

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

**IN RE THE GENERAL ADJUDICATION
OF RIGHTS TO THE USE OF WATER FROM
THE BEAR RIVER BASIN WATER SYSTEM**

CIVIL CASE NUMBER: 79576

Claim ID: 11-256
Date Received: 1/28/25
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Claim Fee: \$144.00 By: MB

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**NOTICE OF CLAIM TO A WATER RIGHT
ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW**

IDWR/Preston

Please type or print clearly

1. Name of claimant(s) Eight Mile Ranch LLC Phone (208) 339-3857
Mailing address 13895 Nounan Rd Soda Springs ID 83276
Street or Box City State Zip
Email address (optional) chadharriscattle@gmail.com
2. Date of priority: (Only one per claim) 5/01/1889 (Explain priority date selected in Remarks)
Month/Day/Year (YYYY)
3. Source of water supply (Check one) Ground Water () or Other (☒) (a) Bear River
which is tributary to (b) Great Salt Lake
4. a. Location of point of diversion is: Township _____, Range _____, Section _____,
_____ 1/4 of _____ 1/4, Govt. Lot _____, BM, County of _____
Parcel no. _____
Additional points of diversion, if any: See Attachment A
If available, GPS Coordinates _____
b. If instream flow, beginning point of claimed instream flow is:
Township _____, Range _____, Section _____, _____ 1/4 of _____ 1/4,
Govt. Lot _____, BM, County of _____
Ending point is: Township _____, Range _____, Section _____, _____ 1/4 of _____ 1/4,
Govt. Lot _____, BM, County of _____
5. Description of existing diversion works (dams, reservoirs, ditches, wells, pumps, pipelines, headgates, etc.),
including the dates of any changes or enlargements in use, the dimensions of the diversion works as
constructed and as enlarged and the depth of each well.
Water is diverted directly from the Bear River in 3 different locations. There is an open inlet from the Bear
River that flows into a large canal with a screw like headgate that delivers water to several ditches throughout
the irrigated acres. Then, there are two individual pump locations (Pump#1 and Pump#2) that pump water
directly out of the river for irrigation.

6. Water is claimed for the following purposes:

(dates are inclusive MM-DD) (cfs) (acre-feet)

For Irrigation purposes from 4/20 to 10/31 amount 2.5 or _____

For _____ purposes from _____ to _____ amount _____ or _____

For _____ purposes from _____ to _____ amount _____ or _____

For _____ purposes from _____ to _____ amount _____ or _____

7. Total quantity claimed (a) 2.5 (cfs) and/or (b) _____ (acre-feet)

8. Non-irrigation uses; describe fully (e.g., Domestic: Give number of households served; Stockwater: Type and number of livestock, etc.) _____

9. Description of place of use:

- If water is for irrigation, indicate acreage in each subdivision in the tabulation below.
- If water is used for other purposes, place a symbol of use (example: D for Domestic) in the corresponding place of use below. See instructions for standard symbols.

TWP	RGE	SEC	NE				NW				SW				SE				Totals
			NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	NE	NW	SW	SE	

Parcel no(s) See attachment B Total number of acres irrigated 93.8

10. In which county(ies) are lands listed above as place of use located? Bear Lake

11. Do you own the property listed above as place of use? Yes (✓) No ()
If your answer is No, describe in Remarks below the authority you have to claim this water right.

12. Describe any other water rights used at the same place and for the same purposes as described above.
See attachment C or None ()

13. Remarks (Include an explanation of the priority date selected):

Date of priority water date from 1889. Season of use was changed from 4/20-9/30 from original decree to 4/20-10/31. We use this water well past 9/30 to irrigate grass pastures and crops. It is common to irrigate fall grain or other crops into October to put a little moisture in the ground before the winter season. We have owned the property for over 50 years and have been watering grass pastures every year since, well past the decreed season of use of 9/30 up to 10/31. The water right is 93.8 acres within 1825.80 acre place of use,

Name of claimant(s) _____ Claim ID _____

Scale: 2 inches equals 1 mile

[illegible]

Claim ID _____

14. Basis of claim (Check one) Beneficial Use () Posted Notice () License () Permit () Decree (✓)

Court CLT Decree Date _____ Plaintiff v. Defendant _____

If applicable provide IDWR Water Right Number 11-256

15. Signature(s)

- (a.) By signing below, I/We acknowledge that I/We have received, read and understand the form entitled "How you will receive notices in the Bear River Basin Water System Adjudication."
(b.) I/We do () do not () wish to receive and pay a small annual fee for monthly copies of the docket sheet.

