

STATE OF IDAHO
WATER RESOURCE BOARD

Print Form

APPLICATION TO SELL OR LEASE A WATER RIGHT
TO THE WATER SUPPLY BANK

Applicant / Designated Lessor Shoshone-Bannock Agri-Business Corporation
(Select one owner – see item 1A on the application)

Water Right No. 29-10271
(One water right per application)

Is this application being submitted with a rental application as a lease/rental package? Yes ☐ No ☒
If yes, include renter and rental fee payment information as attachment 5B.

This application must be prepared in accordance with the minimum requirement checklist below. Use this checklist to ensure all necessary documentation has been provided. This checklist is part of the lease application and must be included with the lease application. Applications that do not meet the minimum requirements will not be processed and may be returned or denied.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENT CHECKLIST
Check All Items as Either Attached (Yes) or Not Applicable (N/A)

Yes



Completed *Application to Sell or Lease a Water Right to the Water Supply Bank*, printed **single sided**, per requirement of the Water Supply Bank.



Application filing fee of \$250.00 per water right. If you are submitting more than one lease application and the water rights have an overlapping, common place of use, or a common diversion rate or volume, the total fee for all water rights is \$500.00. For places of use, multiple water rights must be used to irrigate the same lands in order to qualify for the joint filing fee. Individual filing fees are required for water rights that share a common permissible place of use but which cover separate acres within the permissible place of use.

N/A

Yes

Attachments



1A

Signatures and contact information for **all owners** of the water right to be leased or sold on this application.



1B

An Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Form W-9 for the Applicant / Designated Lessor.



1C

Notice of Change in Water Right Ownership form (accessible from www.idwr.idaho.gov).



1D

Contact information for an authorized representative and documentary proof they are authorized to represent the Applicant on this application. If the Applicant is a business, partnership, municipality, organization or association, include documents identifying officers authorized to sign or act on behalf of the entity.



2

Description of a water right portion offered to the Water Supply Bank.



3

A map that clearly outlines the specific location where irrigated acres will be dried up, or where a beneficial use of water will be suspended. You have the option of printing a map using the map tool on IDWR's website at: www.idwr.idaho.gov.



4A

Written consent from irrigation district or water delivery company.



4G

Evidence demonstrating the water right has not been forfeited pursuant to Section 42-222(2), Idaho Code.



5B

Rental rate and owner payment agreement between lessor and renter for lease/rental packages.

Department Use Only

Fee Amount \$

Received By:

Date Received:

Receipt #

W-9 received? Yes ☐ No ☐ (Route W-9 to Fiscal)

Name on W-9:

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1. CONTACT INFORMATION

- A. The applicant or designated lessor must be listed as a current owner of the water right offered for sale or lease to the Water Supply Bank. If there are multiple current owners, choose one owner as the Designated Lessor. Complete and attach the Designated Lessor - Attachment 1A of this application package with the signatures of all current owners.

Applicant / Designated Lessor Shoshone-Bannock Agri-Business Corporation ("SBABC")
Mailing Address c/o Mark Wadsworth, P.O. Box 368 Fort Hall Idaho 83203-0368
Street City State Zip Code
Email Address mwadsworth@sho-ban.com Phone Number 208-235-2043

☐ The Applicant is the sole owner of the water right being sold or leased to the Water Supply Bank.

OR

☐ The Designated Lessor is representing additional water right holders who have completed Attachment 1A.

- B. Has the Designated Lessor / Applicant submitted an IRS Form W-9 to this Department within 6 months? Yes ☐ No ☒
If no, complete the form and attach to this application (Attachment 1B).

- C. Are all applicants on this form listed in IDWR's records as the current owners of the water right? Yes ☒ No ☐
If no, attach a Notice of Change in Water Right Ownership form along with the required documentation and fee (Attachment 1C).

- D. Is this application being completed by an authorized representative of the Water Right Holder? Yes ☒ No ☐
If yes, representatives (includes employees of Water Right Holder companies) must complete this section and submit documentary proof of their authority to represent the Water Right Holder (Attachment 1D).

Name of Representative Mark Wadsworth Organization Shoshone-Bannock Agri-Business Corporation
Professional Title Business Manager Email Address mwadsworth@sho-ban.com
Mailing Address P.O. Box 368, Fort Hall, Idaho 83203-0368 Phone Number 208-235-2043

☐ Send all correspondence for this application to the representative and not to the Designated Lessor / Applicant.

