

WATERMASTER'S ANNUAL REPORT

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DEPT. OF WATER RESOURCES
EASTERN REGION

Water District No. 29A

Water District Name: POCATELLO CREEK

Name of Watermaster: DAVE O'CONNELL

Mailing Address: 8515 N PARKS RD POCATELLO, ID 83201

AFFIDAVIT OF WATERMASTER

As the appointed watermaster of water district no. 29A, I hereby certify that the information contained in this report is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.


Watermaster signature

4/1/26
Date

Pursuant to Section 42-606 Idaho Code, this Watermaster's Annual Report shall be filed prior to the end of the watermaster's appointment for the current year, and kept in the office of the Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR). The Watermaster's Daily Diversion Records should be attached to this report if those records are not submitted electronically to IDWR.

Water Master Annual Report

Water District 29A

Pocatello Creek

For the calendar year 2025, there were no diversions in the district.

I worked on updating the Water Rightsholder inventory to reflect current ownership.

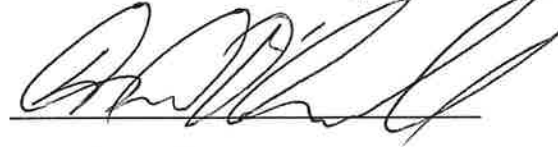
I contacted one Rightsholder regarding an unauthorized dam and pond on the north fork of Pocatello Creek. I referred the issue to IDWR Idaho Falls. They were going to help the Rightsholder convert their surface water rights to pond rights.

I also met with a Rightsholder with a permitted pond and discussed their efforts to restore the pond and shore up the banks.

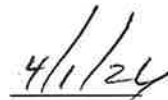
I attended training for new Water Masters in Pocatello.

For the calendar year 2026, I am interested in being the Water Master for Water District 29A.

If elected, I will continue to update the Rightsholder inventory.



Dave O'Connell



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