Number of attachments: _____

For Individuals: I/We do solemnly swear or affirm under penalty of perjury that the statements contained in the foregoing document are true and correct.

Signature of Claimant (s) _____ Date: _____

_____ Date: _____

For Organizations: I do solemnly swear or affirm under penalty of perjury that I am, and that I have signed the foregoing document in the space below as the

Owner - Partner of Eight Mile Ranch LLC
Agent's title (Please print) Name of organization (Please print)

and that the statements contained in the foregoing document are true and correct.

Signature of Authorized Agent Wade A. Harris Date 8/11/24

Printed Name of Authorized Agent Wade A. Harris

16. Notice of Appearance:

Notice is hereby given that I, (please print) _____, will be acting as attorney at law on behalf of the claimant signing above, and that all notices required by law to be mailed by the director to the claimant signing above should be mailed to me at the address listed below.

Signature _____ Date _____

Address _____

Name of claimant(s) _____ Claim ID _____

HOW YOU WILL RECEIVE NOTICES IN THE BEAR RIVER BASIN WATER SYSTEM ADJUDICATION

All documents filed in the Bear River Basin Water System Adjudication, other than notices of claim, are filed with the court. Notices of claim to water rights filed in the Bear River Basin Water System Adjudication are filed with the Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR). Copies of all documents filed in the Bear River Basin Water System Adjudication will not be mailed to all parties (claimants) in the adjudication. Any document filed with the court will be mailed only to those parties who may be directly affected by it.

A monthly docket sheet is prepared by the court, which contains a summary of all documents filed with the court in the previous month and the dates and locations of hearings scheduled for the following three months. The docket sheet will be filed with the district court clerk in each county within the Bear River Basin Water System Adjudication. Copies of a monthly docket sheet may be obtained from any of the offices of IDWR; a small fee may be charged to cover the cost of mailing and/or copying. If you wish to receive an annual subscription of the docket sheet printed each month, you should mark the appropriate place on your notice of claim form. You will be charged a small annual subscription fee by the court to cover the cost of copying and mailing. The docket sheet is also available on the court's web site at:

<http://www.srba.idaho.gov/BRBA20.HTM>

Copies of any document listed on the docket sheet may be obtained from any of the IDWR offices or the court and a small fee may be charged to cover the cost of mailing and/or copying the document.

Copies of all notices of claim filed with IDWR will be available for inspection at all IDWR offices. You may also obtain copies of the notices of claim filed by other claimants, but you may be charged for the cost of copying and mailing. A claimant will not be charged for a copy of his or her own notice of claim, and a person who acquires property with water rights for which a notice of claim was filed will not be charged for a copy of the notice of claim filed by the previous owner.

