



**State of Idaho**

**DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES**

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March 15, 2010

C. L. "BUTCH" OTTER  
Governor

GARY SPACKMAN  
Interim Director

Aleta M Ries  
PO Box 68  
Leadore ID 83464

RE: Secretary / Treasurer Appointment for Water District 74W

Dear Aleta:

A treasurer is not required if the County Treasurer provides collection and payment services for the district. The District must elect a treasurer if the Water District collects and pay expenses on its own, or if the county collects expenses but does not provide payment of expenses. Prior to assuming the duties of office, a treasurer must complete an Oath of Office and sign it before a notary and return the oath to the Department of Water Resources if their adopted budget is over \$3000.00 a year. The State will issue a certificate to the treasurer confirming an appointment once the signed and notarized has been received.

Any Water District having an annual budget of \$3000.00 or less may adopt a resolution at the annual meeting to authorize the Watermaster to serve as Water District Treasurer. Only one Oath of Office is required if the Watermaster also serves as treasurer. Watermasters in Water District with annual budges exceeding \$3000.00 shall not be authorized to act as Water District treasurer.

If your budget is over \$3000.00, please sign the enclosed Oath of Office in front of a notary and return to us as soon as possible.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully submitted,

Sharla Cox  
Administrative Assistant

Enclosure



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March 31, 2010

Dan P Smith  
PO Box 22  
Leadore ID 83464

**RE: WATER DISTRICT #74W**

Dear Watermaster:

Your **CERTIFICATE OF APPOINTMENT** is enclosed herewith. You will, therefore, take charge of the waters of such district and distribute the same in accordance with the law and the decrees of the courts to the various users in such district in accordance with the terms and conditions of their respective rights, and perform such other duties as may be required by the Department of Water Resources, under the laws of the State of Idaho. You are hereby requested to assume your duties at once and continue thereat until the necessity therefore shall cease.

Please feel free to call upon this office whenever we can be of assistance to you. We shall have a personal interest in the success of your year's work and desire to keep in as close touch with you as conditions will permit.

Respectfully submitted,

Dennis Dunn  
Senior Water Rights Agent

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Kelly Smith  
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Leadore ID 83464

Re: Water District #74W

Dear Water Master:

We are still waiting for the following forms to be sent to our office. **Please keep in mind that until all these forms are approved by this office, no watermaster can be officially appointed.**

- ( ) Watermaster Report
- ( ) Proposed Budget
- ( ) Annual Meeting minutes
- ( ) Adopted Budget
- ( ) Oath of Office (for the Watermaster)
- (X) Petition for Watermaster's Services

Since we need all of these forms in the office before the Certificate can be sent, please submit no later than March 29, 2010 (14 days of this letter).

Sincerely,

Sharla Cox  
Administrative Assistant

BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES  
OF THE STATE OF IDAHO

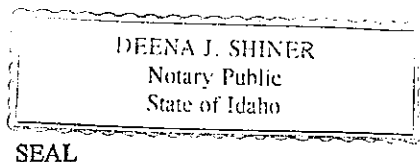
State of Idaho )  
County of Lemhi ) ss

Official Oath

I do solemnly swear or affirm that I will support the Constitution of the United States, the Constitution and laws of the State of Idaho, specifically including the provisions of Section 42-605 and 42-607, Idaho Code, and that I will faithfully discharge all the duties of the office of Watermaster of District 74-W for the 2010 irrigation season or \_\_\_\_\_ calendar year of \_\_\_\_\_ according to the best of my ability. So help me God.

Kelly Smith  
Watermaster

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 7<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2010.



Deena J. Shiner  
Notary Public  
Residing At Lemhi  
Commission Expires 10-1-2011

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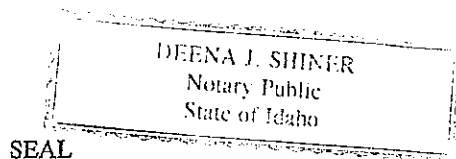
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Don P. Smith  
Watermaster

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 10th day of March, 2010.



