



State of Idaho
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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EASTERN REGION

NOVEMBER 30, 1999

DIRK KEMPTHORNE
GOVERNOR

KARL J. DREHER
DIRECTOR

MR. ALAN CHRISTENSEN
2920 WEST ARIMO ROAD
ARIMO, ID. 83214

WATER DISTRICT #29-B
STREAM: Garden Creek

Dear Mr. Christensen:

Enclosed herewith is a copy of the Watermaster's Annual Report for the past season.

The same has been prepared by the watermaster and approved by this Department in conformity with Sections 42-610, 42-614 and 42-615, Idaho Code.

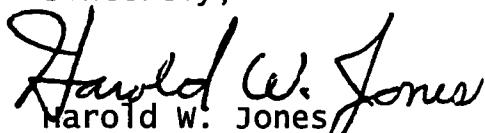
During the 1993 legislative session, the legislature enacted a new law which amends Section 42-619(9), Idaho Code and removes the independent financial audit requirement for most state water districts. The new law, referenced by Section 67-450B, Idaho Code (copy enclosed) identifies minimum audit requirements for all local government entities. Under the new statute, the governing body of any local government entity (i.e.; water district) whose annual budget does not exceed fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) has no minimum audit requirements under this section. This means that any district which handles its own money and whose budget is fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) or less does not have to have an independent public account firm conduct a financial audit every few years as previously required by Section 42-619(9).

Please note that only the statutory requirement regarding the independent financial audit has been changed. Districts handling their own fund (i.e.; districts who collect and/or disburse their own funds) must still submit their own statement of the water district's financial affairs at the end of each fiscal year. As recommended in the Department's February 16, 1993 letter and the 1993 Watermaster Handbook, a copy of the financial statement may be

submitted either with the annual water masters report or with the minutes of the annual meeting for the ensuing year. An example of an annual financial statement may be found in Appendix C of the 1993 Watermaster Handbook.

The purpose of this letter is to remind all water districts that workers compensation insurance is required for all water district employees. This requirement applies to all water districts in Idaho, regardless of annual budget. Insurance should be applicable at least to all paid water district staff, including the watermaster as well as watermaster assistants, advisory committee, secretary and treasurer. The costs associated with workers compensation insurance is paid directly by the water district and should be considered an expense of the district. For information about obtaining insurance costs etc., please contact the Idaho State Insurance Fund. The State Insurance Fund has offices in Boise, Couer d'Alene, Idaho Falls, Pocatello and Twin Falls. Water Districts are also reminded that all paid water district staff may be subject to state and federal taxes. These tax requirements will vary depending on salaries and total income of each watermaster or employee. In many water districts, particularly smaller districts with part-time staff, payment of watermaster or each employee. Districts may wish to contact the State Tax Commission or the Internal Revenue Service for information about state and federal withholding taxes.

Sincerely,


Harold W. Jones
Water Right Supervisor

HWJ:dn

Enclosure

WATERMASTER'S REPORT RECEIVED

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Department of Water Resources
Eastern Region

From May, 1999 To July, 1999

Water District No. 29-B
Name of Watermaster Dawn Ann Bradley
P.O. Address 14601 Hawkins Road, Arimo ID 83214

AFFIDAVIT OF WATERMASTER

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Department of Water Resources
Eastern Region

STATE OF IDAHO }
COUNTY OF Bannock } ss.

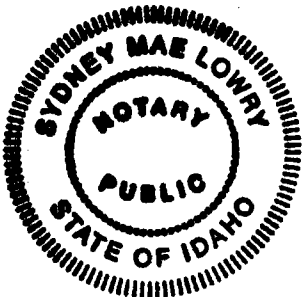
Dawn Ann Bradley, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is Watermaster of Water District #29B, having been lawfully appointed by Karl J. Dreher, Director, Idaho Department of Water Resources, and that the volumes of water, as stated in this report and prorated by him to the water right holders of the district are correct.

Dawn Ann Bradley
(Deputy) Watermaster District No. 29-B

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 28th day of September, 1999

Sydney Mae Lowry
Notary Public

(SEAL)



My Commission expires 1/28/00

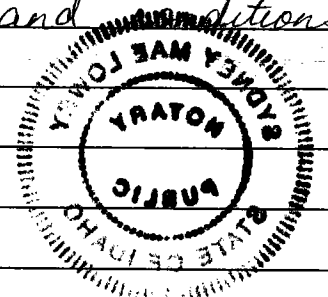
Boise, Idaho, _____, 19____

I HEREBY CERTIFY, that Dawn Ann Bradley was lawfully appointed by me as Water Master of Water District No. 29-B, and that the information contained in this report, as herein sworn to, is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, correct.

