

**April 18, 2023**

# **IDAHO WATER ADJUDICATIONS – MONTHLY INFORMATIONAL MEETING**

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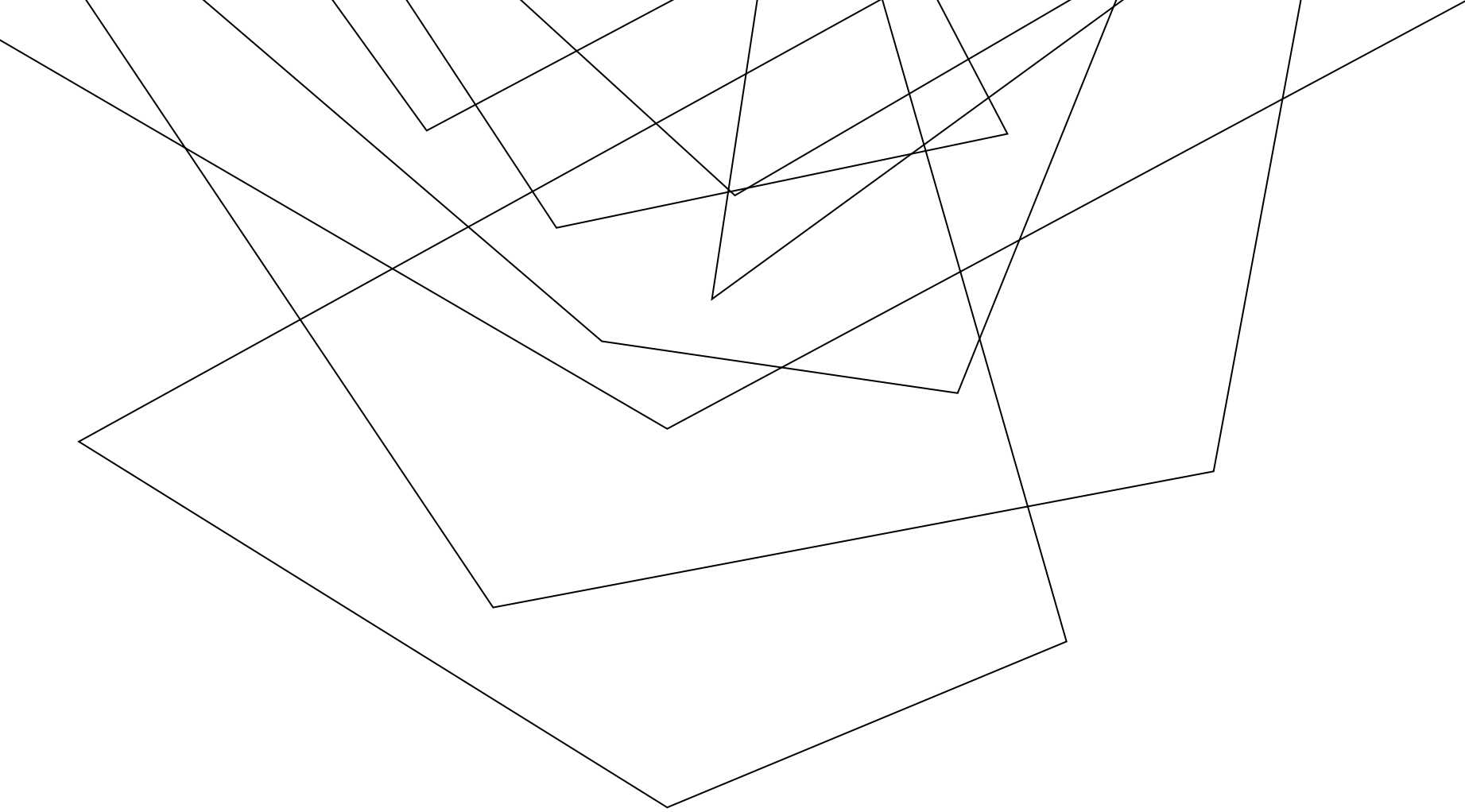


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## DISCUSSION ITEMS

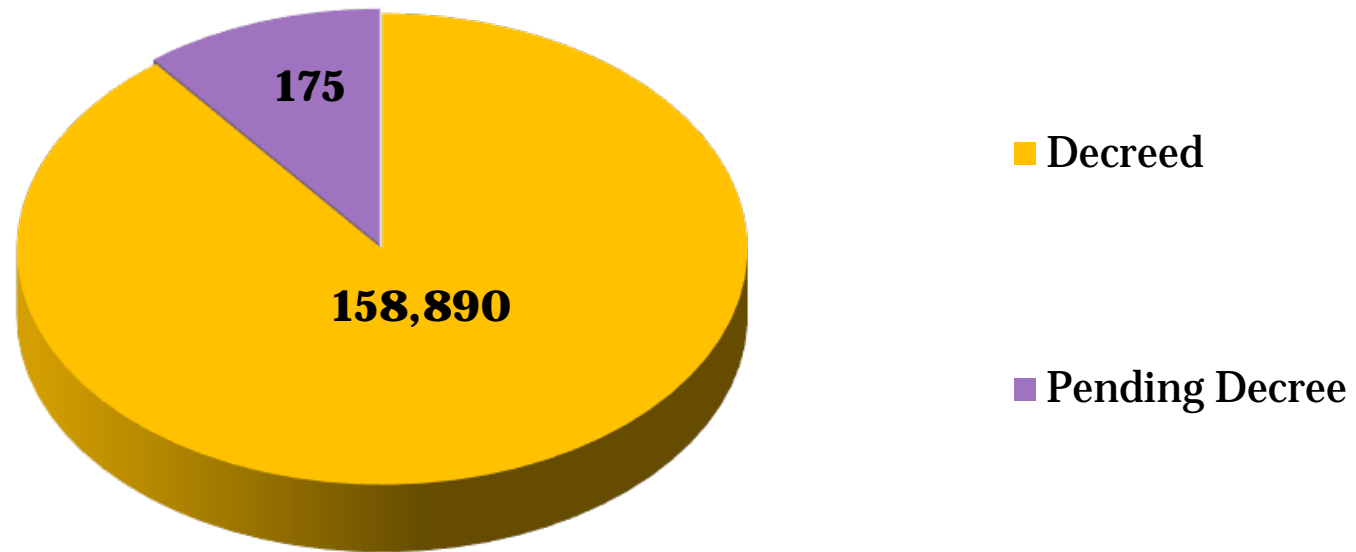
- Snake River Basin Adjudication
- Coeur d'Alene – Spokane River Basin Adjudication
- Palouse River Basin Adjudication
- Clark Fork – Pend Oreille River Basins Adjudication
- Bear River Basin Adjudication
- Other General Matters



SRBA

# SRBA SUMMARY AS OF APRIL 7, 2023

**Number of Water Rights**



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# MOTION FOR DETERMINATION OF DE MINIMIS D&S RIGHT FILED BUT AWAITING AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

Count	Claimant	Subcase #(s)	Motion Filed	Next Step
1	Thompson	65-24131	4/18/2022	Waiting on Claimant to file Affidavit
1	Kittrell	75-15065	2/17/2023	Waiting on Claimant to file Affidavit
1	Downing	83-11998	11/8/2022	Waiting on Claimant to file Affidavit
1	Ackley	86-12137	10/22/2021	Waiting on Claimant to file Affidavit

## WAITING FOR IDWR TO SUBMIT NOTICE OF EXAMINATION

Count	Claimant	Subcase #(s)	Affidavit Filed	Next Step
1	Barrett	75-15064	3/3/2023	IDWR to submit Notice of Examination



# AWAITING DIRECTOR'S REPORT BY IDWR

Count	Claimant	Subcase #(s)	Director's Report Due	Next Step
3	Grover Trust	23-11508, 23-11509, 23-11510	5/2/2023	IDWR to submit DR
14	Williams	29-14388 to 29-14399 and 61-12467 to 61-12470	6/6/2023	IDWR to submit DR
1	Rosler	63-35200	6/9/2023	IDWR to submit DR
2	Butters-Ogle	86-12135, 86-12136	6/9/2023	IDWR to submit DR
7	Halvorson	86-12145 thru 86-12151	11/9/2023	IDWR to submit DR
1	Konen LLC	85-15821	12/8/2023	IDWR to submit DR
1	Willow Creek Vista LLC	65-24171	12/8/2023	IDWR to submit DR
1	Drake	63-11858	1/19/2024	IDWR to submit DR
1	Frost	63-35332	1/19/2024	IDWR to submit DR
1	Miller	85-15834	1/19/2024	IDWR to submit DR
1	Wolff	86-12158	1/19/2024	IDWR to submit DR
2	Nance	63-35326, 63-35327	4/15/2024	IDWR to submit DR
1	Renfrow	86-12161	4/15/2024	IDWR to submit DR
1	Greer	86-12160	4/15/2024	IDWR to submit DR