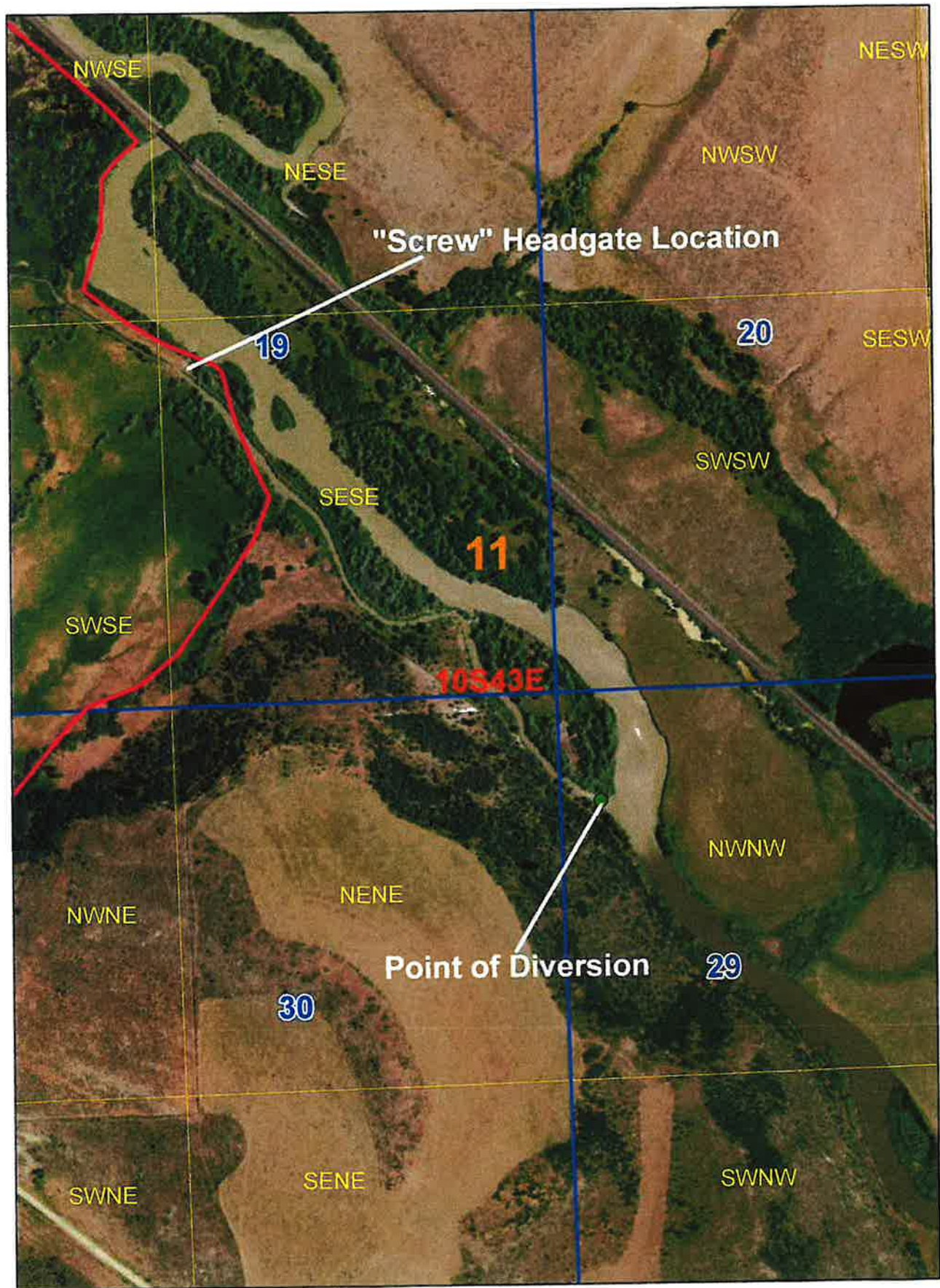
After the notices of claim have been reviewed, the director will prepare and file a Director's report with the court that will contain the Director's recommendations as to each water right claimed under state law and a copy of each federal reserved water right claimed. A Director's report will be prepared for all claims filed in the Bear River Basin Water System Adjudication. When this report is filed with the court, you will be mailed a notice informing you that the report has been filed. The notice will be sent to the most recent address shown by IDWR's files. Attached to the notice will be a copy of those portions of the report describing the water rights you have claimed. If you do not agree with the way your water right is described, you may file an objection to the report with the court. You can also file an objection if you disagree with the way another claimant's water rights are described, and the notice will tell you where a copy of the full report is available for inspection. The notice will tell you when and where to file your objection.

