

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

RECEIVED

OCT 23 2023

CIVIL CASE NUMBER: 79576

Claim ID: 11-290

Date Received: 10-23-23

Receipt No: P000543

Claim Fee: 3550.00 By: MB

IDWR/Preston NOTICE OF CLAIM TO A WATER RIGHT
ACQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW

Please type or print clearly

1. Name of claimant(s) The Georgetown Irrigation Company Phone (208) 847-5486
Mailing address c/o Drue Smith, President, PO Box 174, Georgetown, Idaho Zip 83239
Street or Box City State
Email address (optional) druesmith69@gmail.com and lynette.smith86@yahoo.com
2. Date of priority: (Only one per claim) May 1, 1881 (Explain priority date selected in Remarks)
Month/Day/Year (YYYY)
3. Source of water supply (Check one) Ground Water () or Other (✓) (a) Georgetown Creek
which is tributary to (b) Bear River
4. a. Location of point of diversion is: Township 10S, Range 44E, Section 32,
SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Govt. Lot _____, BM, County of Bear lake
Parcel no. RP10S44E324800 and RP11S44E047810
Additional points of diversion, if any: SE1/4NE1/4 and SW1/4NE1/4 of Section 4, Township 11S, Range 44E
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 by closing a headgate in the main channel of Georgetown Creek which
sends the flow through a pipe into a holding cell and through mechanical screens into the
main irrigation pipe.

6. Water is claimed for the following purposes:

(dates are inclusive MM-DD) (cfs) (acre-feet)
For Irrigation purposes from 04/20 to 09/30 amount 70 or _____
For _____ purposes from _____ to _____ amount _____ or _____
For _____ purposes from _____ to _____ amount _____ or _____
For _____ purposes from _____ to _____ amount _____ or _____

7. Total quantity claimed (a) 70 (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	

SEE ATTACHMED SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET - LARGE POU

Parcel no(s). N/A Total number of acres irrigated 3500 limit

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.
_____ or None (☒)

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

The priority date originates from the decreed water right no.11-290 priority date of May 1, 1881, based off the Dietrich Decree dated July 14, 1920 in, Utah Power & Light Co. v. Last Chance Canal Company Ltd., et al.

List of Attachments to Claim Form:

1. IDWR Water Right Report of 11-290
2. IDWR Map of 11-290
3. Service Area Map for 11-290
4. Current Point of Diversion and Place of Use for 11-290

Permissible place of use is 4,471 acres. 3500 acre limit

Name of claimant(s) The Georgetown Irrigation Company Claim ID _____

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

Court District Court, Decree Date 07/14/1920 Plaintiff v. Defendant Utah Power & Light Co. v. Last
Eastern Division Chance Canal Co. Ltd, et al.
If applicable provide IDWR Water Right Number 11-290

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: 4

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

President _____ of The Georgetown Irrigation Company
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 Drue Smith Date 10/18/2023

Printed Name of Authorized Agent Drue Smith

16. Notice of Appearance:

Notice is hereby given that I, (please print) Thomas J. Budge, 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 Thomas J. Budge Date 10/19/2023

Address PO Box 1391, Pocatello, Idaho 83204-1391, tj@racineolson.com

Name of claimant(s) The Georgetown Irrigation Company Claim ID _____

Close

Water Right Report : 11-290(Decreed/Active)

Water Right Owners

Owner Type	Name	Address	City	State	Postal Code
Current Owner	GEORGETOWN IRRIGATION CO	C/O DRUE SMITH PO BOX 8	GEORGETOWN	ID	83239

Water Right Status

Priority Date : 5/1/1881
 Basis : Decreed
 Status : Active

Water Source

Source	Source Qualifier	Tributary	Tributary Qualifier
GEORGETOWN CREEK		BEAR RIVER	

Points Of Diversion (Location)

Source	Township	Range	Section	Govt. Lot	QQ	QQ	Q	County	Diversion Type
GEORGETOWN CREEK	10S	44E	32	0				SW SE BEAR LAKE	
GEORGETOWN CREEK	11S	44E	4	0				SE NE BEAR LAKE	

