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February 17, 2006

Robert L. Simpson
20502 Main St
Carey, ID 83320

RE: Water District 37-N, Upper Little Wood River

Dear Bob;

We have received the minutes of this year's water meeting showing that you have again been elected as watermaster of your district. We have also received your notarized oath of office. Your certificate of appointment for 2006 is enclosed. It looks like there will be a long water season this year – finally!

Regards,

James E. Stanton
Sr. Water Resource Agent



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Kathi Peck
PO Box 26
Carey, ID 83320

RE: Water District 37-N, Upper Little Wood River

Dear Mrs. Peck;

We have received the minutes of this year's water meeting showing that you have again been elected as treasurer of your district. We have also received your notarized oath of office. Your certificate of appointment for 2006 is enclosed.

Regards,

James E. Stanton
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Minutes of the annual watermaster election for Water District #37N held February 7, 2006, at the Carey City Hall at 1:00 p.m. Present were irrigation board members Jim Peterson, Richard Payne, Dar Parke and Boyd Stocking, Kathi Peck and Bob Simpson. Other waterusers attending were Jerry Cenarrusa, Creg Hansen, Greg Mann, Verd Murdock, Dusty Simpson and Robb Peck.

Chairman Dick Payne called the meeting to order and asked for nominations for a meeting chairman. Dar nominated Dick, Jerry seconded the motion, and voting was unanimous. The chairman then asked for nominations for a meeting secretary. Dar nominated Kathi Peck to serve as the secretary, Jerry again seconded and the voting was unanimous.

Bob Simpson then presented the watermaster budget for 2006, which included a small increase in salary as well as benefits amounts. Jerry suggested that the salary amount should be increased another \$1000, because of the outstanding job Bob does and the extra time and work he puts into the job. He made a motion to that effect, moving that the budget be approved as presented with an additional \$1000 in salary. Dar seconded and voting was unanimous.

The chairman asked for nominations for watermaster. Jerry nominated Bob Simpson and Dar seconded and voting was again unanimous. Dick then asked for nominations for a district secretary. Jerry nominated Kathi as the secretary, Dar seconded and voting was unanimous.

Bob then presented the current water and snow conditions and the runoff forecast for the spring. He noted that the hydro plant had been started on February 1st, and that the reservoir would be dropped down to 5000 a/f in anticipation of alot of water coming down the canyon soon.

Bob also reported about the efforts to find funding for the proposed gravity pipeline through the valley. He recently sent off a federal funding request to Congress for the next phase of the project.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:05 p.m.



Kathi Peck, Meeting Secretary

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