Karl J. Dreher
Director, Department of Water Resources

By J. C. Jones

WATER RIGHT OWNER	IDWR WATER RIGHT IDENT No.	DIVERSION NAME / REMARKS
1 Armstrong, Cecil	A29-00367A, 421 A29-11415	water will be used on a rotation basis above 200 miners inches. After water drops below 200 miners inches it will revert to old Ditch Company and Watermaster services will end.
2 Armstrong, Leland	A29-00417A, 00418A	
3 Bishard, Brent	A29-00381,	
4 Capell, Reed	well + spring rights filed no irrigation from Garden Creek	
5 Christensen, Klain	not on file	
6 Evans, John	A29-11442, 11462	
7 Hatley, Jack	A29-00405-406	
8 Marley, Wendell	A29-00365, 366	
9 Nester, Emery	A29-00407, 408	
10 Soler, Maurice	A29-00376, 377, 389, 390	
11 Wheatley, Bruce	A29-00374, 375, 383A, 384 10642	Users will be assessed \$7 ⁵⁰ per stream per day as long as fresh water exists. Water is issued as called for on a rotation and ^{so} it varies greatly depending on needs and conditions.
12 Meadow Brook	A29-00363, 385, 411, 412 11431	
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WD 29-B

May 1999

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9	10	11	12	13	14 Bruce W.	15 7.3-617" Bruce W.
16 7.2-604.50" Bruce W	17 7.5-643" Emery N	18 501.5 Emery N	19 726.5 Emery	20 703. Emery	21 811.5 Emery, John E. Derald A	22 824 Emery, John. Brent, Derald
811.5 Emery Brent, Brian Capell	24 875 Sheldon, Brian, Derald,	25 840.5 Sheldon, Brian Derald, Wendell	26 840.5 Sheldon, Brian, Wendell	27 801.5 Sheldon, Brian, Derald, Wendell	28 745.50 Sheldon, Leland, Brian, Derald, Wendel	29 751.50 Emery, Leland, Brian, Wendell
30 811.50 Emery, Leland, Brian, Wendell	31 875. Emery, Leland, Brian, Wendell					

18 days watermarks

June 1999

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1 751.50" Emery, Leland Brian, Wendell	2 693.50" Emery, Derald Wendall	3 849" Emery Wendell	4 693.50" Emery *Jim G. (Maurice's) Wendell	5 751.50 Emery Jim Wendell
6 703" Emery Jim Wendell	7 824" Emery Jim Wendell Maurice	8 715.50 Emery Jim Wendell Maurice	9 681.50 Emery Jim Wendell Maurice	10 635.50" Emery - Jim Derald, Wendell Maurice	11 582.00" Emery, Jim Wendell, Maurice	12 551 Emery, Jim Wendell Maurice
13 511" Emery Jim Wendell	14 482" Emery - Jim Wendell, Maurice	15 472.50" Emery, Jim Wendell, Maurice	16 445" Emery, Ralph Wendell, Jim Maurice	17 413" Emery, Ralph Wendell, Jim Maurice	18 391.50 Emery, Ralph Wendell, Jim Bruce, Maurice	19 397 Emery, Ralph Wendell, Jim Bruce, Maurice Brent.
20 383" Emery, Ralph Wendell, Jim Bruce, Brent	21 341" Emery, Ralph Wendell, Maurice	22 341" Emery, Ralph Wendell, John E. Maurice	23 343" Emery, Ralph John E, Jim Maurice	24 315" Emery, Ralph Jim, Maurice	25 306.50" Emery, Ralph Jim, Maurice	26 291" Emery, Ralph Leland, Jim Maurice
27 296.50 Emery, Brian C. Leland, Jim	28 280" Emery Brian Leland, Jim Maurice	29 262.50 Emery, Brian Leland, Jim Maurice	30 255" Emery Brian Jim			

30 days watermaster

* Jim Guthrie ^{least} Maurice Joler's
Jim ran one stream
Maurice ran on stream

July 1999

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1 255" Emery, Brian Jim, Wendell	2 236.30" Emery, Bruce, Jim, Wendell, Brent	3 236.30" Emery, Wendell, Bruce, Jim
4 216.9" Emery Wendell Klain	5 214.50 Emery Klain	6 209.40 Ralph Klain	7 192.40 Ralph Klain Jim	8 177.40" Ralph Klain Jim	9 177.40" Ralph Klain Jim	10 177.40" Ralph Klain Jim
11 170.40" Ralph Klain Jim	12 Begin Old Ditch turns	13	14	15	16	17
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25	26	27	28	29	30	31

11 day - watermaster