# AWAITING PARTIAL DECREE

Count	Claimant	Subcase #(s)	DR Filed	Hearing on Uncontested
1	Gallant	67-15210	6/8/2022	11/15/2022
33	Hagenbarth – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Group	21-13289 thru 21-13308; 31-12507 thru 31-12519	9/12/2022	2/21/2023
1	Cushman	65-24028	11/11/2022	3/21/2023
1	Walla	65-35120	1/16/2023	6/20/2023
3	Vaughan	29-14413, 29-14414, 29-14415	1/17/2023	6/20/2023
1	Ward	86-12133	2/24/2023	8/15/2023



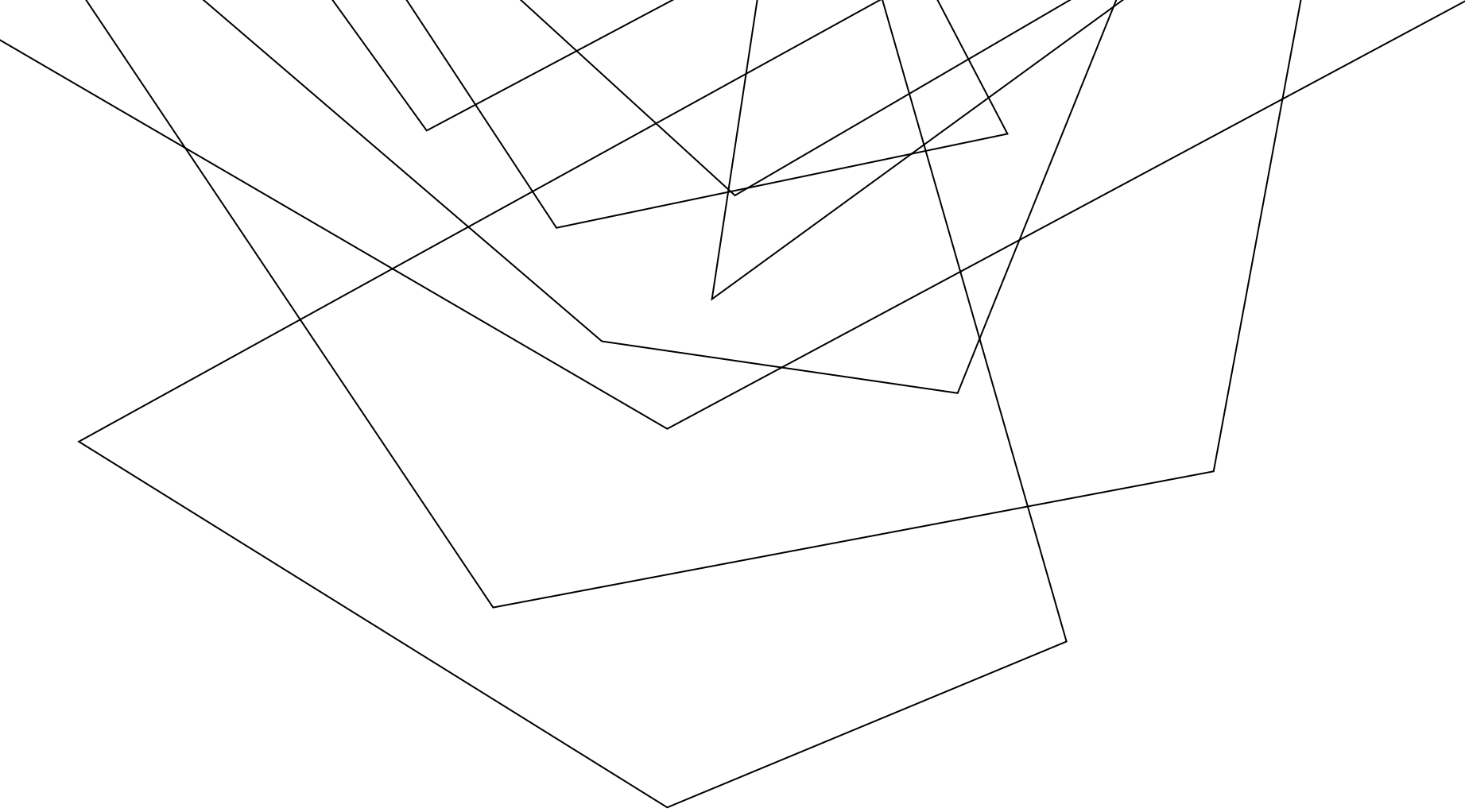
# DIRECTOR'S REPORT ISSUED WITH OUTSTANDING OBJECTIONS

Count	Claimant	Subcase #(s)	DR Filed	Objection Filed
27	Hood	67-15263 et al	9/21/2021	11/23/2021
48	Collett	55-14030 et al	1/14/2022	3/14/2022
1	Parke	43-13796	9/13/2021	9/23/2021
1	Cegnar Land LLC	57-12068	4/20/2022	6/7/2022
2	Gallant	67-15211, 67-15212	6/8/2022	5/24/2019*
11	Hagenbarth – 1 <sup>st</sup> Group	31-12488 et al.	6/1/2022	7/26/2022
2	Gallant	67-15208, 67-15209	6/8/2022	8/8/2022

