

**IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES**  
**Proof Report**

4/27/2026

**Water Right 36-16957**  
**AFTER ownership change split**

**Owner Type**      **Name and Address**  
Attorney      TRAVIS L THOMPSON  
PARSONS BEHLE & LATIMER  
PO BOX 63  
TWIN FALLS, ID 83303-0063  
(208) 733-0700

Current Owner      MICHAEL J SIRUCEK  
472A S 1000 E  
JEROME, ID 83338-6854  
(208) 731-5463

Original Owner      JAMES SIRUCEK  
1254 STATE HWY 25  
JEROME, ID 83338  
(208) 825-5032

**Priority Date:** 5/13/1926

**Basis:** Decreed

**Status:** Active

**Source**  
WASTE WATER

**Tributary**  
SINKS

| <b><u>Beneficial Use</u></b> | <b><u>From</u></b>            | <b><u>To</u></b> | <b><u>Diversion Rate</u></b> | <b><u>Volume</u></b> |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| RECREATION STORAGE           | 1 /1                          | 12/31            |                              | 13.8 AF              |
| AESTHETIC STORAGE            | 1 /1                          | 12/31            |                              | 13.8 AF              |
|                              | <b><u>Total Diversion</u></b> |                  |                              | 13.8 AF              |

**Source and Point(s) of Diversion:**

|             |      |                                          |
|-------------|------|------------------------------------------|
| WASTE WATER | NWNE | Sec. 14, Twp 09S, Rge 18E, JEROME County |
| WASTE WATER | SENW | Sec. 14, Twp 09S, Rge 18E, JEROME County |
| WASTE WATER | NENW | Sec. 14, Twp 09S, Rge 18E, JEROME County |

**Place Of Use:**

RECREATION STORAGE within JEROME County

|     |     |     | NE |    |    |    | NW |    |    |    | SW |    |    |    | SE |    |    |    | Totals |
|-----|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|--------|
| Twp | Rng | Sec | NE | NW | SW | SE | NE | NW | SW | SE | NE | NW | SW | SE | NE | NW | SW | SE |        |
| 09S | 18E | 14  |    | X  | X  |    | X  |    |    | X  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |        |

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**AESTHETIC STORAGE within JEROME County**

|     |     |     | NE |    |    |    | NW |    |    |    | SW |    |    |    | SE |    |    |    | Totals |
|-----|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|--------|
| Twp | Rng | Sec | NE | NW | SW | SE | NE | NW | SW | SE | NE | NW | SW | SE | NE | NW | SW | SE |        |
| 09S | 18E | 14  |    | X  | X  |    | X  |    |    | X  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |        |

**Conditions of Approval:**

1. 220 The reservoir established by the storage of water under water right 36-17370 and Rights 36-16982, 36-16956, 36-16957, 36-16958, 36-16959, 36-16960, and 36-16961 shall not exceed a total capacity of 143.0 acre-feet or a total surface area of 18.9 acres.
2. 219 Rights 36-16956, 36-16957, 36-16958, 36-16959, 36-16960, and 36-16961 authorize the diversion of an annual total of 187.6 acre-feet to be used for recreation and aesthetic storage for the initial (annual) filling of the reservoir and for the replacement of losses caused by evaporation from the reservoir authorized under right 36-16982. The 945 acre-feet of recreation and aesthetic storage use described by right 36-16982 accounts for the annual seepage losses associated with the reservoir. In combination, right 36-16982 and Rights 36-16956, 36-16957, 36-16958, 36-16959, 36-16960, and 36-16961 allow for a combined annual total recreation and aesthetic storage volume of 1,132.6 acre-feet (enough to fill the reservoir once, and to keep the reservoir full by making up annual losses associated with seepage and evaporation). The 1,292.0 acre-feet of irrigation storage described by water right 36-17370 accounts for the volume of water that may be diverted into the reservoir and rediverted for irrigation use throughout the season as reservoir levels fluctuate. In combination, water right 36-17370 and Rights 36-16982, 36-16956, 36-16957, 36-16958, 36-16959, 36-16960, and 36-16961 allow for a combined annual total storage volume of 2,424.6 acre-feet for all uses.
3. G22 The source of this water right includes waste water. The right remains subject to the right of the original appropriator, in good faith and in compliance with state laws governing changes in use and/or expansion of water rights, to cease wasting water, to change the place or manner of wasting it, or to recapture it.
4. R05 Use of water under this right will be regulated by a watermaster with responsibility for the distribution of water among appropriators within a water district. At the time of this approval, this water right is within State Water District No. 130.
5. R43 The right holder shall maintain a measuring device and lockable controlling works of a type approved by the Department in a manner that will provide the watermaster suitable control of the diversion(s).
6. R40 The storage of water under this right is contingent upon continued certification by the Department of Water Resources under the dam safety provisions of the Idaho Code, authorizing storage.
7. T07 The right holder shall accomplish the change authorized by this transfer within one year of the date of this approval.
8. T08 Failure of the right holder to comply with the conditions of this transfer is cause for the Director to rescind approval of the transfer.
9. T19 Pursuant to Section 42-1412(6), Idaho Code, this water right is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of water rights as may be determined by the Snake River Basin Adjudication court at a point in time no later than the entry of the final unified decree.

