

**WATER DISTRICT 74J**  
Petition to Disband District

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Enclosed is a copy of the water right holders in Water District 74J. This is a very small district which encompasses the Withington Creek drainage (tributary to Lemhi River). For the past several years, the district has contracted with Rick Sager, Watermaster for District 74, to be "on call". We have paid Rick a \$50/year retainer and agreed to pay him \$25/call if he was called out. Since we are all aware of our water rights and priorities, we have gotten along and he has not been called out. Our annual budget has been \$50.

Since the Idaho State Insurance Fund is adamant that all Water Districts must have workmens compensation insurance, even if they have no employees, it appears to be in the best interest of the district to disband and join Water District 74.

We are unsure of the process to disband the district; however, inasmuch as the Director creates districts, he must have the authority to disband them. Please consider this a petition to disband Water District 74J.

Submitted by Robert Loucks, Secretary-Treasurer

## WATER DISTRICT 74J

Minutes of the Annual Meeting

March 26, 1997

The Annual Meeting of District 74J was called to order at 7:00 p.m. at the Bob Loucks residence on Withington Creek by President Bill Sager. Present were Lynn Thomas representing himself and Willard Colston, and Bob Loucks representing himself and Paul Turner. All other water users were notified before the meeting and Jack Jakovac and John Stephenson were called during the meeting.

### Treasurer's Report

Secretary-Treasurer Loucks reported that there is a current bank balance of \$74.20. All assessments were paid in 1996. Rick Sager has not been paid his retainer for 1996.

### Status of District

The secretary reviewed correspondence from IDWR and the Idaho State Insurance Fund indicating that the District was required to obtain Workmen's Compensation Insurance. Since it appears that the budget would have to increase seven fold to support the insurance and that it would be cheaper to join Water District 74, President Sager entertained a motion to disband the district. Motion: (Thomas-Loucks) That Water District 74J petition the Director of IDWR to disband the district and include it in Water District 74.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Submitted by Bob Loucks, Secretary-Treasurer

Record#	IDENT_NO	FIRST	LAST	ADDRESS	QUANT_CFS
83	A74-0220B	GORDON	BINNING	P O BOX 309	0.040
113	A74-00219B	WILLARD COLSTON	C/O LYNN THOMAS	P O BOX 215	1.360
114	A74-00218B	WILLARD COLSTON	C/O LYNN THOMAS	P O BOX 215	1.400
224	A74-00216E	ARMOND	HAMILTON	RR 1 BOX 68	0.040
<del>260</del>	<del>A74-00221</del>	<del>JACK</del>	<del>JAKOVAC</del>	<del>RR 1 BOX 70</del>	<del>0.900</del>
263	A74-00216H	JACK	JAKOVAC	RR 1 BOX 70	0.900
329	A74-00216D	RALPH	LOGAN	RR 1 BOX 67A	0.070
330	A74-00219E	ROBERT	LOUCKS	RR 1 BOX 67	0.210
456	A74-00219A	BARBARA	PEETS	RR 1 BOX 67A	0.140
489	A74-00216I	WILLIAM	SAGER	RR 1 BOX 69	0.100
611	A74-00216G	JOHN	STEPHENSON	RR 1 BOX 72	0.890
613	A74-00216F	TOM	STEPHENSON	RR 1 BOX 66E	0.030
654	A74-00218A	LYNN	THOMAS	P O BOX 215	1.400
655	A74-00220A	LYNN	THOMAS	P O BOX 215	0.760