OR

☒ Send original correspondence to the Designated Lessor / Applicant and copies to the representative.

2. DESCRIPTION OF WATER RIGHT OFFERED TO THE BANK

☒ The full water right is being offered to the Bank and none will still be used.

OR

☐ A portion of the water right is being offered to the Bank and a portion will still be used.
If a portion of the water right is being offered, **complete Attachment 2.**

3. MAP

Attach a map. The map must locate the point of diversion from the source of water and the location of the lands to be idled or the place where the water will no longer be used. The map must also show townships, ranges, sections, and government lots. **For irrigation purposes**, mark the number of acres for lease **per** 40-acre tract (1/4-1/4). If the water right proposed for lease is located within a permissible place of use (PPU) and portions of the PPU will continue to receive water from non-leased water rights, clearly outline on a map the acres within the PPU that will continue to be irrigated, as well as acres that will be idled during the lease term. Label the map **Attachment 3.**

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4. GENERAL INFORMATION

- A. Identify the owner of the water delivery system or well Shoshone-Bannock Agri-Business Corporation
If your water right is delivered through a canal, lateral or ditch operated by a canal company, irrigation district, or similar delivery entity, your lease request must include written consent from the company, district, or similar entity for your removal of water from its system pursuant to Section 42-108, Idaho Code and IDAPA WSB Rule 37.02.03.25.02e. (Label Attachment 4A)
- B. Please provide a description of the current water diversion and delivery system, including source, pump, pipeline or diversion.
Stockwater and Domestic
- C. Describe any other water sources, including municipal, irrigation company shares, or water rights with combined limits to the water right offered to the bank, which are used for the same purpose at the same place of use as the water right being offered to the Bank. _____
- D. Are any of the water rights identified in Section 4C stacked with the water right proposed for lease? Yes ☐ No ☒
Stacked water rights are used together to achieve a common beneficial use, such as irrigation of the same lands, and usually have combined limits in the conditions of the water rights. Stacked water rights cannot be separated and must be jointly leased to the Water Supply Bank. Stacked water rights qualify for the multiple fee payment of \$500.
- E. Will the present place of use continue to receive water from any other source, including those listed in 4C? Yes ☒ No ☐
If yes, explain the relationship between the different water sources and how enlargement of the authorized use will not occur if this water right is leased. This land is within the Fort Hall Reservation and has been assigned a portion of Shoshone-Bannock Tribes Water Right 27-11376.
- F. Has any portion of this water right undergone a period of five or more consecutive years of non-use? Yes ☐ No ☒
If yes, describe the circumstances and attach evidence to demonstrate how the water right has not been lost through forfeiture (Label Attachment 4G). See Section 42-223, Idaho Code for exceptions to forfeiture, including lease into the Bank. Your application may be denied if forfeiture concerns are not addressed. _____
- G. Identify annual volumes and/or rates of water diverted (used) in the last 5 years to accomplish the beneficial use authorized by this water right. Stockwater 0.020 CFS Rate, diverted annually for stock, Domestic 0.040 CFS, diverted annually for domestic use; Total Diversion 0.60 CFS.
- H. Is this water right involved in any other IDWR process, such as an application for transfer or a mitigation plan? ☐ ☒
If yes, describe. Yes No

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5. SALE/LEASE CONTRACT

- A. Is the water right, or portion thereof, offered to the Idaho Water Resource Board (IWRB) for sale ☐ or lease ☒ ?
If lease, specify the first calendar year when the use of water will be suspended: 2026

All lease contracts are for a calendar year from January 1st to December 31st (year)

*Mark Desired Lease Duration (Calendar Years)					
☐ 1	☐ 2	☐ 3	☐ 4	☒ 5	Other Term Length (# of years): *Prior IWRB approval required

- B. Show the minimum payment acceptable to the seller/lessor. If lease, the minimum payment may be shown as the "current rental rate" as established by the IWRB, or a negotiated rental rate with submittal of an agreement between the lessor and the renter. *The owner payment is 90% of the rental fee. The administrative fee retained by the IWRB is 10% of either the current rental rate or the negotiated rental fee, whichever is higher. Include the method of determining the minimum payment if submitted as a companion lease rental package, and whether the owner payment will be paid directly to the lessor from the renter or if owner payment should be collected by the Department from the renter for payment to the lessor. (Label attachment 5B).*
- Current Rental Rate _____

I hereby assert that the information contained in this application is true to the best of my knowledge, and that I have the authorities necessary to offer this water right for sale or lease to the Idaho Water Resource Board.