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**Comments:**

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| 2                                                                                                                  | cskinner | 5/13/2013  | Updated Shape        |
| Updated POUShape                                                                                                   |          |            |                      |
| 3                                                                                                                  | cskinner | 8/2/2013   | Updated Shape        |
| Updated POUShape                                                                                                   |          |            |                      |
| 4                                                                                                                  | ameritt  | 8/28/2013  | Transferred Right    |
| This is now an approved transfer. Transfer Number = 78578                                                          |          |            |                      |
| 5                                                                                                                  | dmaline  | 5/29/2019  | Attorney information |
| Removed Paul Arrington as attorney for Mike Sirucek and added Travis L Thompson. Per 5/29/2019 e-mail confirmation |          |            |                      |
| 6                                                                                                                  | cskinner | 1/2/2026   | Transferred Right    |
| This is now an approved transfer. Transfer Number = 89785                                                          |          |            |                      |
| 7                                                                                                                  | tywallac | 4/24/2026  | Split Right          |
| Split into 36-17365.                                                                                               |          |            |                      |

**Dates and Other Information:**

Decreed Date: 1/8/2013  
Owner Name Connector: OR  
Water District Number: 130  
Mitigation Plan: False

**Combined Use Limits:**

N/A

**SubCase:**

N/A

**Water Supply Bank:**

N/A

State of Idaho  
Department of Water Resources

## Water Rights

36-16956, 36-16957, 36-16958,  
36-16959, 36-16960, 36-16961,  
36-16982

AESTHETIC STORAGE and  
RECREATION STORAGE



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|-------------------------|--------------------|
| ● Point of Diversion    | ▭ Townships        |
| ▭ Place Of Use Boundary | ▭ Sections         |
| ▭ State Outline         | ▭ Quarter Quarters |



0 0.07 0.14 0.21 0.28 Miles



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Prepared By Wallace, Tyler

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|------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| IRRIGATION                   | 03/15                         | 11/15            | 0.470 CFS                    |                      |
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| AESTHETIC STORAGE            | 1 /1                          | 12/31            |                              | 13.8 AF              |
|                              | <b><u>Total Diversion</u></b> |                  | 0.470 CFS                    |                      |

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|             |      |                                          |
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| WASTE WATER | NENW | Sec. 14, Twp 09S, Rge 18E, JEROME County |

**Place Of Use:**

RECREATION STORAGE within JEROME County

|     |     |     | NE |    |    |    | NW |    |    |    | SW |    |    |    | SE |    |    |    | Totals |
|-----|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|--------|
| Twp | Rng | Sec | NE | NW | SW | SE | NE | NW | SW | SE | NE | NW | SW | SE | NE | NW | SW | SE |        |
| 09S | 18E | 14  |    | X  | X  |    | X  |    |    | X  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |        |

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|-----|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|--------|
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| 09S | 18E | 14  |    | X  | X  |    | X  |    |    | X  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |        |

