

MEMORANDUM

Tim Luke

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TO: Keith or Norm

FROM: TIM LUKE

DATE: June 13, 1994

RE: Order Requiring Measuring Devices and Headgates

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Attached is another order for District 47C requiring measuring devices and controlling works which needs to be signed. This order is aimed specifically at House Creek and its tributaries. The House Creek drainage is another drainage in the district. Due to mis-communication between the watermaster and IDWR, House Creek was omitted from the first order which went out about two weeks ago. Some correspondence is included which documents the confusion.

I changed the order a little bit to require compliance only for permanent measuring devices and controlling works as of the 1995 irrigation season. This order for House Creek does not specifically require temporary measuring devices and controlling works as the earlier order for the other creeks in the water district did. The temporary requirement has been omitted because flows on House Creek and Little House Creek are low and because it is getting late in the season and will be difficult for users to install temporary devices. The users identified on the order are also users on other creeks in the District and have received the first order which requires both temporary and permanent devices on those creeks. The new order however does give the watermaster some direction to cope with the lack of measuring devices and controlling works on House Creek and its tributaries. The watermaster has advised me that it is already late in the season to expect much compliance with any temporary requirements on House Creek or other streams in the district. The watermaster is mainly interested at this time to have all users install proper measurement and control devices by the start of the 1995 irrigation season.