The Designated Lessor / Applicant acknowledges the following:

1. Payment to the Designated Lessor / Applicant is contingent upon the sale or rental of the water right from the Bank.
2. While a water right is in the Bank, the seller/lessor of the water right may not use the water right, even if the water right is not rented from the Bank.
3. A water right accepted into the Bank stays in the Bank until the Designated Lessor / Applicant receives written confirmation from the Board or Water Supply Bank that the water right has been released from the Bank.
4. While a water right is in the Bank, forfeiture is stayed.
5. Acceptance of a water right into the Bank does not, in itself, confirm the validity of the water right or any element of the water right.

DocuSigned by:

00EF23CE0B400410
Signature of Designated Lessor or Applicant

Mark Wadsworth, Business Manager

Printed Name

12/5/2025

Date

Signed by:
Bill Snapp
38D81ECB000A251
Signature of Co-Applicant

Bill Snapp, Chairman of the Board

Printed Name

12/5/2025

Date

DocuSigned by:

B0EF23CE3148041B
Signature of Authorized Representative

Mark Wadsworth, Business Manager

Printed Name

12/5/2025

Date

Mail to:

Idaho Department of Water Resources
P.O. Box 83720
Boise, ID 83720-0098

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Water Right

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STOCKWATER

The map depicts the place of use for the water use listed above and point(s) of diversion of this right as currently derived from interpretations of the paper records and is used solely for illustrative purposes. Discrepancies between the computer representation and the permanent document file will be resolved in favor of the actual water right documents in the water right file.



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- Quarter Quarters
- PLS Sections
- Townships
- Place of Use Boundary
- Point of Diversion



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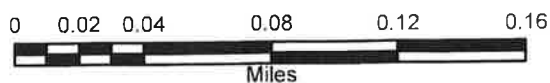
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DOMESTIC

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Director Mathew Weaver

June 18, 2026

SHOSHONE-BANNOCK AGRI-BUSINESS CORPORATION
PO BOX 368
FORT HALL ID 83203-0368

RE: RE: LEASE APPLICATION NO(S). 29-10271 - RETURNED INCOMPLETE

*****TIME SENSITIVE RESPONSE REQUIRED*****

Dear Applicant:

On May 22, 2025 the Department of Water Resources (Department) received your application to lease water right no(s). 29-10271 to the Water Supply Bank (Bank). Review of the application found the water right(s) can not be accepted for lease and the application is being returned because the application is incomplete.

Water Supply Bank Rule 25 (IDAPA 37.01.03.025.02) contains the required information that applicants must include for an application to lease a water right to be a complete filing. The application did not include:

c. Information demonstrating the water right has not been abandoned or forfeited as defined by Idaho Code § 42-222(2)

Department resources were expended to conduct a full review of your application. Therefore, the lease application filing fees will not be refunded if the application with all the required information is not returned within fourteen (14) days.

If you have any questions, please contact the Department at (208) 287-4800.

Respectfully,

Catalina Beck

Water Resource Agent

For

Water Supply Bank



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June 4, 2026

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**RE: ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUEST FOR PROCESSING APPLICATION TO
LEASE WATER RIGHT NO 29-10271 TO THE WATER SUPPLY BANK**

*****TIME SENSITIVE RESPONSE REQUIRED*****

Dear Applicant:

The Idaho Department of Water Resources (Department) acknowledges receipt of the application to lease the above referenced water right to the Idaho Water Resource Board's Water Supply Bank (Bank). The Department will review your application as resources allow.

If the right is determined to be eligible for acceptance into the Bank, the right will be entered as of the date of receipt of the application. The acceptance date may be adjusted when additional information is required. A preliminary review of your application has been completed and it has been determined that additional information is required to continue processing.

The forfeiture evidence submitted, including the photos and explanation of historic use, is identical to the information previously submitted for water right 29-14287. Additional evidence specific to the above referenced water right is required.

Please provide the following information or request withdrawal of your application within 30 days of the date of this letter or the application will be returned unprocessed:

- **Information demonstrating the water right has not been abandoned or forfeited as defined by Idaho Code § 42-222(2).**

Department resources were expended to conduct a full review of your application. Therefore, the lease application filing fees will not be refunded if the application with all the required information is not returned within fourteen (14) days.

Sincerely,

Catalina Beck

For
Water Supply Bank