**IRRIGATION within JEROME County**

|     |     |     | NE   |      |      |      | NW   |      |      |      | SW   |      |    |    | SE   |      |      |     | Totals |
|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|----|----|------|------|------|-----|--------|
| Twp | Rng | Sec | NE   | NW   | SW   | SE   | NE   | NW   | SW   | SE   | NE   | NW   | SW | SE | NE   | NW   | SW   | SE  |        |
| 09S | 18E | 11  |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |    |    |      |      | 22.0 | 1.0 | 23.0   |
| 09S | 18E | 14  |      | 27.0 |      |      | 17.0 | 25.0 | 40.0 | 24.0 | 40.0 | 40.0 |    |    |      |      |      |     | 213.0  |
| 09S | 18E | 15  | 40.0 | 40.0 | 40.0 | 40.0 |      |      |      |      |      |      |    |    | 40.0 | 40.0 |      |     | 240.0  |

Right Acre Limit: 23.70  
POU Total Acres: 476.0

**Conditions of Approval:**

1. X27 This right is limited to the irrigation of 23.7 acres within the authorized place of use in a single irrigation season.
2. X35 Rights 36-16957, 36-16959, and 36-16961 when combined shall not exceed the irrigation of 156.2 acres.
3. X35 Rights 36-16956, 36-16957, 36-16958, 36-16959, 36-16960, and 36-16961 when combined shall not exceed a total diversion rate of 6.46 cfs and the irrigation of 323.0 acres.
4. X35 Rights 36-16982, 36-16956, 36-16957, 36-16958, 36-16959, 36-16960, and 36-16961 when combined shall not exceed the irrigation of 323.0 acres.
5. 220 The reservoir established by the storage of water under Rights 36-16982, 36-16956, 36-16957, 36-16958, 36-16959, 36-16960, 36-16961 shall not exceed a total capacity of 143.0 acre-feet or a total surface area of 18.9 acres.
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7. R64 This right when combined with all other rights shall provide no more than 0.02 cfs per acre nor more than 4.0 afa per acre at the field headgate for irrigation of the place of use.
8. G22 The source of this water right includes waste water. The right remains subject to the right of the original appropriator, in good faith and in compliance with state laws governing changes in use and/or expansion of water rights, to

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- cease wasting water, to change the place or manner of wasting it, or to recapture it.
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  10. R43 The right holder shall maintain a measuring device and lockable controlling works of a type approved by the Department in a manner that will provide the watermaster suitable control of the diversion(s).
  11. 206 Rights 36-16982, 36-16956, 36-16957, 36-16958, 36-16959, 36-16960, and 36-16961 are limited to the irrigation of a specific 323.0 acres within the 476.0 acre place of use authorized by these rights in a single irrigation season. The specific 323.0 acres to be irrigated by the right holder are shown in the electronic shape file associated with these rights in the geographic information system component of the water rights database maintained by the department. Before changing the 323.0 acres to be irrigated within the 476.0 acre place of use, the right holder shall submit a new land list and representative electronic shape file or map to the Department prior to the irrigation season in which the change will occur.
  12. R40 The storage of water under this right is contingent upon continued certification by the Department of Water Resources under the dam safety provisions of the Idaho Code, authorizing storage.
  13. T07 The right holder shall accomplish the change authorized by this transfer within one year of the date of this approval.
  14. T08 Failure of the right holder to comply with the conditions of this transfer is cause for the Director to rescind approval of the transfer.
  15. T19 Pursuant to Section 42-1412(6), Idaho Code, this water right is subject to such general provisions necessary for the definition of the rights or for the efficient administration of water rights as may be determined by the Snake River Basin Adjudication court at a point in time no later than the entry of the final unified decree.