\*Objection to the claim filed before Director's Report

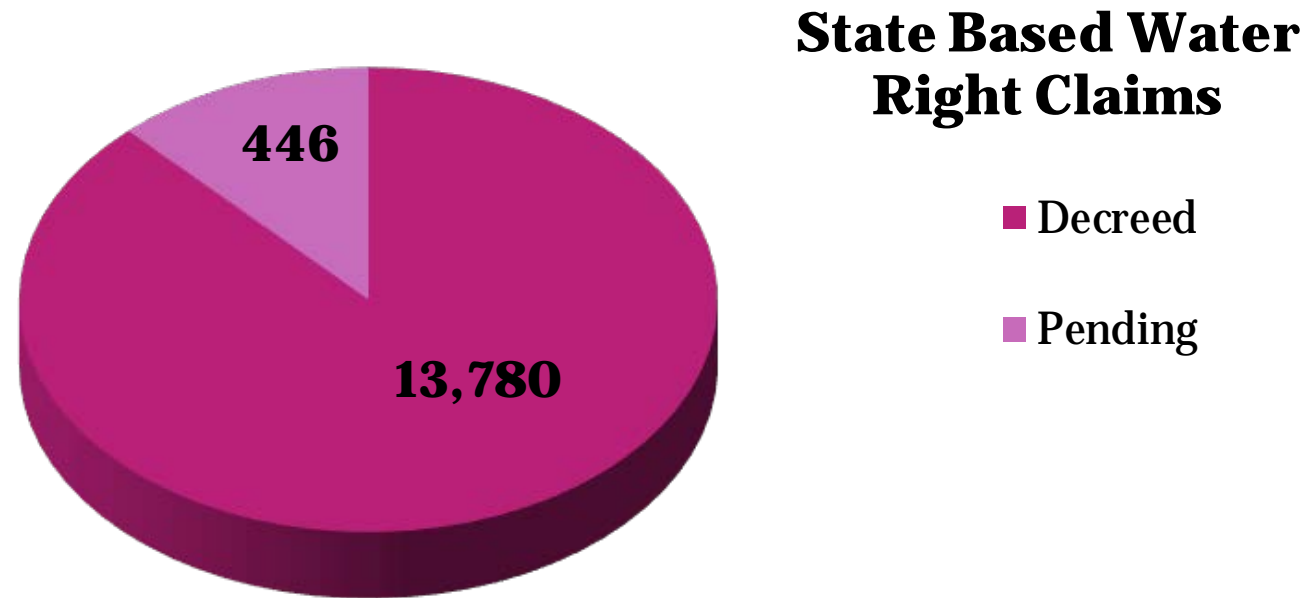
# PARTIAL DECREE ISSUED

Count	Claimant	Subcase #(s)	Final Order
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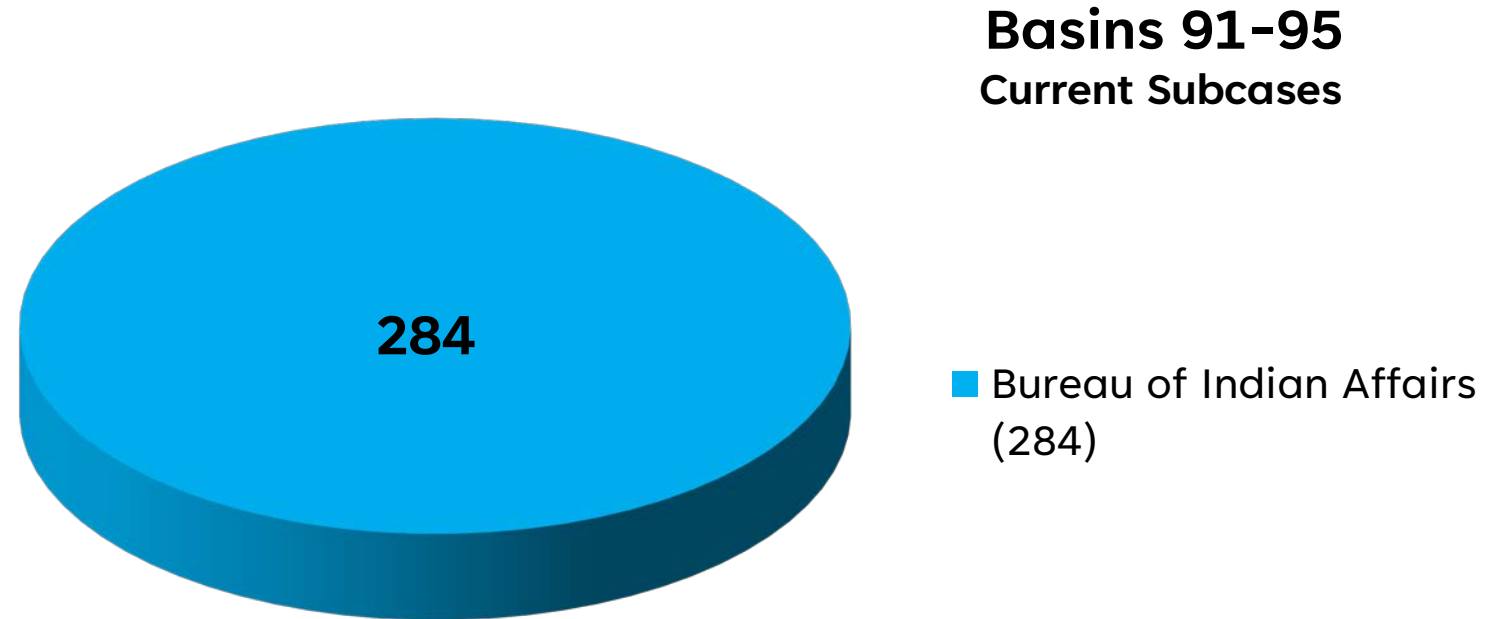


CSRBA

# CSRBA SUMMARY AS OF APRIL 7, 2023



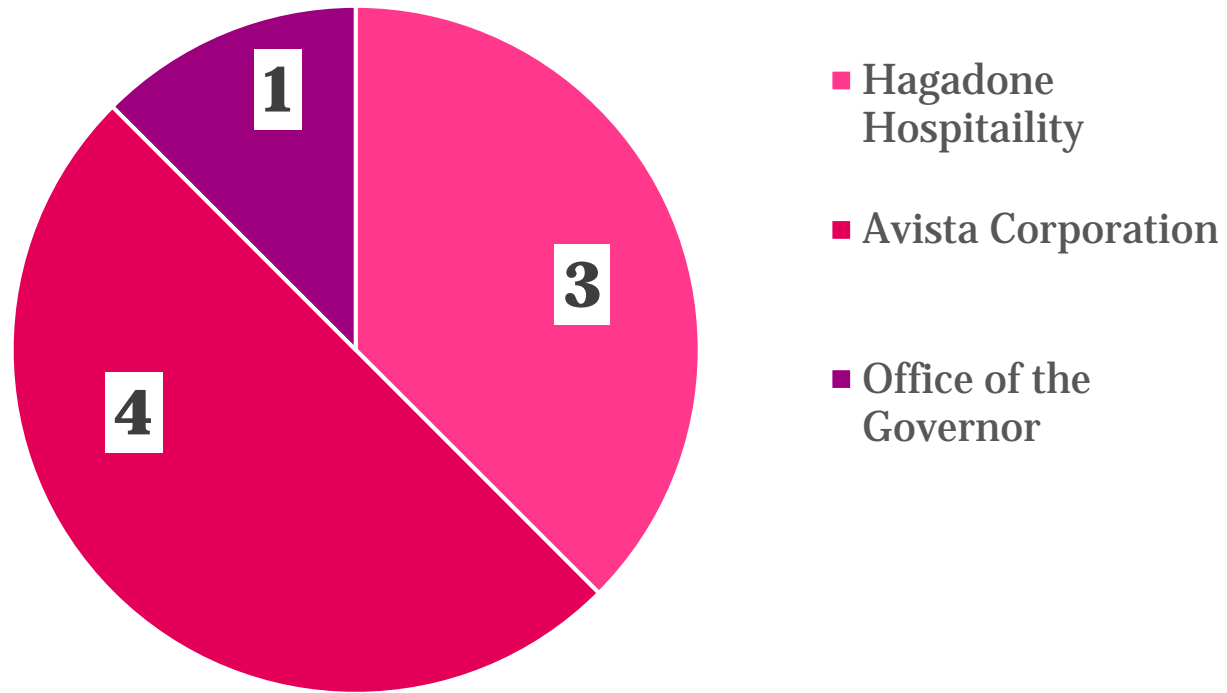
# CSRBA FEDERAL RESERVED CLAIMS



# BASIN 95 PART 1

## SUBCASES FOR WHICH OBJECTIONS ARE UNRESOLVED

### 11 OBJECTIONS TO 8 CONTESTED SUBCASES

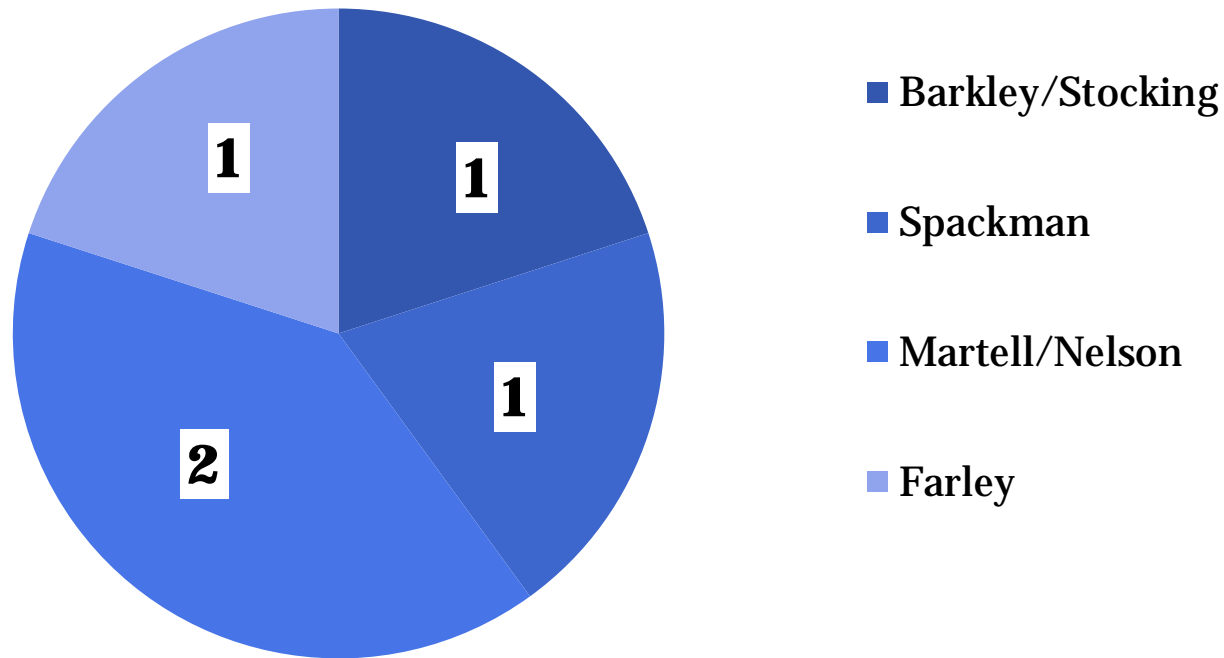


Director's Report filed August 2, 2018, Response July 1, 2019.  
**5,313 State Based Rights (5,028 Active –285 Disallowed)**  
Special Master Bilyeu

