

WATER DISTRICT INFORMATION SHEET

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2018  
Year

74 A Geertson Creek RD  
Water District # / Stream Name

Rockie Walker  
Watermaster Name

569 Hwy 28 Salmon ID.  
Address

(208) 756-7686  
Phone Number, Home / Cell

E-Mail Address

N/A  
Assistant Watermaster Name

—  
Address

—  
Phone Number, Home / Cell

E-Mail Address

Valerie Olson  
Secretary Name

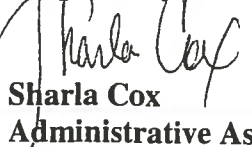
151 Geertson Creek RD - Salmon ID  
Address

208 756-2463  
Phone Number, Home / Cell

volson59@gmail.com  
E-Mail Address

Please print in the blank information above and return it to the Idaho Department of Water Resources. Your cooperation on this matter would be greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
Sharla Cox  
Administrative Assistant

## **Annual Water Meeting**

**March 6, 2018**

**District 74-A Geertson Creek**

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The annual water meeting was called to order at the Brooklyn Annex 4-H room on March 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 7:00 pm. Those in attendance were: Brain Adams, Kathy Adams, Bert Jeffries, Rikka Jeffries, Rockie Walker, Leanne Walker, Sarah Leon, Verdell Olson, Valerie Olson, Nathan Stokes & Cindy Yenter (IDWR).

The meeting was called to order by Bert, and Cindy introduced herself. Last year's minutes were read by Valerie, there were no corrections of the minutes. Valerie passed out a copy of the profit & loss sheet to all members. She proposed that we have a small fee increase on the water tax, as we are spending more than taking in. The fee increase would be a 10% increase of all water users. A copy of last year's fee and a comparison with the new fee was given to all water users. Verdell motioned to go forward with the increase and Brian seconded.

Bert passed out a "repair request to ditch owners" sheet to all in attendance that was created by Rockie. Bert then read each request and it was agreed by Cindy that all listed repairs were legitimate. Bert said all repairs needed to be addressed & fixed before water could be turned to that user. Rikka seconded this motion.

Cindy then spoke to the members about some important issues, such as insurance, legal entities & new rights with water laws. She said our district was doing a good job and covering all areas that are required by the water department.

Nominations then took place for Chairman, Verdell nominated Bert and was seconded by Brian. Brian nominated Valerie for secretary, this was seconded by Rikka. Rikka nominated Rockie to continue as water master & Sarah seconded.

The district thanked Rockie for doing such a great job & making himself available when needed.

The proposed budget for 2018 will be as follows:

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**Water Master Repair Request to ditch owners "2018"**

**Tonsmeire** - Ditch above weir need cleaned & low spot built up to stop water from leaking out of ditch.

**Water is under cutting bank at diversion, needs to be put under pressure.**

**Vergil Olson** – Tree growing around weir needs removed so water levels can be checked. Weir is out of level side to side .

**Verdell Olson** – Shaved Weir is leaking under structure.

**Boyd Stokes** – Upper Ranch – Diversion head gate needs replaced & weir needs to be in a flatter area for more accurate measurement.

**Sara Leon** – Weir needs leveled above Boyd's lower diversion

**Gulch head gate needs repaired and weir rebuilt.**

**Martin Ranch** – Weir by haystack across the creek is grown in by trees and needs repaired, water is leaking underneath it.

**All plugs on the creek need cleaned out so that the water stays in the creek for all water users.**

ADOPTED BUDGET AND RESOLUTIONS  
PERTAINING TO THE COLLECTION THEREOF

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WATER DISTRICT NO. 74A  
STREAM Geertson Creek  
COUNTY Lewhi  
NAME OF SECRETARY Valerie Olson  
ADDRESS OF SECRETARY 151 Geertson Creek RD  
Salmon, ID. 83467

COLLECTION AND HOLDING OF WATER DISTRICT FUNDS

Please check the appropriate box regarding the collection and holding of Water District funds.

- ☒ The Water District collects and holds its own funds.
- ☐ \_\_\_\_\_ County collects and holds funds for the Water District.  
(county name)
- ☐ \_\_\_\_\_ County collects the Water District's funds and deposits the funds in an account  
(county name) held by the Water District.

(This report must be certified and made in duplicate, one copy to be forwarded to the appropriate regional office of the Idaho Department of Water Resources, and one copy to the Secretary of the Annual Water User's Meeting of the Water District. If a designated county collects funds for the water, then a third copy must be sent to the auditor of the designated county.)

Salmon, Idaho, 83467, 20 18

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the within is true and correct copy of the budget as adopted at the annual Water User's Meeting of Water District No. 74A, held at Brooklyn Annex, 4-H room on the 6 day of March, 20 18 and all resolutions adopted at said meeting pertaining to the time and the manner of collecting the amounts provided for in the said budget.

Valerie Olson  
Secretary, Water District No. 74A

## OF THE WATER USERS

Estimated Amount for Watermaster's Salary .....\$ 2,400.00

Estimated Amount for Assistant Watermaster and other Water District Officials .....\$ 200.00

Estimated Amount for Other Expenses .....\$ 508.90

### DISTRIBUTION OF THE BUDGET AMONG USERS

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**C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER**  
Governor

**GARY SPACKMAN**  
Director

Valerie Olson  
151 Geertson Creek Rd  
Salmon ID 83467

RE: WATER DISTRICT #74A

Dear Secretary / Treasurer:

We acknowledge receipt of the Minutes of the Annual Watermaster's Election Meeting held in your district. The Watermaster Certificate will be sent under separate cover.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Sharla Cox  
Administrative Assistant