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This form may be used to file a protest under Sections 42-203A, 42-203C, 42-211, 42-222 or 42-240, Idaho Code. The Department will also accept a timely protest completed in a different format if it contains the same information requested on this form. Each protestant must provide a separate \$25 filing fee for each application protested. The Department's Rules of Procedure (IDAPA 37.01.01) require the protestant to **send a copy of the protest to the applicant.**

- Matter protested. Application for ☒ Permit ☐ Amendment of Permit ☒ Transfer ☐ Exchange
No. 90102 in the name of Good Timber Ranch LLC / c/o Nathan Godfrey
- Protestant's Name: Rafe and Ansley Rivers
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- Basis of protest. Clearly state your objections to approval of the application and identify the applicable review criteria. See Instructions for Filing a Notice of Protest for the relevant review criteria.
See attached.

(Additional pages may be attached to describe the basis of your protest.)

Identify any review criteria that are not a basis for your protest:

- ☐ Check here if Protestant and Representative will accept service of documents by email at the email address(es) listed under Item #2 and #3 above.

I acknowledge that if I, or my designated representative, fail to appear at any regularly scheduled conference or hearing in the matter, of which I have been properly notified, the Department may issue a notice of proposed default against me in this matter for failure to appear. **I also verify that I have served a copy of this protest upon the applicant.**

Anna Trentadue
Protestant's or Representative's Signature

Anna Trentadue, Attorney
Printed Name and Title (if applicable)

October 22, 2025
Date

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Pursuant to I.C. §42-222, we hereby object on the basis that approval of the proposed change in Transfer 90102 will: **(1)** reduce the quantity of water under existing rights by generating injurious localized, sub-watershed hydrologic impacts, **(2)** will constitute an enlargement of the original right. **(3)** is contrary to the conservation of water resources within the State of Idaho, and **(4)** conflicts with the local public interest.

Further, because the Applicant has proposed mitigation associated with Permit No. 22-14667, we object pursuant to I.C. § 42-203(A) on the basis that approval of the application will **(1)** injure or impact other water right holders in Basin 22, **(2)** will conflict with the public interest, **(3)** is made in bad faith, and **(4)** is contrary to the conservation of water resources within Idaho, and **(5)** water supply is insufficient for intended purpose.

And because the Applicant has also proposed mitigation with Transfer 89232 we object pursuant to I.C. § 42-222 on the basis that **(1)** reduce the quantity of water under existing rights, **(2)** will constitute an enlargement of the original right, **(3)** is contrary to the conservation of water resources within the State of Idaho, and **(4)** conflicts with the local public interest. Pole Creek rights have been diverted out of priority and not from the decreed point of diversion. Pole Creek ditch easement has also been revoked, and Applicant has no pipeline permit authorization.