# BASIN 95 PART 2

## SUBCASES FOR WHICH OBJECTIONS ARE UNRESOLVED

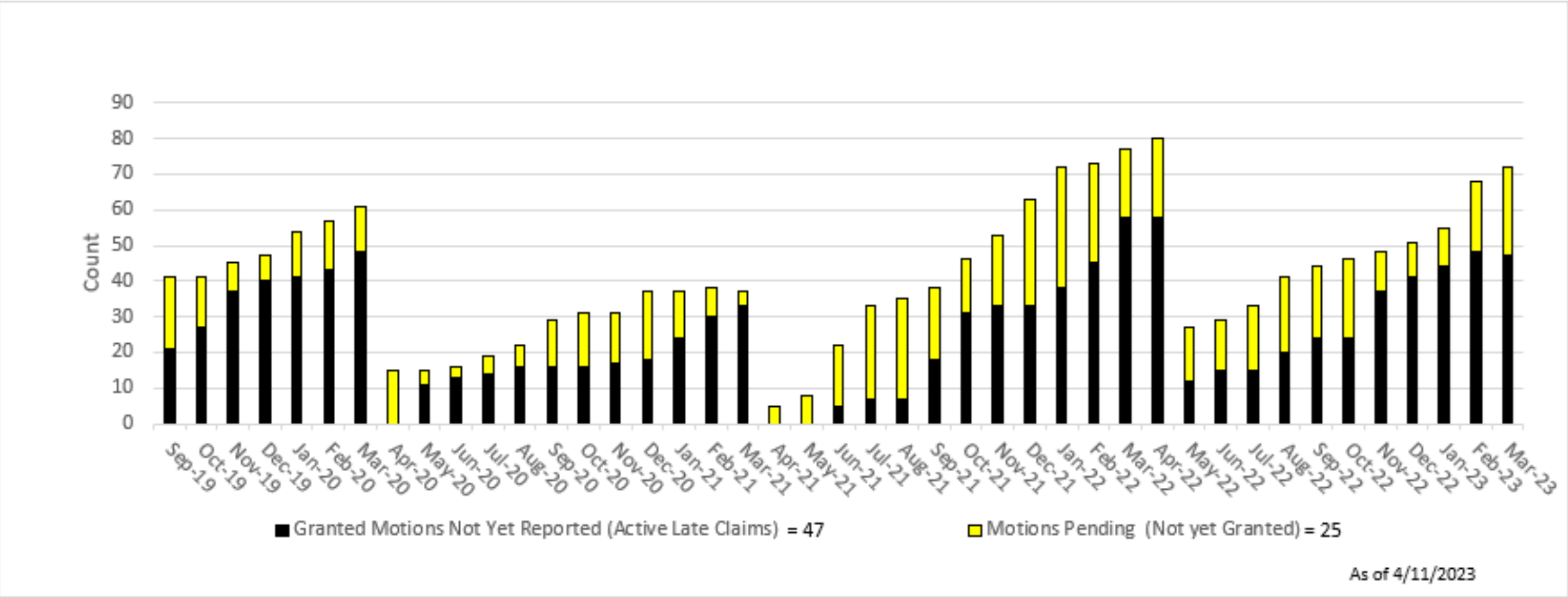
### 9 OBJECTIONS TO 5 CONTESTED SUBCASES

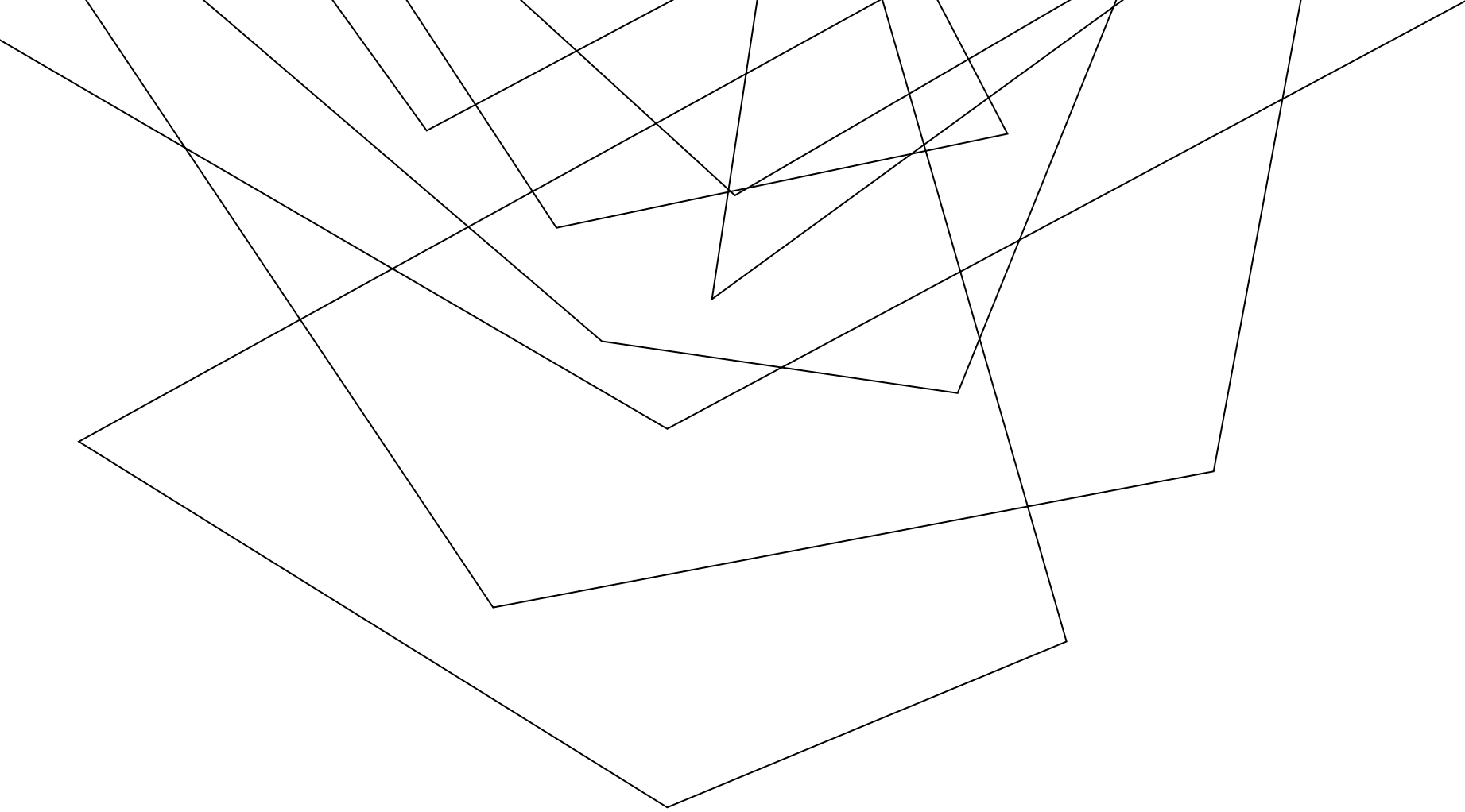


Director's Report filed February 26, 2019, Response August 20, 2019.  
**2,566 State Based Rights (2,379 Active –187 Disallowed)**  
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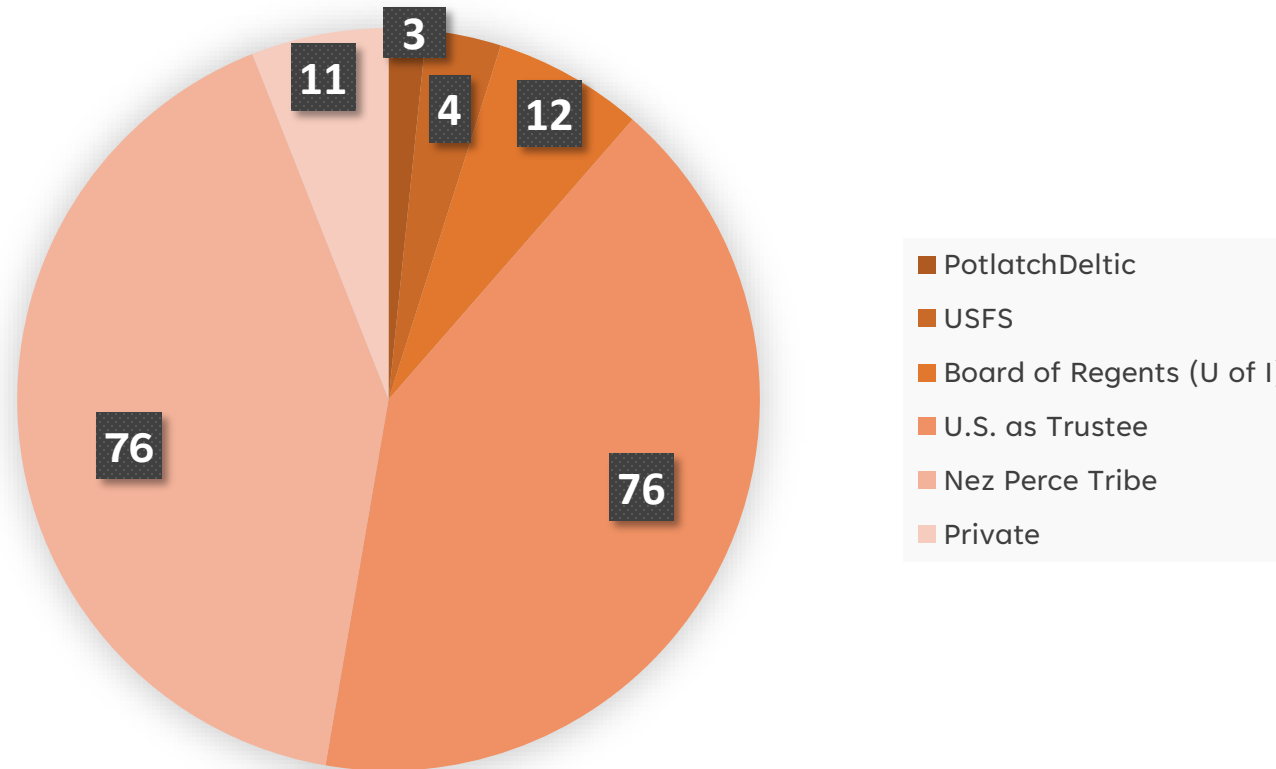
# CSRBA – SUMMARY OF LATE CLAIMS





