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Jeff:

Heard you wondered if we had a list of Grays Creek Ditch users. I made a list couple months ago based on probable rights per POD location at the river. Appears most rights list 1 QQ while some list an adjacent QQ. Also, Little Weiser Irrigation District conveys storage water (67-2385, 67-7878) to some of the ditch users via reservoir to river to ditch.

Word is that newly elected ditch directors from March 2012 meeting have another willing ditch manager candidate but will not appoint him for some reason. Original manager they appointed resigned. Far as I know, few if any people have controllable & measurable diversions along the ditch. Also, remains unknown if alleged problem site for about 3 owners (3-way splitter) is terminal end of the main ditch or a lateral from the main ditch. Believe it is the former based on field visits, which suggests all ditch users are part of whatever happens instead of just 3-way splitters. Good legal question. As I mentioned before, Phil Rassier said all users are part of the lateral group, not just some.

List attached.

Steve