It is very important that you inform IDWR in writing of any change in your address. This is to make sure that you receive the notices affecting your water rights that are to be mailed by IDWR or the court.

If you are acquiring property with water rights within the boundaries of the Bear River Basin Water System Adjudication in Idaho (either by purchase, gift, inheritance, or other means), it is very important that you inquire of IDWR whether a notice of claim has been filed. If you fail to file a required notice of claim for a water right, that water right may be determined to no longer exist.

If a notice of claim has been filed, it is very important that you file a written notice of change in ownership with IDWR. You may contact IDWR regional offices or the IDWR web site <http://www.idwr.idaho.gov/> for change of ownership forms. The notice of change in ownership form must be accompanied by evidence of the ownership of the property. Again, this is to make sure that you receive the notices affecting your water rights that are to be mailed by IDWR or the court.

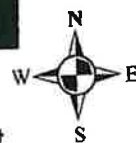
Bear River Point of Diversion



0 150 300 600 900 1,200 Feet

This aerial map shows a river system with several labeled areas and features:

- 10542E**: A red label at the top of the map.
- 10S48E**: A red label on the right side of the map.
- 11**: An orange label near the top center of the river.
- 12**: A blue label on the left side of the river.
- 13**: A blue label at the bottom center of the river.
- 13**: A blue label at the bottom right of the map.
- Pump Locations**: A white label with two white lines pointing to specific locations on the river.
- Directional Labels**: Various labels indicating directions, including SENW, SWNE, SENE, SWNW, NESW, NWSE, NESE, NWSW, SESE, SWSW, NWNE, NENW, and NENE.
- Numbers**: Numbers 2, 3, 4, 7, and 13 are also present, likely indicating specific locations or measurements.