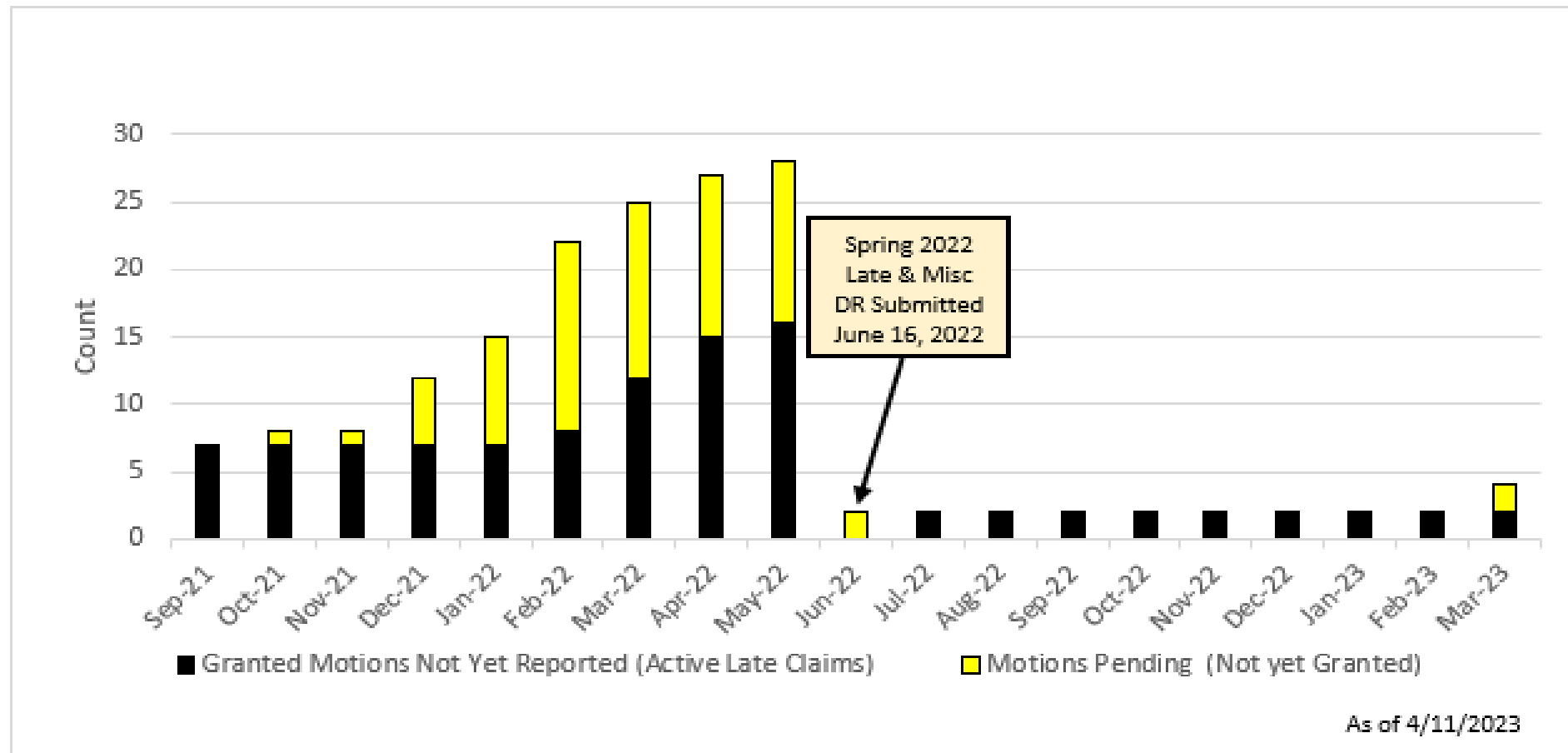
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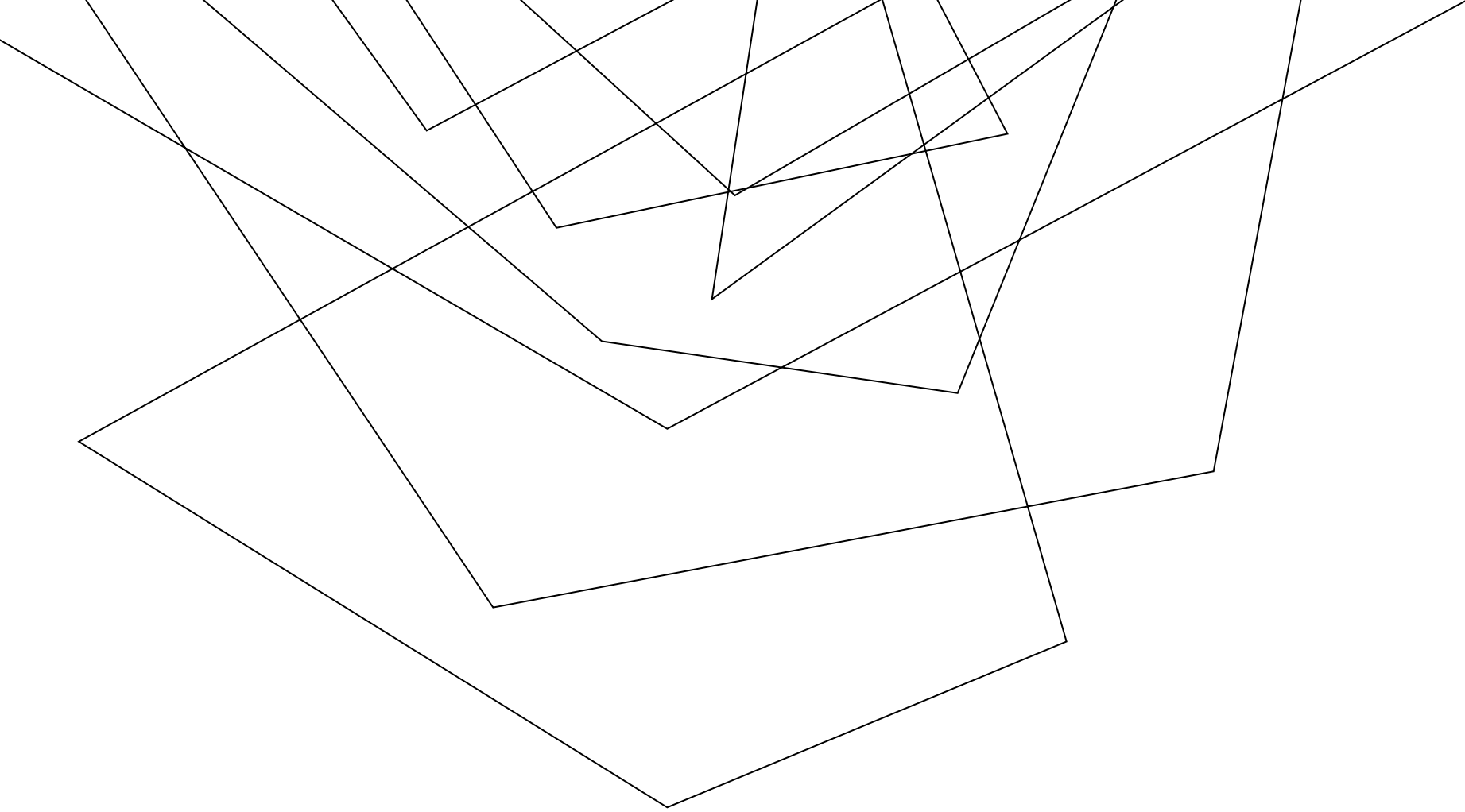
PRBA-- BASIN 87  
SUBCASES FOR WHICH OBJECTIONS ARE UNRESOLVED  
182 OBJECTIONS TO 101 CONTESTED SUBCASES



Director's Report filed August 2, 2021, Response April 8, 2022.  
**1,987 State Based Rights (1,894 Active –93 Disallowed)**  
Special Master Bilyeu

