

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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NOTICE OF PROTEST

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.**

1. Matter protested. Application for ☐ Permit ☐ Amendment of Permit ☒ Transfer ☒ Exchange
 No. ~~2-10058~~ 89752 in the name of TTN, LLC
2. Protestant's Name: Tony Richards
 Address: 8935 Whiskey Mountain Road, Reynolds Creek, Murphy, ID 83650
 Telephone: (208) 495-2331 Email: brichardsbs@aol.com
3. Protestant's Representative: _____
 Address: _____
 Telephone: _____ Email: _____
4. 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.
I am not able to tell if this exchange of Reynolds Creek Water for Snake River water will affect my water rights I hold in Reynolds Creek or not. It appears to me that how this exchange is administered is the only way to declare whether or not myself and other Upper Reynolds Creek water right holders will be affected. Therefore I feel it is in my interest to file this protest to assure my water rights and the economic benefit I rely on them for are protected. There are two water rights proposed ofr exchange – Water right 57-2094D for .320cfs with a 1916 priority and water right 57-277 for 10cfs with a 1889 priority. (please see the attached page to continue with concerns of protest)

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

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

5. ☒ 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.**

 Protestant's or Representative's Signature	<u>Tony Richards</u> Printed Name and Title (if applicable)	<u>June 23, 2025</u> Date
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Additional Page # 2 for more information on Basis of Protest

NOTICE OF PROTEST on Transfer No. 2-10658 for TTN, LLC
Protest being filed by Tony Richards, 8935 Whiskey Mountain Road, Reynolds Creek
Murphy, ID 83650

Continuation of:

4. Basis of protest continued:

To serve the 1916 and the 1889 water rights there has to be 88.66cfs in Reynolds Creek. It is my protest and concern on knowing how the Idaho Department of Water will manage this and also protect my water rights.

Does 10.32cfs have to be delivered to the Snake River? If so, what is the impact on my water rights? Or

Will TTN, LLC be able to pump water at their Snake River pump station as long as there is 88.66cfs / 53.16cfs flowing in Reynolds Creek? If so, how will this be managed?

How will the Idaho Department of Water reconcile the up and down flows of Reynolds Creek to the more steady flow in the Snake River?

Is it possible to allow TTN to pump "x" amount of acre feet to fulfill their Reynolds Creek water rights?

I would like to reserve the ability to agree or disagree with this transfer based on the answers I receive to the above questions in order to assure my water rights on Reynolds Creek are protected and available for the economic sustainability of my ranching operation.

Idaho Department of Water Resources Receipt

Receipt ID: W052596

Payment Amount	\$25.00	Date Received	6/23/2025	Region	WESTERN
Payment Type	Check	Check Number	10182		
Payer	RICHARDS, ANTHONY J AND BRENDA S				
Comments	NOTICE OF PROTEST AGAINST TRANSFER # 89752 APPLICANT NAME: TTN LLC PROTESTANT NAME: TONY RICHARDS				

Fee Details

Amount	Description	PCA	Fund	Fund Detail	Subsidiary	Object
\$25.00	PROTESTS	62103	0229	21		1155



Signature Line (Department Representative)