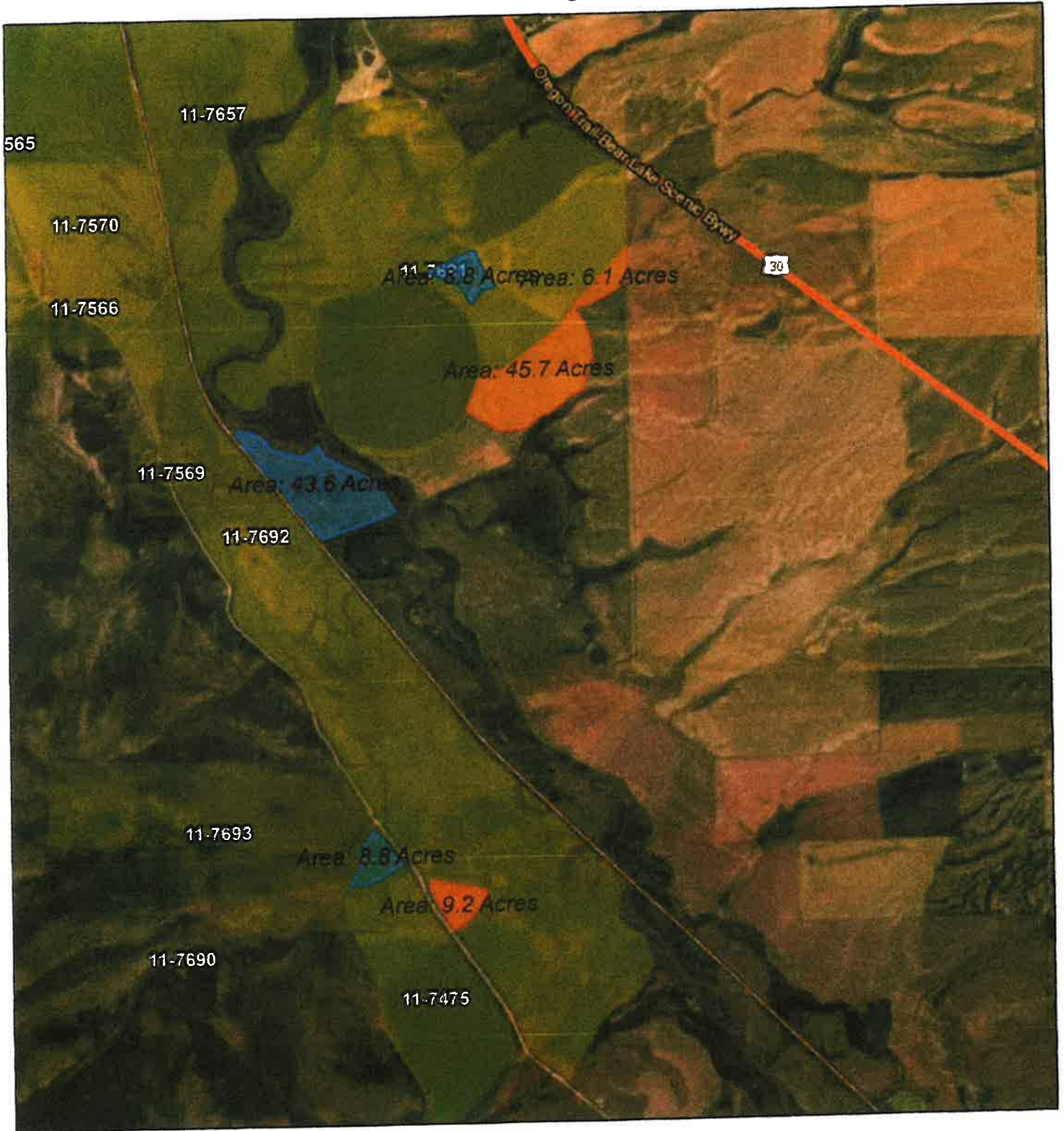
Irrigated Acres



0 750 1,500 3,000 4,500 6,000 Feet



Water Rights

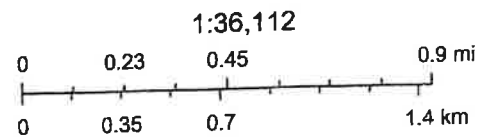


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POU - Water Rights

All Other POU (non-provider)

Orange -> take out
Blue -> add



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Shape *	ObjectID *	AcresInPls	Meridian	GovtLot	Township	Range	Section
Polygon	1	20	1	0	10S	42E	1
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Polygon	73	34	1	1	10S	43E	30
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SW	NW	0	L			BEAR LAKE	751.565489
SE	NW	0	A			BEAR LAKE	251.908

	Type	Basin	Sequence	Basis	Status	Priority Date	Div. Rate (cfs)	Acres	Source	Water Use	Owner
1	WR	11	256	Decreed	Active	5/1/1889	2.5	93.8	BEAR RIVER	IRRIGATION	EIGHT MILE RANCH LLC
2	WR	11	321	Decreed	Active	5/1/1883	6	300	PEARL CREEK	IRRIGATION	EIGHT MILE RANCH LLC
3	WR	11	323	Decreed	Active	5/1/1885	4.4	220	SPRINGS	IRRIGATION	EIGHT MILE RANCH LLC
4	WR	11	322	Decreed	Active	5/1/1886	2.9	145	TRAIL CREEK	IRRIGATION	EIGHT MILE RANCH LLC
5	WR	11	7474	Decreed	Active	5/1/1889	11.5	461.6	BEAR RIVER	IRRIGATION	EIGHT MILE RANCH LLC
6	WR	11	7475	Decreed	Active	5/1/1889	12.5	501.7	BEAR RIVER	IRRIGATION	EIGHT MILE RANCH LLC
7	WR	11	7657	Decreed	Active	5/1/1889	2	82.8	BEAR RIVER	IRRIGATION	EIGHT MILE RANCH LLC
8	WR	11	7691	Statutory Claim	Active	5/1/1959	0.31	10.3	CLOVER CREEK	IRRIGATION	EIGHT MILE RANCH LLC
9	WR	11	7692	Statutory Claim	Active	5/1/1959	0.32	10.6	POLE CREEK	IRRIGATION	EIGHT MILE RANCH LLC
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