# PRBA – POST DIRECTOR’S REPORT CLAIM COUNT (LATE AND MISCELLANEOUS CLAIMS)





CFPRBA

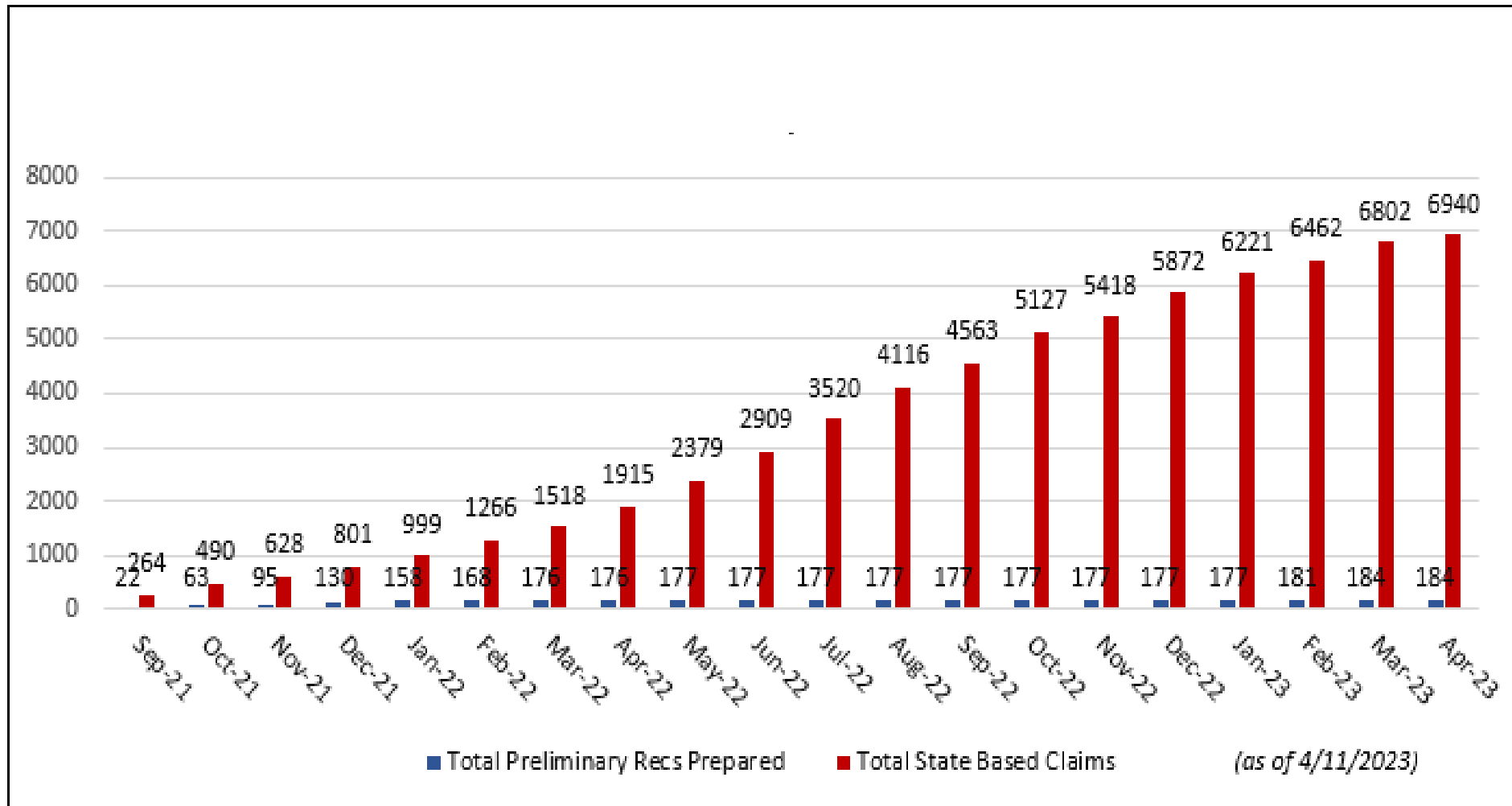
# CFPRBA UPDATES

- IDWR Claim Taking Workshop was held April 4-6 in Ponderay
- Staff has started work on claim recommendations for the first part of Basin 97

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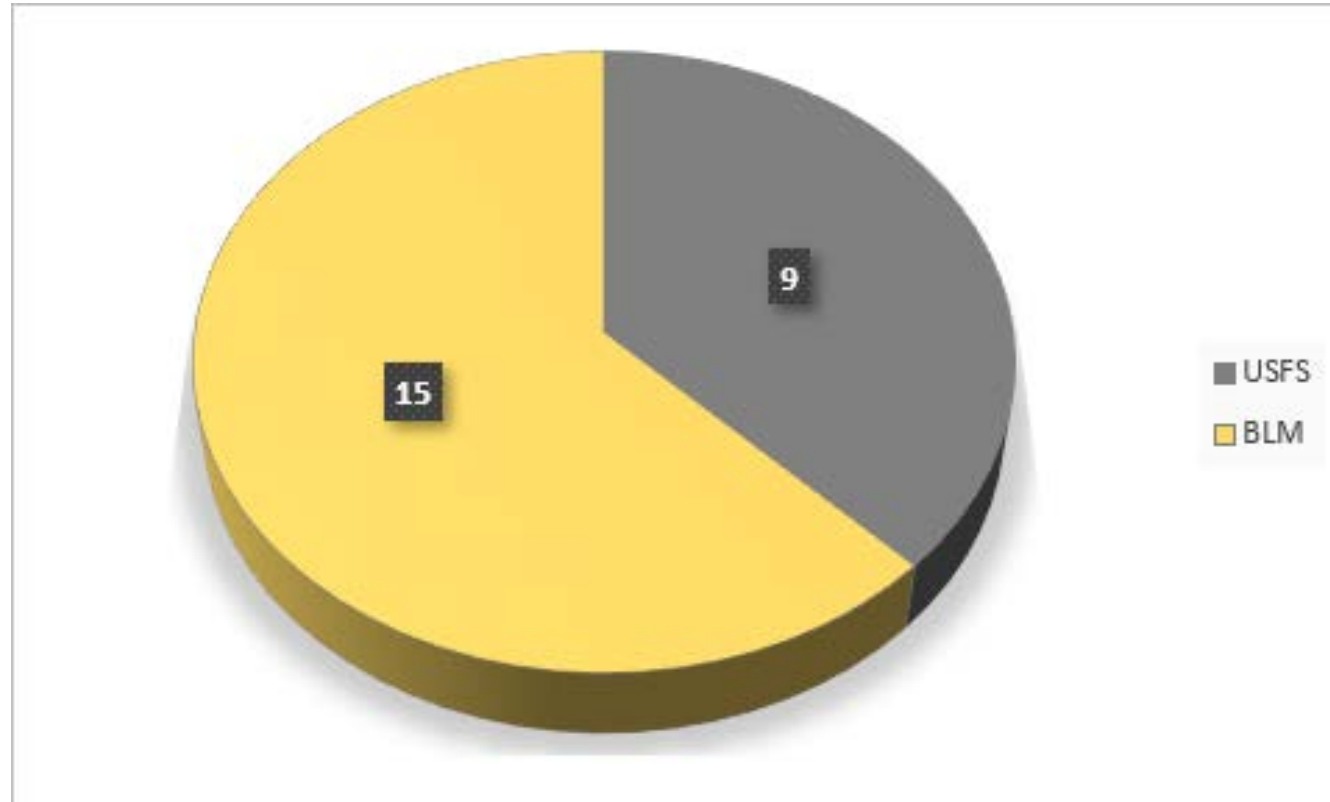


