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Little Weiser River  
Water District No. 63S

RE: Annual Water District Meeting Notice

Dear Mrs. Voermans:

Enclosed with this letter is a form which provides the Department information about the date, time, and location for your annual water district meeting. You should complete and return the form to the Department no later than **December 1, 1995**. The Department will print and mail notices to the water users in the district 15 days before the meeting. Please make certain the information is accurate and legible.

Also, enclosed is the Department's current mailing list for your district. We ask you to review the list and make any necessary name and/or address changes. Please return the edited mailing list along with the meeting form by **December 1, 1995**. If the existing list is not updated, the Department can not guarantee that all interested parties and/or valid water right holders will be notified of the annual meeting.

Under Idaho Code 42-605 all water users in a district must be notified by mail of the annual meeting. Please note, the Department must be contacted, and meeting notices sent for all water district meetings.

If you are no longer the acting water district secretary, please see that this correspondence is sent to the current secretary or watermaster. Should you have questions, please contact me at our Western Regional Office, phone 334-2190.

Sincerely,

John Westra

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The annual meeting of Water District 67-A was called to order by Lawson Howland at 1:30 P.M. on Monday, Jan. 23, 1995.

Lawson Howland and Whitney Voermans were retained as chairman and secretary-treasurer respectively for 1995.

The minutes were read and approved. Balance in the checking account is \$173.87 with the 94 taxes paid but one advertising bill for approx. \$11.00 to be paid when received.

The chairman reappointed Bob Voermans, Tom Green and Ralph Yantis to the Credentials Committee for 95.

David Birchard gave a water report for the 94 water year. He also reported on problems encountered in increasing the capacity of Ben Ross up two feet.

There was discussion of the urgency of raising the reservoir at this time. Issac Ward explained the proposed Galloway Dam has filed on water from the Little Weiser drainage to fill their reservoir. If we file and complete the raising of the reservoir within the prescribed time we could receive a more "senior" water right over the filing done for the Galloway Project.

Issac Ward also reported that the Little Weiser Irrigation Dist. is drafting some regulations and requirements which will help guide the watermaster.

Approval of the budget was discussed. It was noted by the treasurer that the "cushion" between income and expenses is getting smaller every year. A motion was made, seconded and passed to increase the assessment from 15¢ to 17¢. This should bring in approximately \$450.00 more per year. A motion was made by John Holmes to raise the salary for Sec.-Treas. from \$125. to \$225. per year. The motion was seconded and passed. The watermaster salary of \$3000. will remain the same for 1995.

Other business included a suggestion from Fern Little that the watermaster might use an answering machine to make it easier to reach him. Russell Wilkerson suggested that each ditch have a representative who could relay problems to the watermaster. It was decided that we try this and if there was still a problem that an answering machine might be considered next year.

Steve Lester, of the Idaho Dept. of Water Resources, reported that some progress is being made on the rejudication with some legal decisions expected soon which should help to clarify some of the present problems.

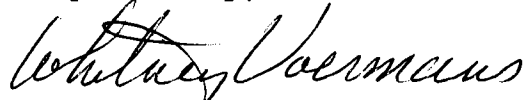
Steve also spoke to the problems faced by the watermaster in trying to regulate water when neither headgates or weirs are present. Laws provide water delivery to ditches with these devices installed and allow the watermaster to refuse delivery to ditches without headgates or even assess the water users a penalty depending on the situation.

Next order of business was election of watermaster for 1995. There were six people running for the job. They were: Norma Radcliff, Joe Holmes, Dick Kretten, Darren coriell, David Bichard and John Camp. Voting was done by water shares and the Credentials Committee decided to honor proxies from water users not able to attend the meeting. The present watermaster, David Bichard, was reelected for 1995.

Next years meeting will be the fourth monday in Jan.

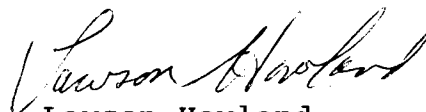
There being no further business. Lawson adjourned the meeting at 4 P.M.

Respectfully,



Whitney Voermans

Sec.-Treas.



Lawson Howland  
Chairman

Water Users at 95 Meeting

BOB VOERMANS  
ISSAC WARD  
JOHN SCHWENKFELDER  
JOE HOLMES  
ROYCE SCHWENKFELDER  
BROCK ROBBINS  
VICTOR WARD  
TOM GREEN  
FERN LITTLE  
SCOTTI YANTIS  
RON DUNHAM  
DEAN DUNHAM  
JOHN CAMP  
ALLEN BUCHANAN  
HATTIE NELSON  
DELBERT OGLE  
NORMA RATCLIFF  
GEORGIA WELLS  
MALCOLM HUEY  
MIKE HUEY  
GORDEN WILKERSON  
LISA SHINE  
RUSSELL WILKERSON  
ERMA COULTER ( NOLAN )  
JOAN COULTER  
DALE CORIELL  
DARRIN COROELL  
RICHARD KRETTEN  
STEVE LESTER IDWR  
JERRY JAEGER  
JOHN HOLMES  
TONY MORGENSEN  
WAYNE BURKHARDT  
WHITNEY VOERMANS  
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