



IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF
WATER RESOURCES

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September 22, 2026

ORVILLE AND JENNIE MARIE SMITH FAMILY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
C/O LEWENE CLARK
3897 W 3700 N
MOORE, ID 83255-8738

RE: Transfer No. 90593
Water Right No(s). 34-12363A, 34-2477A

Dear Applicant:

You had previously received a letter about the legal notice for your application, scheduled to run in the Challis Messenger and Arco Advertiser on 8/6 and 8/13. Unfortunately, due to an error at the Arco Advertiser, your notice did not run as requested in that paper.

The legal notice of the application has been rescheduled for publication in the ARCO ADVERTISER on 9/24/2026 and 10/1/2026. Protests to this application may be submitted for a period ending ten (10) days after the second publication.

If the application is protested, you will be sent a copy of each protest. All protests must be resolved before the application can be considered for approval. If the protest(s) cannot be resolved voluntarily, the Department will conduct a conference and/or hearing on the matter.

If the application is not protested, the Department will process your application and notify you of any action taken on the application. If your application is approved, the Department will send you a copy of the approval document.

Please contact this office if you have any questions regarding the application.

Sincerely,

Christina Henman
Administrative Assistant

Henman, Christina

From: Arco Advertiser <arcoadv@aol.com>
Sent: Tuesday, September 22, 2026 9:25 AM
To: Henman, Christina
Subject: Re: Legal Notice for Arco Advertiser

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Good morning Christina, we are able to begin running Transfer No. 90593 this week. Thank you, Tom

On Tuesday, September 22, 2026 at 08:51:10 AM MDT, Henman, Christina <Christina.Henman@idwr.idaho.gov> wrote:

Hello,

If you are able to run it on 9/24 and 10/1, please use the attached. If not, let me know and I will just add it to tomorrow's batch of normal legal notices.

Thank You,

Christina Henman

Administrative Assistant

From: Henman, Christina
Sent: Tuesday, September 22, 2026 8:16 AM
To: 'Arco Advertiser' <arcoadv@aol.com>
Subject: RE: Legal Notice for Arco Advertiser

Is it too late to get it into the 9/24 and 10/1 issues? I'll need to edit the notice to update the protest period information and will send you an updated version to print.

Thank You,

Christina Henman

Administrative Assistant

From: Arco Advertiser <arcoadv@aol.com>
Sent: Monday, September 21, 2026 5:07 PM
To: Henman, Christina <Christina.Henman@idwr.idaho.gov>
Subject: Re: Legal Notice for Arco Advertiser

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Hi Christina- I am so sorry about this but this notice was never ran. In fact, I cannot find any record of us receiving this email- I looked through the emails from July 29, by the application number, and your email address but it never pops up. If you still need us to run it please reply with it attached. Again, I'm sorry! I know it isn't your job to follow up with us, but I hate it when these things slip through the cracks and if we never got an email/confirmed with you we are two ships passing in the night! So we'll be better about replying that we got it in the paper, and if you don't hear from us by Tuesday morning of the week it is due to run, feel free to email us or even text me at: (208) 520-5190 so we don't miss a notice again. Thanks- Kirsten

On Wednesday, September 16, 2026 at 04:11:14 PM MDT, Henman, Christina <Christina.Henman@idwr.idaho.gov> wrote:

Hello,

I have not received the affidavit or invoice for this notice yet. Can you please send ASAP? (Transfer application 90593; requested to run 8/6 & 8/13.)

Thank You,

Christina Henman

From: Henman, Christina
Sent: Wednesday, July 29, 2026 11:45 AM
To: 'arcoadv@aol.com' <arcoadv@aol.com>
Subject: Legal Notice for Arco Advertiser

LEGAL NOTICE DEPARTMENT

ARCO ADVERTISER
PO BOX C
ARCO, ID 83213

RE: Transfer No. 90593
Water Right No(s). 34-12363A, 34-2477A

Dear Legal Notice Department:

Please publish the enclosed legal notice on the dates indicated (once a week for two consecutive weekly issues). If you cannot publish the notice on the proposed dates, please contact us immediately.

An affidavit of publication must be submitted to the Department along with the publication bill. Please send the affidavit and bill to this office before 8/24/2026. Your cooperation is appreciated.

Thank You,



Christina Henman
Administrative Assistant
IDWR, Eastern Region
900 N Skyline Ste. A
Idaho Falls, ID 83402
Phone: (208) 525-7161

**NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGE OF WATER RIGHT
TRANSFER NO. 90593**

ORVILLE AND JENNIE MARIE SMITH FAMILY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP, C/O LEWENE CLARK
3897 W 3700 N, MOORE, ID 83255-8738 has filed Application No. 90593 for changes to the following water rights within CUSTER County(s): Right No(s): 34-12363A, 34-2477A; to see a full description of these rights and the proposed transfer, please see <https://research.idwr.idaho.gov/apps/waterrights/querynewtransfers>. The purpose of the transfer is to change a portion of the above rights as follows: change point of diversion and add points of diversion. Proposed points of diversion are two exchange wells in NWSE Sec 2 T06N R24E for 3.41 cfs from Ground Water. The water is injected into Big Lost River at SWNE Sec 2 T06N R24E and is rediverted as an exchange into the Darlington Ditch at SWNE Sec 33 T07N R24E.

For additional information concerning the property location, contact Eastern Region office at (208)525-7161. Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Idaho Code Sec. 42-222. Any protest against the proposed change must be filed with the Department of Water Resources, Eastern Region, 900 N SKYLINE DR STE A, IDAHO FALLS ID 83402-1718 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 10/12/2026 8:44:54 AM. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant.

MATHEW WEAVER, Director

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