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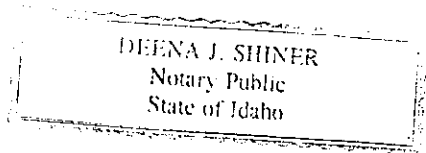
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I do solemnly swear or affirm that I will support the Constitution  
Of the United States, and the Constitution and laws of the State of Idaho,  
specifically including the provisions of Sec. 42-619, Idaho Code, and that I will  
faithfully discharge all the duties of the office of treasurer of Water  
District 74-W for the calendar year of 2010 according to the best of  
my ability. So help me God.

Al M. Reis  
Treasurer

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 10th day of May 2010

Seal



Deena J. Shiner  
Al M. Reis  
Notary Public

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PETITION FOR WATERMASTER'S SERVICES

Leadore, Idaho  
4-2, 2010

RE: Water District No. 74-W

Stream: \_\_\_\_\_

TO: IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

I, the undersigned, owner or manager of ditches or person controlling ditches in Water District No. 74-W, hereby request the services of a watermaster for the reason that there is a necessity for the use and control of the waters of the District.

NAME OF WATERMASTER: Kelly J Smith

ADDRESS OF WATERMASTER: Box 22

Leadore, Idaho 83464

PHONE NUMBER: 1-208-768-2111

Date watermaster is to start: April 15<sup>th</sup> 2010

If known, the date services of watermaster are to terminate: Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> 2009

Alet M. Ri  
signature

SECRETARY  
address

208-768-2442  
telephone

W A R N I N G: Watermaster cannot begin services until ALL conditions of appointment have been fulfilled.

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Eastern Region



PETITION FOR WATERMASTER'S SERVICES

Leadore Idaho  
March 2010

RE: Water District No. 74-W  
Stream: Big Timber Creek, Little Timber Creek  
Hawley Creek, Canyon Creek, Texas Creek  
TO: IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

I, the undersigned, owner or manager of ditches or person controlling ditches in Water District No. 74-W, hereby request the services of a watermaster for the reason that there is a necessity for the use and control of the waters of the District.

NAME OF WATERMASTER: Dan Smith

ADDRESS OF WATERMASTER: Box 22  
Leadore, Idaho 83464

PHONE NUMBER: 1-208-768-2111

Date watermaster is to start: April 15<sup>th</sup> 2010

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Laura Warren 28 Adams Ranch Rd. 208-768-2406  
signature address telephone

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Eastern Region

*State of Idaho*  
*Department of Water Resources*  
***Certificate of Appointment***

*This is to certify that I have on this day appointed* Aleta M Ries *as*  
Treasurer *of* Water District 74W *for*  
the 2010 irrigation season thru the 2011 annual meeting elections *or until his successor is*  
*appointed and qualified under the provisions of Sections* 42-619 *,*  
*Idaho Code, at such rate of compensation as established by applicable law.*



*This certificate has been issued and the seal of the*  
*Director fixed at Boise, Idaho, this* 11th  
*day of* May *, 20* 10 *.*

*Gary Spackman*

*Interim Director*

*State of Idaho*  
*Department of Water Resources*  
***Certificate of Appointment***

*This is to certify that I have on this day appointed* Dan P Smith *as*  
Watermaster *of* Water District 74W *for*  
the 2010 irrigation season *or until his successor is*  
*appointed and qualified under the provisions of Sections* 42-605 *,*  
*Idaho Code, at such rate of compensation as established by applicable law.*



*This certificate has been issued and the seal of the*  
*Director fixed at Boise, Idaho, this* 31st  
*day of* March *, 20* 10 *.*



*Interim Director*

*State of Idaho*  
*Department of Water Resources*  
***Certificate of Appointment***

*This is to certify that I have on this day appointed* Kelly Smith *as*  
Watermaster *of* Water District 74W *for*  
the 2010 irrigation season *or until his successor is*  
*appointed and qualified under the provisions of Sections* 42-605 *,*  
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*Interim Director*