Water Uses

Beneficial Use	From	To	Diversion Rate	Volume
IRRIGATION	4/20	9/30	70.00 CFS	
TOTAL			70.00 CFS	

Places of Use

Printable View

Paged View

Place of Use Legal Description : IRRIGATION (BEAR LAKE county)

Township	Range	Section	Lot	QQ	QQ	Q	Acres
11S	43E	1					
11S	43E	11					
11S	43E	12					
11S	43E	13					
11S	43E	14					
11S	43E	24					
11S	44E	5					
11S	44E	6					
11S	44E	7					
11S	44E	8					
11S	44E	18					
11S	44E	19					

Irrigation Totals

Total Acres	Acre Limit

Conditions

P/U AC. IRR. = 3,500. P/D PAINE DITCH, SMART DITCH, MILL DITCH, ARMITAGE DITCH, STODDARD DITCH, CHURCH DITCH, HUFF DITCH.

Dates

Licensed Date :
Decreed Date : 7/14/1920
Permit Proof Due Date :
Permit Proof Made Date :
Permit Approved Date :
Permit Moratorium Expiration Date :
Enlargement Use Priority Date :
Enlargement Statute Priority Date :
Application Received Date:
Protest Deadline Date:

Other Information

State or Federal :
Water District Number : 11
Generic Max Rate Per Acre : 0
Generic Max Volume Per Acre : 0
Combined Acre Limit :
Combined Volume Limit:
Combined Rate Limit: 70.00
Civil Case Number :
Decree Plaintiff :
Decree Defendant :
Swan Falls Trust or Nontrust :
Swan Falls Dismissed :
DLE Act Number :
Cary Act Number :
Mitigation Plan: False

IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

5/10/2023

Name of claimant(s) The Georgetown Irrigation Company Claim ID _____

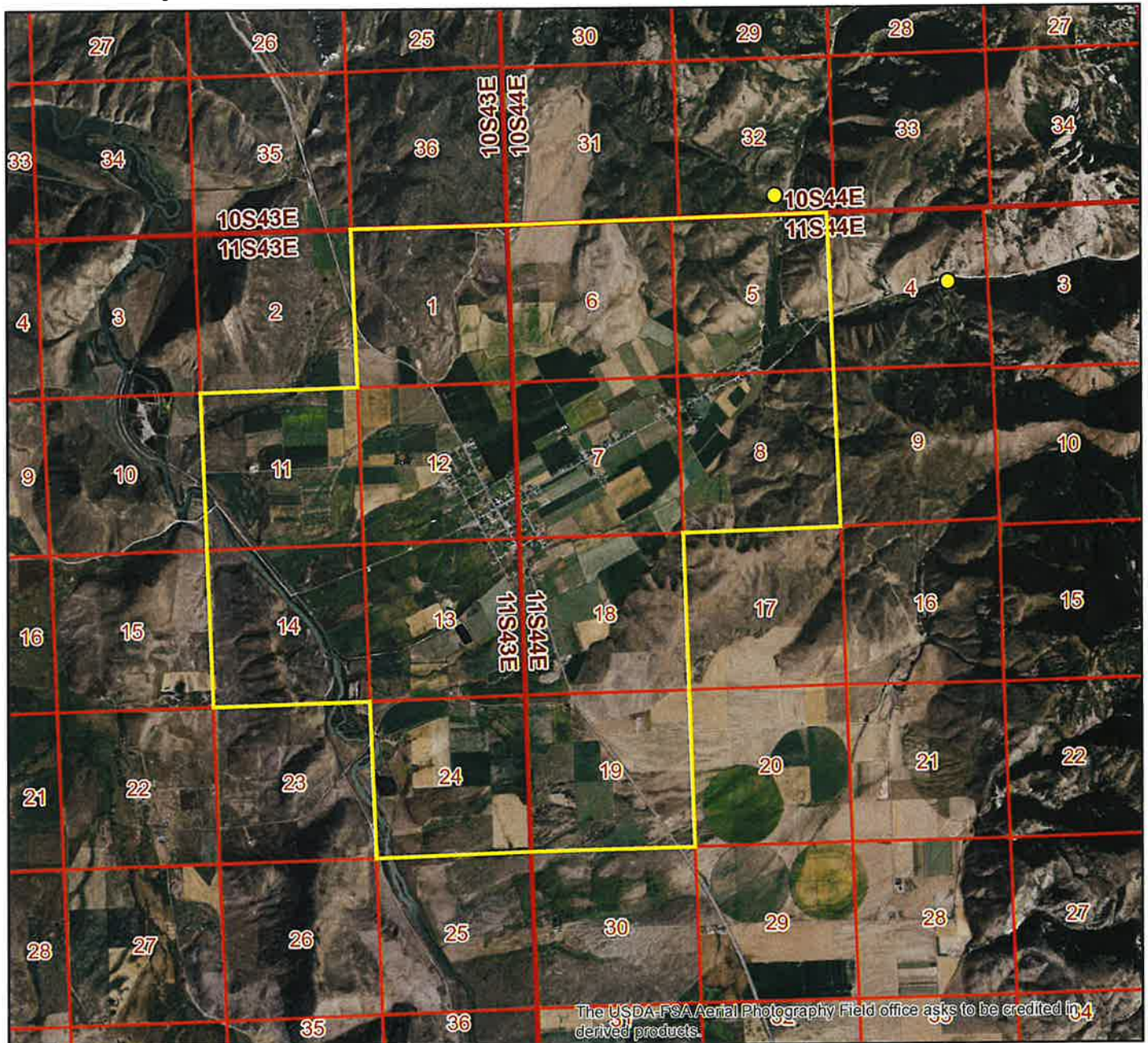
State of Idaho
Department of Water Resources

