

## State of Idaho DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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To: Porter Creek Water District Members

Re: Water Delivery Calls for 2014

## Dear Members:

The Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) provides this information to assist with any water delivery calls for this year as explained below.

A watermaster was not elected at the water district meeting this March. Instead, the Advisory Committee agreed to work on that after the meeting. This proved unsuccessful. Therefore, water users are urged to work together to resolve any problems. If a delivery call is needed, the following method authorized by IDWR for just this year must be used:

- 1. Make a delivery call to one or more members of the Advisory Committee, which includes Steve Dobson, J. C. Fry and Gene Hess.
- 2. The Advisory Committee must coordinate with IDWR to determine what to do. Contact me at this office (208-334-2190) during regular business hours, Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- 3. If I am not available, ask for the Regional Manager. IDWR will not be available outside of regular business hours.
- 4. The Advisory Committee is authorized to deliver water after receiving IDWR confirmation of the correct determination for the delivery call.

I am optimistic you will successfully handle anything that comes up without needing IDWR intervention. However, the above method is available if necessary. At the end of this irrigation season, the Advisory Committee members can decide if they want to split the \$50 minimum salary budgeted for watermaster duties this year or forego that step.

Please let me know if you need more information. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

Sincerely,

Steve Lester

Water Rights Supervisor

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