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CAROL HOPWOOD
1030 E 1000 S
ALBION ID 83311-9708

Re: Change in Water Right Ownership for Water Right No(s): 47-17522
(Split into 47-17522 and **47-17792**)

Dear Mrs. Hopwood:

The Department of Water Resources (Department) recently processed a Notice of Change in Water Right Ownership for property you used to own in Twin Falls County identified under Water Right No. 47-17522. Per paperwork filed by TitleOne, it was discovered that you sold a portion of the property (approximately 17 acres) to James LeBelle in March of 2025; resulting in the need to split Water Right No. 47-17522. By splitting this water right, a 21.8-acre portion remained your name as well as your late husband, Rodney Hopwood. The 17-acre portion is identified under Water Right No. 47-17792.

In July of 2025, another Notice of Change in Water Right Ownership was filed, indicating that the 17-acre portion previously sold to Mr. LeBelle had been sold to Mr. and Mrs. Zebarth. While processing the Ownership Change paperwork for the Zebarth's, it was noted that the 21.8-acre portion of Water Right No. 47-17522 currently in your name should now be in the name(s) of Bradley and Amber Sawyer. The department will contact Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer to let them know they need to file a Notice of Change in Water Right Ownership to change this water right into their names.

The enclosed information is related to the split of Water Right No. 47-17522 and the 21.8-acre portion that needs to be updated into Sawyer's names. This information is for your records, and there is nothing you need to do at this time. I realize that this may be a bit confusing, so if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (208) 293-9908.

Sincerely,

Denise Maline
Administrative Assistant 1

Enclosure(s)