Water Right

11-290

IRRIGATION

The map depicts the place of use for the water use listed above and point(s) of diversion of this right as currently derived from interpretations of the paper records and is used solely for illustrative purposes. Discrepancies between the computer representation and the permanent document file will be resolved in favor of the actual water right documents in the water right file.



Date created: 11/2/2022

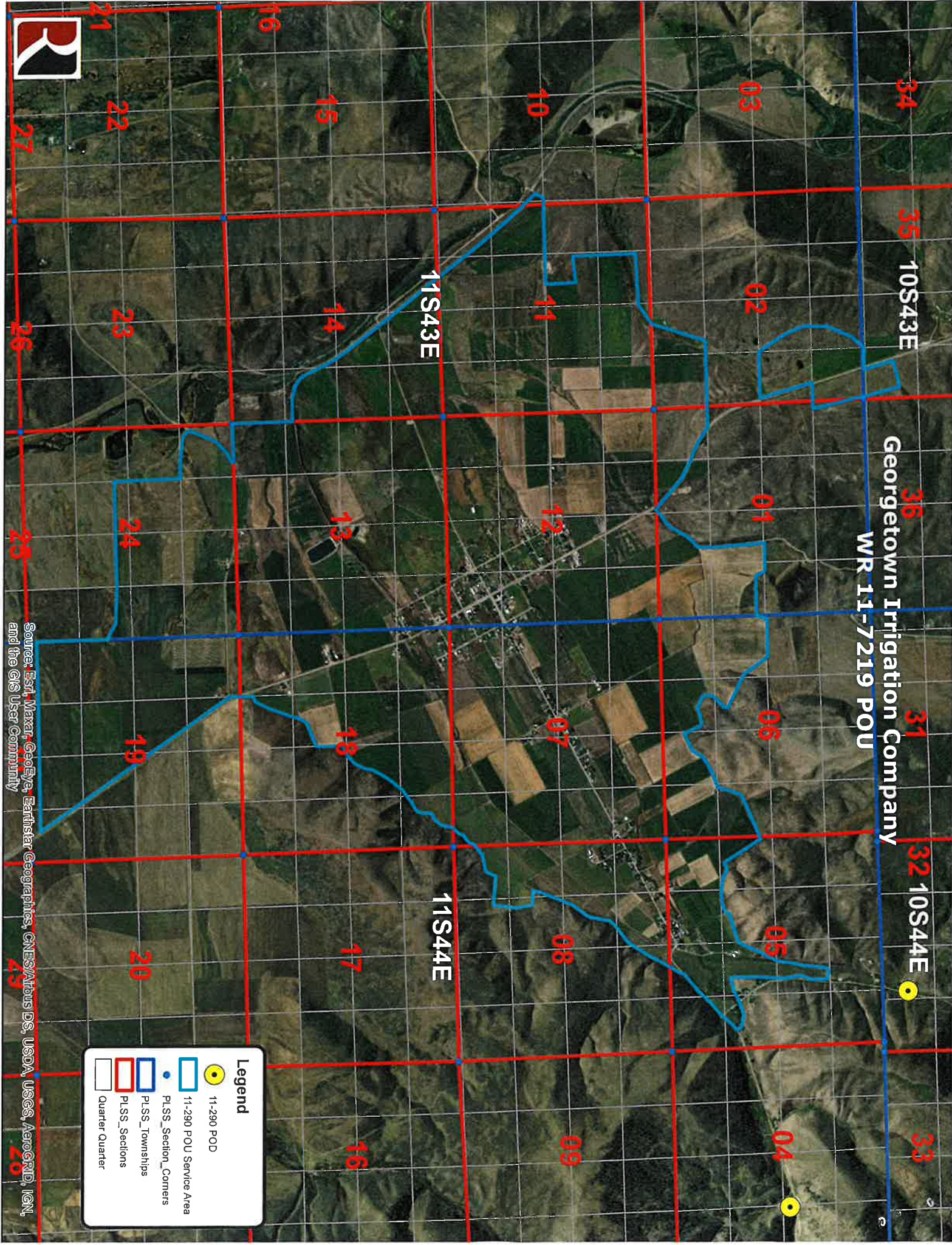


Legend

- Point of Diversion
- Place of Use Boundary
- Townships
- PLS Sections



The Georgetown Irrigation Company



Georatown Irrigation Company
WR 11-7219 POU

Legend

- 11-290 POD
- 11-290 POU Service Area
- PLSS_Section_Corners
- PLSS_Townships
- PLSS_Sections
- Quarter Quarter

Source: Est. Warr, GeoEye, Earthstar Geographics, CNES/Airbus DS, USDA, USGS, AeroGRID, IGN, and the GIS User Community



RECEIVED

OCT 23 2023

IDWR/Preston

October 19, 2023

Idaho Dept. of Water Resources
325 East 600 South, Ste 300
Preston, Idaho 83263-4921
marion.beck@idwr.idaho.gov

Sent via Email & U.S. Mail

**Re: Georgetown Irrigation Company
Notices of Claims to Water Rights
Bear River Basin Adjudication**

To whom it may concern:

Enclosed for filing please find the originals of four Notices of Claims to Water Rights on behalf of Georgetown Irrigation Company, together with a check in the amount of \$7,414.00 for the filing fees, broken down as follows:

Claim 11-290: \$50 flat fee + (\$1.00 per acre x 3,500 acres) = \$3,550.00

Claim (Supplemental): \$50 flat fee + (\$1.00 per acre x 354 acres) = \$404.00

Claim 11-7219: \$50 flat fee x (\$3.50 per kilowatt capacity x 480 kWh) = \$1,730.00

Claim 11-7592: \$50 flat fee (combined with 11-7219 for 480 kWh) = \$50.00

Total: \$5,734.00

Please file the originals and email the claim numbers assigned to tessa@racineolson. Thank you for your assistance. Please contact us if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Tessa Sparrow'.

TESSA SPARROW
Paralegal

Enclosure

c: Georgetown Irrigation Company