25	4			14													18
		36	5			8													13
13S	41E	27						1											1
		28											9		4	7			20
		32	1	7		2		11	9			1							31
		31		7			4	5	5			10	8	1	1	1			42
		30		17			4	9	15	10	16	4			15	4			94
		29										5							5
		19						2						7	23	18			50

No. of acres 274

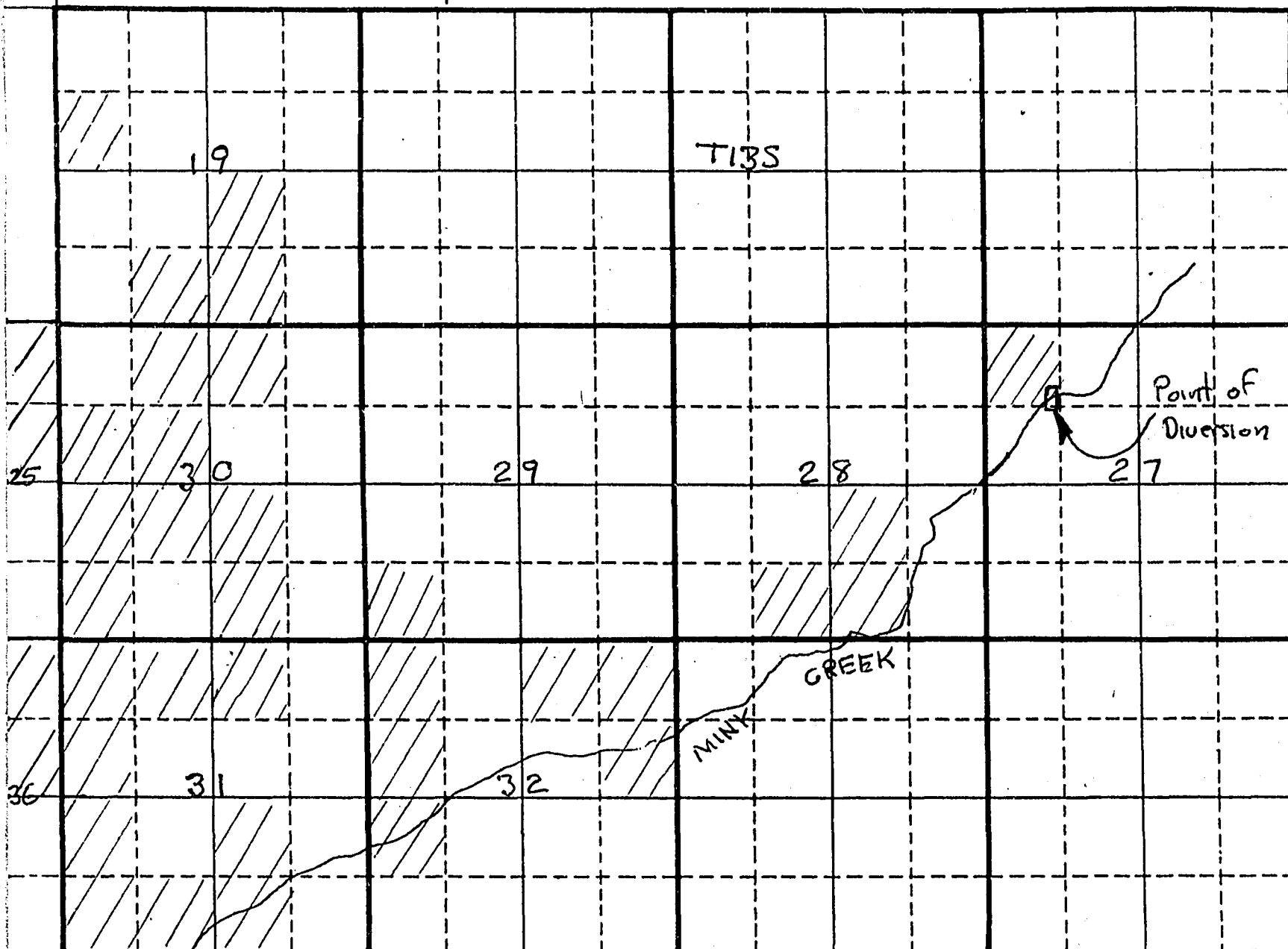
B) If water is used for other than irrigation, fully describe that use, being as specific as possible: _____

NOTE: Include here the type and number of stock watered: _____

(7) If you are claiming water as a member of an organization, list name of organization: _____

(8) Remarks Mink Creek Irrig. Comp. has used 14.77 cfs (11-08364) since 1932.
However the acres on this claim were still watered after transferring part
of their right to another Ditch Company. These 274 acres plus the implied 738 acres
under their decree reflect actual acres irrigated. The amounts of 4.50 and 14.77 are
not additive quantities

R
40E R
41E



Scale: 2 inches equal 1 mile.

Map should show the location of the point of diversion and the place of use of the water by 40-acre subdivisions, section, township and range of the public land survey system.

State of Idaho)

County of Bonneville) ss.

Be it known that the undersigned, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he, she, they subscribed the foregoing claim to a water right, together with all attached information, and that the matters and facts therein are true to the best of the affiant's knowledge.

Sworn to before me this 9th day of June, 1983

Ronald C. Baird
(Claimant)

Notary Public
Residing at Idaho Falls

My commission expires 6-15-85

FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY

Received by HWS

Date 6-09-83

Exception filed by:

Forwarded to

Date

Prelim. check by KCW

Date 6-13-83

claimant by:

\$30.00 fee received by BP

Date 6/9/83 #E0829

Published in Preston Citizen

Dates 6/23 - 6/30/83

#875
JUN 30 1983

No 1873

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF IDAHO,

County of Franklin

ss.

