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2013 Water Meeting Minutes Harts Cr, Picket Cr. & Catherine Cr. Water Dist 57B

January 8<sup>th</sup>, 2013

Chairman called meeting to order at 1:45 p.m.

Old Business:

Read minutes from last year's meeting and were accepted by the water users. Reviewed last year's water use. Users all agreed there were no problems or issues on the creeks this past year and everything went smoothly. Also reviewed Proposed Legislation affecting appointment of water master - Addition to Chapter 6, Title 42, Idaho Code. We decided we were ok because we have an advisory committee appointed by the users to help handle any problems.

ELECTIONS:

Bill White was elected chairman / Secretary.

Rohl Hipwell was elected Water Master.

Water masters oath and petition will not be necessary because Rohl has been water master before.

The advisory committee will be the water master, chairman and one other water user, or if need be the water master or chairman and two other water users.

Duties of the water master will commence on March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2013. It was decided that if the water master needs wages, the water users having the problems will be charged to pay the water master. The wages will be decided by the advisory committee and the water master.

New Business: There was no new business to discuss.

Meeting was adjourned at 2:45 p.m.



Water users present:

Bill White

Leah Osborn & Terry Jensen for Dave Alley

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Oreana, Idaho 83650

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New Business: There was no new business to discuss.

Meeting was adjourned at 1:20 p.m.

Water users present:

Bill White

Vicky Music (Department of water resources)

Rohl Hipwell

John Jones

Leah Osborn

Terri Jensen

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March 1, 2014

C. L. "BUTCH" OTTER  
Governor

GARY SPACKMAN  
Director

Rohl Hipwell  
18125 Oreana Loop Rd  
Oreana, ID 83650

RE: Water District #57B Catherine Creek

Dear Mr. Hipwell:

Enclosed is your Watermaster Certificate of Appointment.

You will take charge of the water of the district and distribute the same in accordance with the laws of Idaho and decrees of the courts. Distribution shall be in accordance with the terms and conditions of the user's respective rights, and as may be required by the Department of Water Resources. 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.

Feel free to contact me at our Western Regional Office if you need assistance during the irrigation season, phone 334-2190.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John Westra', is written over a horizontal line.

John Westra  
Western Region

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State of Idaho  
Department of Water Resources  
***Certificate of Appointment***

This is to certify that I have on this day appointed Rohl Hipwell as **WATERMASTER** of  
Water District 57B Catherine Creek for the **2014 IRRIGATION SEASON** or until his/her successor is  
appointed and qualified under the provisions of Sections 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  
fixed at Boise, Idaho, this 1st day of March, 2014.

*Gary Spackman*

Director