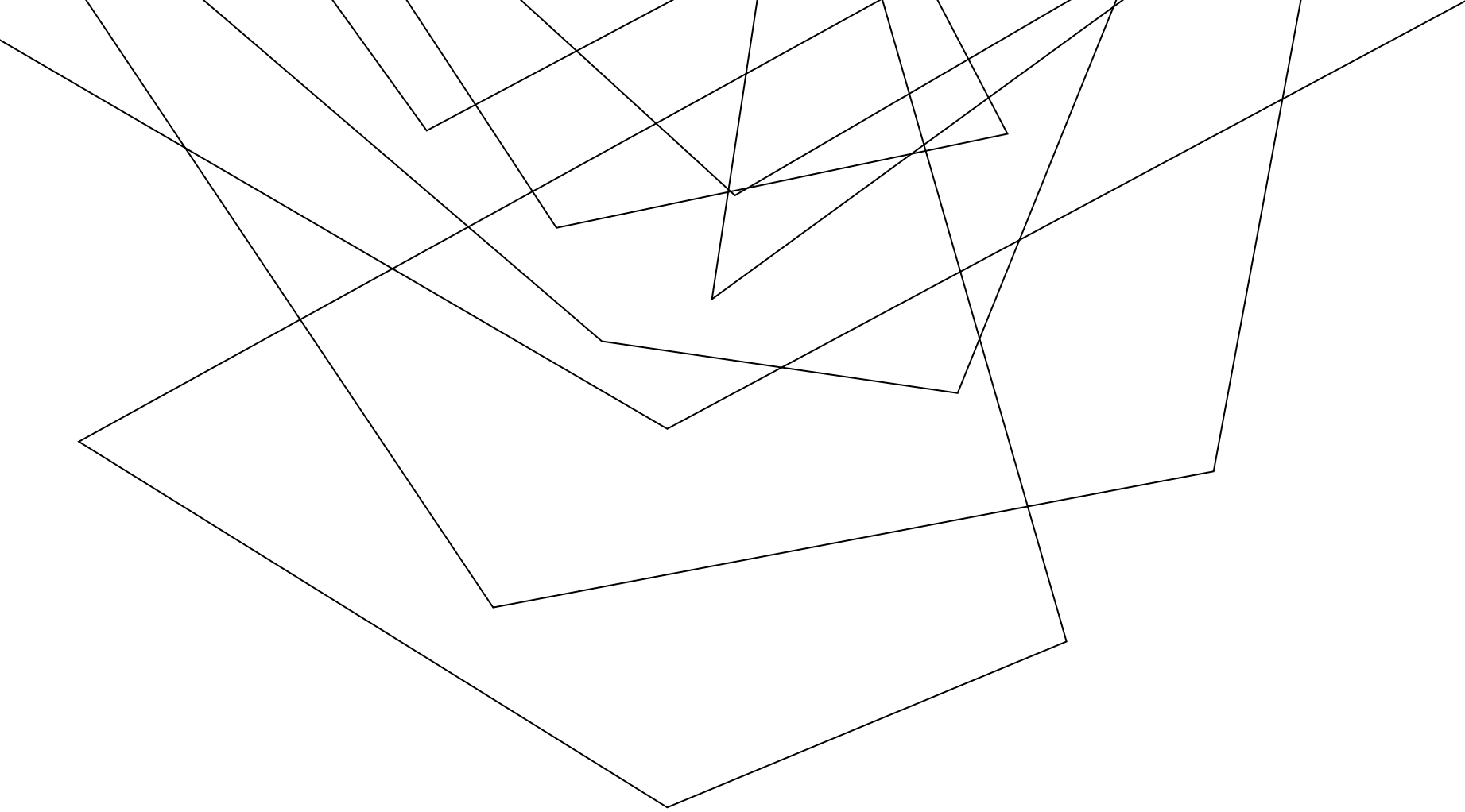
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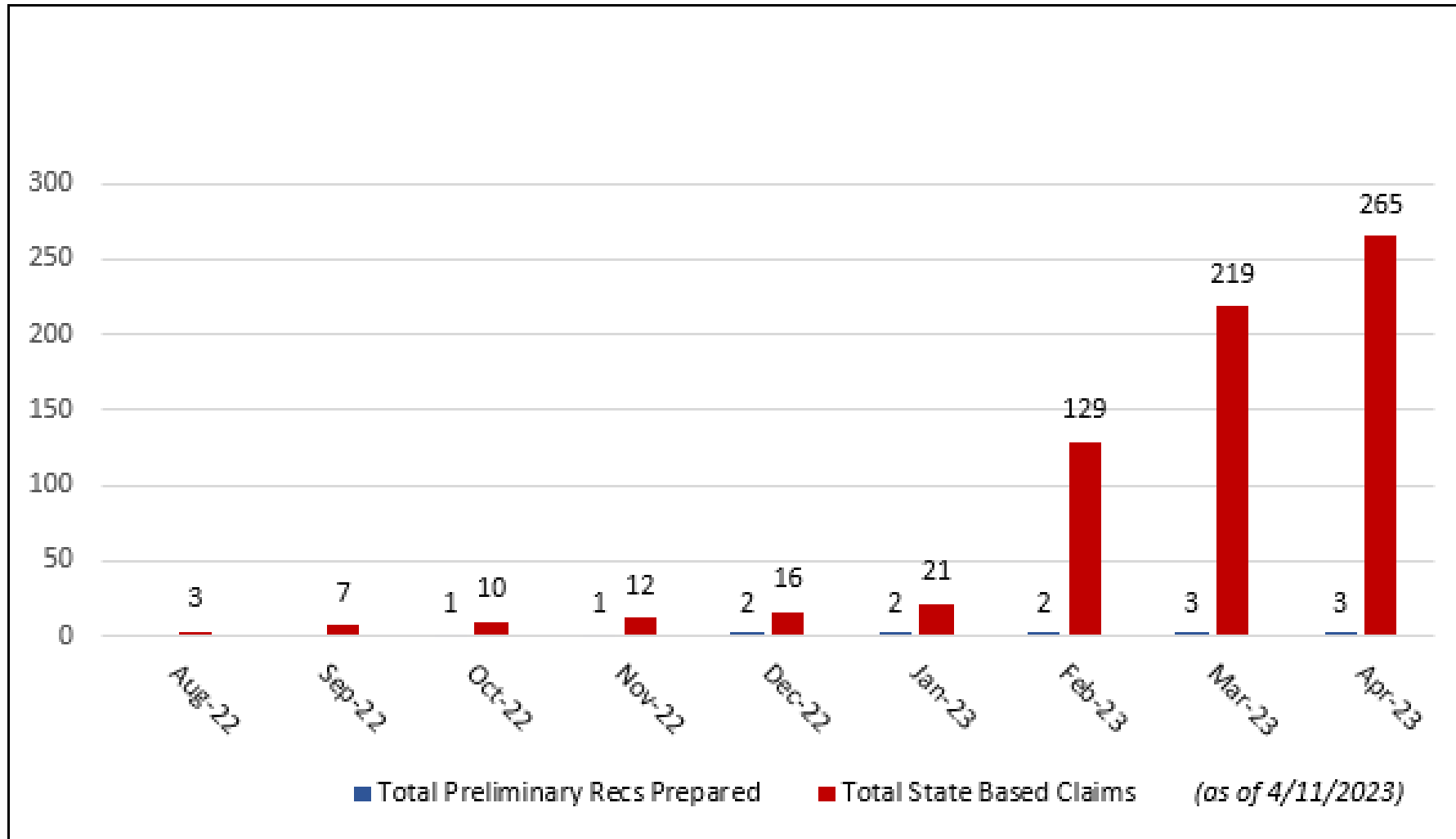
## CFPRBA FEDERAL RESERVED CLAIMS





**BRBA**

## BRBA SUMMARY AS OF APRIL 11, 2023

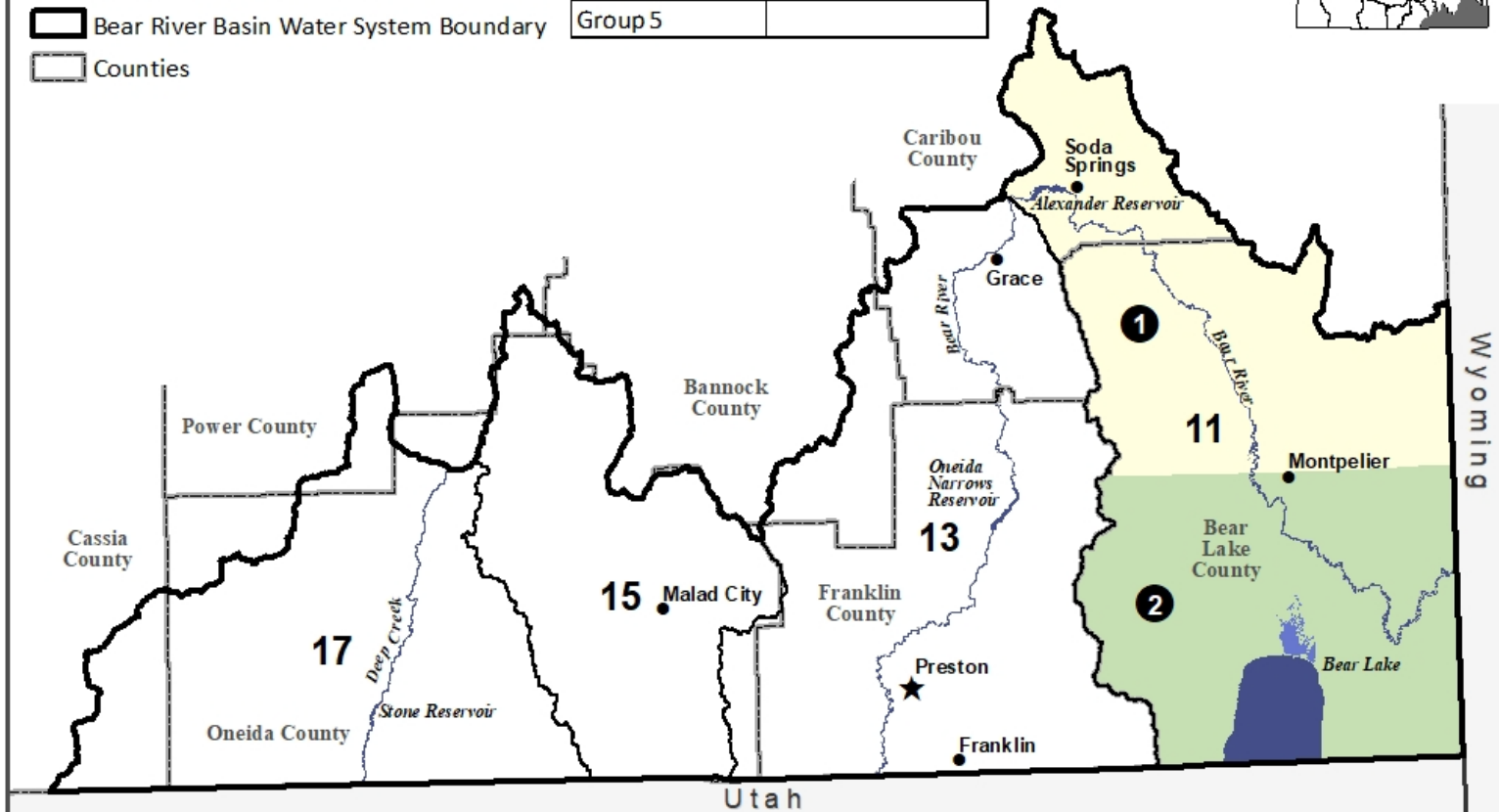
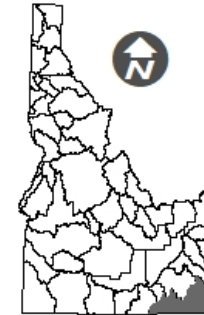


