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October 2, 2025

MERRITT UDY
PO BOX 145
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RE: Transfer No. 90098

Dear Watermaster:

The Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) is seeking written comment and/or recommendations from you regarding the above referenced water right application. You can find a copy of the application at:

<https://idwr.idaho.gov/apps/ExtSearch/WRAJSearch/WRADJSearch.aspx>. Please review the application, then complete the enclosed recommendation form and return it to this office within 21 days of the date of this letter.

If the application is approved, IDWR will include appropriate standard conditions of approval for a water right located within a water district, such as regulation by the watermaster, lockable controlling works, and/or measuring devices. Any special conditions or other concerns you have related to this application should be specifically addressed in your recommendation.

IDWR can finish reviewing an unprotested application as soon as the protest period has past. Your prompt response to this request will ensure that your recommendation can be considered. If IDWR has not received your written recommendation within 21 days from the date of this letter, IDWR will presume that you do not oppose approval of the application and that you have no comments for IDWR to consider.

Sincerely,

Christina Henman
Administrative Asst. I

Enclosure(s)



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DAVID RAY TOMCHAK
1180 MERRETT DR
IDAHO FALLS, ID

RE: Application for Transfer 90098

Hello,

The Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) has identified you as an interested party regarding the above referenced water right application filed by F James Whittaker. You can find a complete copy of the application at:
<https://research.idwr.idaho.gov/apps/waterrights/querynewtransfers>.

Public notice of this application will be published in the Recorder Herald as described within the application document. IDWR can finish reviewing an unprotested application as soon as the protest period has passed. If you desire to formally protest the approval of this application, you may do so after the notice is published by filing a written protest along with a \$25.00 filing fee within 10 days after final publication. You must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

Please contact this office if you have any questions regarding the application.

Sincerely,

Christina Henman
Administrative Assistant