

State of Idaho DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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EASTERN REGION

DIRK KEMPTHORNE GOVERNOR

FEBRUARY 7, 2001 KARL J. DREHER DIRECTOR

KEITH BRAMWELL PO BOX 65 DUBOIS ID 83423

WATER DISTRICT #32-C STREAM: MEDICINE LODGE CREEK

Dear Mr. Bramwell:

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 week as watermaster assistants, advisory committee, The costs associated with workers secretary and treasurer. 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 The State Insurance Fund has offices in State Insurance Fund. 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 water districts, each watermaster or employee. In many 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

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Enclosure



From: March 2000 to March 2001

Water Dist.: 32-C

Source:

Medicine Lodge Creek

Tributary to: Sinks Clark County:

Secretary: Keith Bramwell

Watermaster:

Gregory A. Shenton

PO Box 33

Dubois, Idaho 83423 (208)374-5274

Assistant Watermaster: Bart May

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Department of Water Resources Eastern Region

AFFIDAVIT OF WATERMASTER

STATE OF IDAHO COUNTY OF CLARK

Gregory A.Shenton, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is (Deputy) Watermaster on MEDICINE LODGE CREEK 32-C, having been lawfully appointed by the Director, Department of Water Resources Karl J. Dreher and that the volumes of water, as stated in this report, prorated by him to the several users, are correct; that the sum of \$0 is justly due as stated.

	Watermaster District No. 32-	C
Subscribed and sworn to before me	e, this day of	ver
Boise	e, Idaho,	, 19
I HEREBY CERTIFY, That	Gregory A.Shenton	i .
was lawfully appointed by me (Dep		
services rendered prorated to the s	several users, as herein sworn to, i	is, to the best of my
knowledge and belief, correct.		! ;
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	Director, Department of Wa	ater Resources
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Source: Medicine Lodge Creek
Tributary to: Sinks
County: Clark
Date: 21-Nov-00 Minimum Charge: Secretary: Keith Bramwell Water Dist: 32-C Year: 0.00 2000 Assistant Watermaster: Watermaster: General Information Gregory A. Shenton PO Box 33 Dubois, Idaho 83423 (208)374-5230 Bart May

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Water Dist.: 32-C Year: 2000 Monthly Flow Totals
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2968 01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.60	26.59	97.00	464.00	99.20	104.00	62.00	0.00	0.00	108.39	260.65	87.36	108.50	293.88	159.34	80.64	55.00	108.50	102.50	279.00	77.50	149.42	88.74	31.00	99.20	May	Monthly	Month
2509.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	8.55	38.95	230.56	83.20	52.00	52.00	0.00	0.00	104.85	273.90	69.51	102.50	264.70	148.68	100.80	60.00	105.00	105.00	270.00	75.00	140.60	97.20	30.00	96.00	June	Monthly Totals of 24-Total Second Feet for Hilligation Season	Totals of 34 hou
1651.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	109.74	259.53	46.50	77.50	238.28	159.34	104.16	10.00	54.79	54.79	188.41	40.30	77.77	100.44	31.00	99.20	July	i second real	T Cocond East
1343.81	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0,00	0.00	0,00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	98.94	231.06	46.50	77.50	156.31	159.34	104.16	0.00	31.00	31.00	117.18	40.30	19.88	100.44	31.00	99.20	August	inganon d	for Irrigation C
1313.52	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	65.52	235.80	45.00	75.00	135.00	154.20	100.80	0.00	31.60	31.60	118.20	39.00	58.60	97.20	30.00	96.00	September	edso:	Parch
1443.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	95.58	243.66	46.50	77.50	96.60	159.34	104.16	0.00	57.40	57.40	186.39	40.30	47.55	100.44	31.00	99.20	October		
11452.31	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	25.60	35.14	135.95	760.00	182.40	156.00	114.00	0.00	0.00	583.02	1504.60	341.37	518.50	1184.77	1098.00	594.72	125.00	388.29	382.29	1159.18	312.40	493.82	584.46	184.00	588.80	Sec. Ft.	24-hour	Total

(\$2,398.41)	\$4,666.88	\$15,750.00	\$13,481.53	11452.31	Totals:
	\$136.22	\$136.22	\$0.00	0.00	Patrick McGarry
	\$102.42	\$102.42	\$0.00	0.00	Medicine Lodge Grazing
	\$174.92	\$174.92	\$0.00	0.00	Medicine Lodge Cattle
	\$35.80	\$35.80	\$0.00	0.00	Tom Stelzer
	\$36.20	\$36.20	\$0.00	0.00	Dusty & Susie Shifflett
	\$42.57	\$42.57	\$0.00	0.00	Medicine Lodge Ranches
	\$451.81	\$481.95	\$30.14	25.60	Medicine Lodge Ranches
	\$116.07	\$157.44	\$41.37	35.14	Lee Small
	\$14.71	\$174.75	\$160.04	135.95	Dean Shenton
(\$221.79)		\$672.87	\$894.66	760.00	Hoggan Brothers
	\$669.51	\$884.23	\$214.72	182.40	Medicine Lodge Ranches
	\$175.39	\$359.03	\$183.64	156.00	Medicine Lodge Ranches
	\$75.95	\$210.15	\$134.20	114.00	George Whittaker
	\$7.56	\$7.56	\$0.00	0.00	Don Key
	\$433.63	\$433.63	\$0.00	0,00	Medicine Lodge Ranches
	\$560.52	\$1,246.84	\$686.32	583.02	Thomas Eden
	\$1,341.52	\$3,112.72	\$1,771.20	1504.60	Elman Woodfield
(\$3.22)		\$398.64	\$401.86	341.37	Hoggan Brothers
(\$175.52)		\$434.85	\$610.37	518.50	Brion Egan
(\$53.94)		\$1,340.76	\$1,394.70	1184.77	Jack Webster
(\$61.02)		\$1,231.53	\$1,292.55	1098.00	Jack Webster
(\$280.17)		\$419.93	\$700.10	594.72	Jack McGarry
	\$241.42	\$388.57	\$147.15	125.00	Jack McGarry
(\$252.55)		\$204.54	\$457.09	388.29	Brion Egan
(\$418.72)		\$31.31	\$450.03	382.29	Gerald Holmes
(\$442.25)		\$922.32	\$1,364.57	1159.18	Dean Shenton
(\$27.25)		\$340.50	\$367.75	312.40	Thomas Edan
	\$50.65	\$631.97	\$581.32	493.82	Grant Ashcraft
(\$226.95)		\$461.07	\$688.02	584.46	Middle Creek Ranch
(\$50.41)		\$166.19	\$216.60	184.00	Kyle, Tod, John
(\$184.61)		\$508.52	\$693.13	588.80	Lee Small
		Budget	Cost	Sec. Feet	
Debit	Credit	Adopted	Total	24-hour	Water User
				Total	

Water Dist.: 32-C Year: 2000 Watermaster's Report

\$13,481.53 1.1771887	Total Cost: Cost per 24-hour Sec. Foot:
\$6,281.53	Other expenses charged pro rata: \$6,281.53 Total for season:
\$5,400.00	OR per season amount: \$5,400.00 Total for season:
	Total Salary of Assistant Watermaster: hours at per hour
\$1,800.00	OR per season amount:
	hours at per hour
	Total Salary of Watermaster:

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