# Bear River Basin Adjudication

## Mailing Group 2

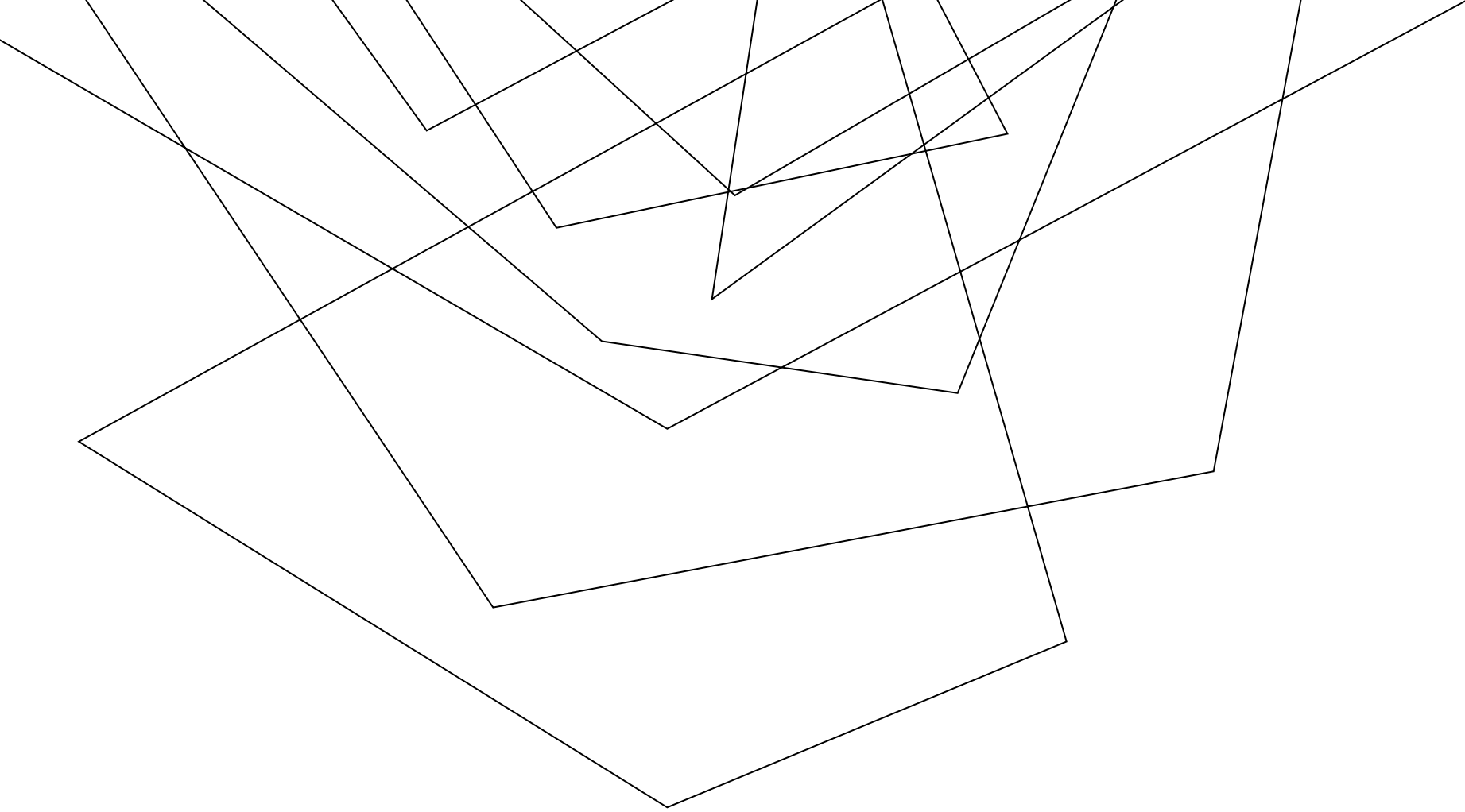
- ★ Preston Field Office
- Cities
- IDWR Administrative Basins
- ▬ Bear River Basin Water System Boundary
- ▭ Counties

Mailing Group	Filing Deadline
Group 1	October 20, 2023
<b>Group 2</b>	<b>December 8, 2023</b>
Group 3	
Group 4	
Group 5	



## BRBA UPDATES

- IDWR Claim Taking Workshop
- National Oregon/California Trail Center  
320 N. 4<sup>th</sup> Street  
Montpelier, ID 83254
- April 25-27, 2023



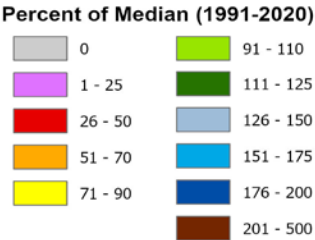
OTHER GENERAL  
MATTERS

# CASE STATUS UPDATES

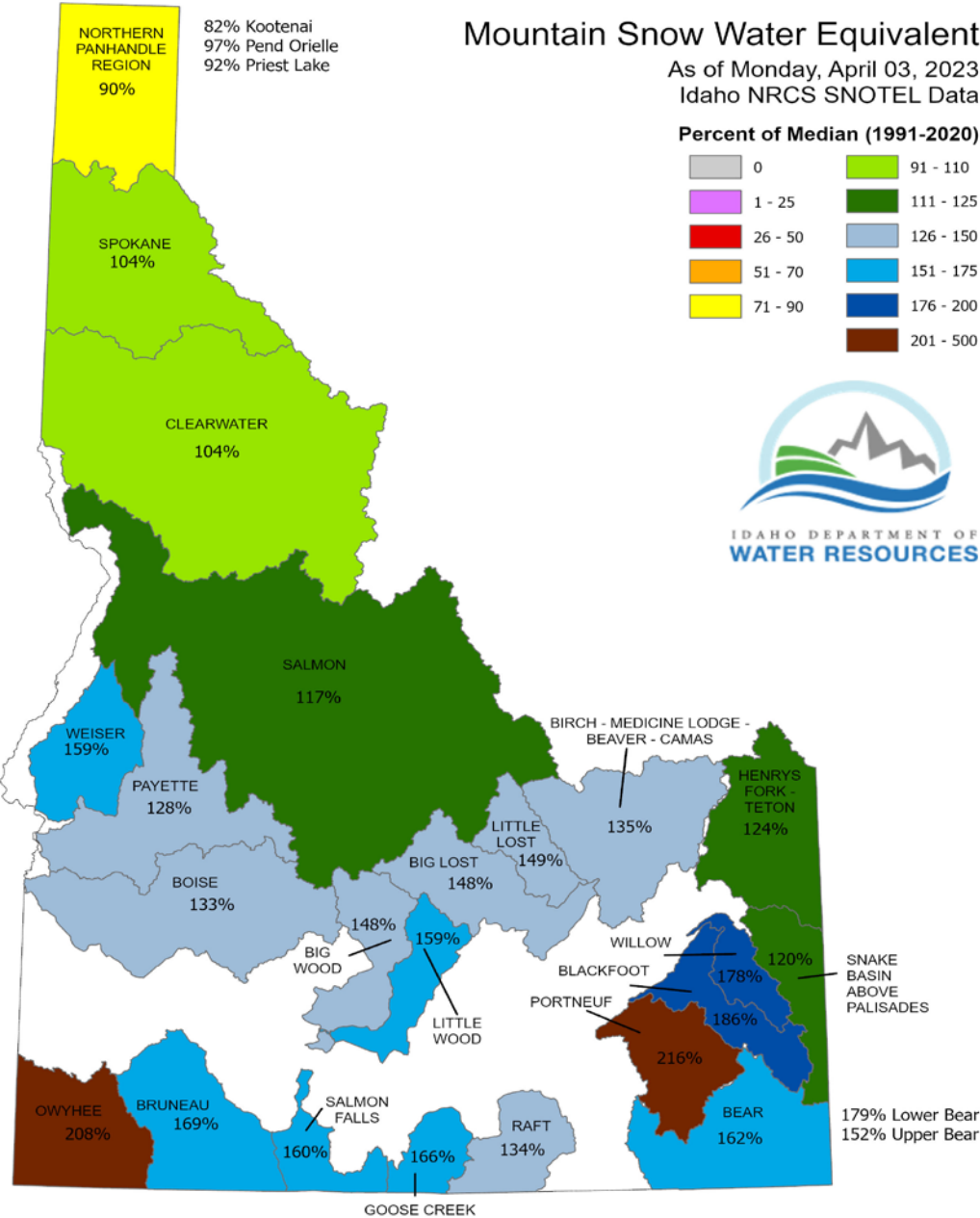
- South Valley Ground Water District v. IDWR (Basin 37), Docket No. 49632-2022
  - Oral Argument is set before the Idaho Supreme Court for June 5, 2023, at 11:10 am
- Whittaker v. IDWR (transfer application no. 84441 in the name of Bruce and Glenda McConnell), Docket No. 50000-2022
  - Clerk's Record filed with the Idaho Supreme Court January 20, 2023

Mountain Snow Water Equivalent

As of Monday, April 03, 2023  
Idaho NRCS SNOTEL Data



IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF  
WATER RESOURCES





Winter fishing on Lake Pend Oreille  
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Northern Region*



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