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**Dates and Other Information:**

Decreed Date: 1/8/2013

Owner Name Connector: OR

Water District Number: 130

Mitigation Plan: False

**Combined Use Limits:**

| <u>Rate</u> | <u>Volume</u> | <u>Acres</u> |
|-------------|---------------|--------------|
|             |               | 323.0        |
| 6.460       |               | 323.0        |
|             |               | 156.2        |

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**SubCase:**

N/A

**Water Supply Bank:**

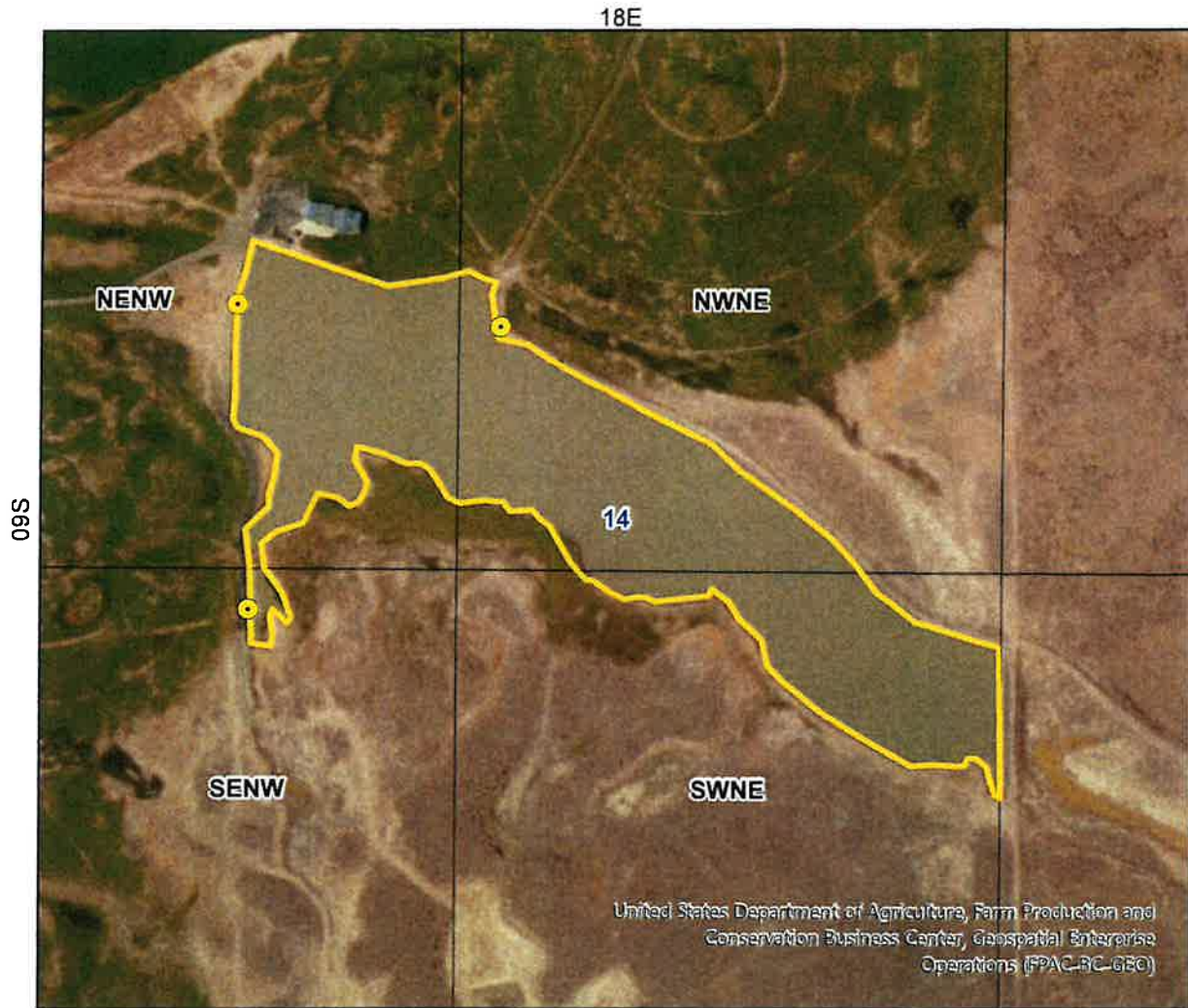
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