

Memo to File for CFBRBA Claim No. 97-7368

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An amended Notice of Claim to a Water Right was submitted via email by Priest Lake Water LLC on April 28, 2023, to change the claimed purpose of use to municipal with the intent to expand the place of use. After review of the water right backfile, the change in purpose of use cannot be accomplished through the adjudication process. An Application for Transfer would need to be filed to change the purpose of use from domestic to municipal and/or to make changes to the service area.

The owner of Priest Lake Water LLC, Jared Horlacher met with IDWR staff regarding the amended claim on September 12, 2023, and September 20, 2023. Discussions with Mr. Horlacher included the options available to change the service area and/or purpose of use of the shared water system. At the conclusion of the discussion, with a better understanding of the intricacies and requirements of a municipal and domestic water right, the claimant expressed his intention to maintain the domestic water right as originally licensed. He will be filing a transfer or Application for permit to account for any changes made in the service area of the water system.