J. Warren Ross

being duly sworn,

deposes and says:

That he is the Co-Publisher of THE PRESTON CITIZEN, a weekly newspaper published at Preston, in the County of Franklin and State of Idaho; that said paper has been and is in general circulation in the county aforesaid, and in the vicinity of Preston; that the advertisement, a copy of which is attached hereto, was published in said newspaper once

a week for 2 consecutive weeks in the regular and entire issue of said paper during the period of time of publication, and was published in the newspaper proper and not a supplement; that said paper has been established and regularly published for more than seventy-eight consecutive weeks prior to the date of first publication of said advertisement.

Such notice was published in the issue beginning with

6-23, 1983, and ending
with the issue of 6-30, 1983.

Fee \$ 2063

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day
of June, 1983.

Ken Dunn

Notary Public, Residing at Preston, Idaho

My Commission Expires June 7, 1986.

RECEIVED

JUL 6 1983

Department of Water Resources
Eastern District Office

NOTICE OF CLAIMS TO WATER RIGHTS

The following claim(s) have been
filed on water right(s) created by
diversion and beneficial use:

13-4231

MINK CREEK IRRIGATION CO. #4
RT. 2, BOX 565, PRESTON, ID 83263
Source: MINK CREEK trib. to BEAR
RIVER

Priority Date: 07/19/1932

Diversion Pt: NWNW Sec 27 T 13S R
41E

Use: IRRIGATION (4.50 CFS)

In: NENE SENE Sec 25 T 13S R 40E
NENE SENE Sec 36 T 13S R 40E
NWNW Sec 27 T 13S R 41E SESW
NWSE SWSE Sec 28 T 13S R 41E
NENE NWNE SENE NWNW SWNW
NWSW Sec 32 T 13S R 41E NWNE
NENW NWNW SWNW NWSW SWSW
SESW NWSE SWSE Sec 31 T 13S R 41E
NWNE NENW SWNW SENW NESW
NWSW SWSW NWSE SWSE Sec 30 T
13S R 41E SWSW Sec 29 T 13S R 41E
SWNW SESW NWSE SWSE Sec 19 T
13S R 41E FOR 274 ACRES

Exceptions to a claim may be filed
with the Director, Dept. of Water Re-
sources, 150 Shoup Ave., Suite 15,
Idaho Falls, Idaho 83402.

KEN DUNN, Dir.

Published 6/23 & 6/30/83.

Legal No. 1873 -33L- Published
June 23, 30, 1983.

13-4231

MINK CREEK IRRIGATION CO. #4

RT. 2, BOX 565, PRESTON, ID 83263

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Priority Date: 07/19/1932

Diversion Pt: NWNW, Sec 27 T 135 R 41E

Use: IRRIGATION (4.50 CFS)

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Sec 31 T 135 R 41E NWNE NENW SWNW SENW NESW NWSW SWSW NWSE SWSW
Sec 30 T 135 R 41E SWSW Sec 29 T 135 R 41E SWNW SSW NWSE SWSW
Sec 19 T 135 R 41E FOR 274 ACRES

Proved
6-21-83

State of Idaho
Department of Water Resources

CLAIM ANALYSIS SHEET

INITIAL REVIEW BY:

Keith C. Walton

Right Number

13 4231

Applicant

Mink Creek Trv. Comp #4

NOTE: IF ANY OF THE ITEMS BELOW ARE MISSING, THE CLAIM IS INCOMPLETE AND MUST BE RETURNED IMMEDIATELY TO THE CLAIMANT ALONG WITH THE APPROPRIATE COVER LETTER.

CHECK:

- ☒ Name and address.
- ☒ Date of priority. (Check for a date past the mandatory filing dates.) (One date only.)
- ☒ Source.
- ☒ Quantity, use, period.
- ☒ Point(s) of diversion.
- ☒ Location of use.
- ☒ Signature/notarization/fee.
- ☒ *WD #11*

FINAL REGIONAL PROCESSING REVIEW:

- ☒ Affidavit of publication received.
- ☒ Claim published correctly.
- ☐ Exceptions processed.

By *RDC*

Date *7/12/83*

STATE OFFICE PROCESSING:

- ☒ Claim review complete.

By *Rc*

Date *7/20/83*

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JUL 20 1983
Department of Water Resources

CW

June 24, 1983

RE: Claim to a Water Right No. 13-4231 MINK CREEK IRRIG.
13-4230 LINK

Mr. Russell Stoker, Watermaster
Water District No. 11
279 East 3rd North
Soda Springs, ID 83276

Dear Mr. Stoker:

Enclosed, for your information only, is a copy of the above referenced claim to a water right filed within your district. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact this office.

Very truly yours,

ERNEST CARLSEN
Assistant Regional Supervisor

EC:cw

Enclosure (2)

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
Eastern Region

150 Shoup Ave., Suite 15
Idaho Falls, Idaho 83402
(208) 525-7161

JULY 11, 1983

MINK CREEK IRRIGATION CO. #4
RT. 2, BOX 565
PRESTON ID 83263

RE: Claim No. 13-4231

Dear Claimant:

The Department of Water Resources has completed the advertising of your claim to a water right, and no further action is authorized under Section 42-243 and 42-244, IDAHO CODE. Your claim will be retained in our files and will be available at any time for use by you or the court.

The filing and advertising of the claim does not confirm the water right claimed, but will serve to record and preserve the information and the evidence which you included in your claim.

If, at a later date, you find that you have additional information or supporting evidence that you would like to have included with the claim, you may have that information or evidence added at any time. Please refer to the claim identification number when corresponding with this office.

We are enclosing a copy of your claim for your records. If you have questions, or if this office may be of further assistance, please feel free to contact us.

Yours truly,

RONALD D. CARLSON
Eastern Region Supervisor

Enclosure