

**STATE OF IDAHO**  
**DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES**

A license examination fee is not required in connection with a permit that meets the following criteria:

- Ground water (well) use for a single-family home, public campground, or stock water if the total use is less than 13,000 gallons per day,
- Ground water (well) use for any purpose, including multiple dwelling units or commercial use if the total use is less than 2.8 acre feet per year,
- Ground water (well) use supplying one or more homes for in-home domestic use only if the total use is less than 13,000 gallons per day,
- Surface water use for which a recorded water right is not required by law.

The required license examination fee is based on the storage volume (acre-feet per year or AFY) or on the diversion rate (cubic feet per second or CFS) developed in accordance with the table below. For permits proposing both a diversion rate and a storage volume, determine each fee separately and pay the greater of the two.

Checks should be made payable to the Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR).

**LICENSE EXAMINATION FEE SCHEDULE**

Per [Idaho Code § 42-221](#) and [IDAPA 37.03.02](#)

FLOW RATE (CFS)			STORAGE VOLUME(AF)			FEE
0	–	0.20	0.0	–	20.0	\$50
0.21	–	1.00	20.1	–	100.0	\$100
1.01	–	2.00	100.1	–	200.0	\$125
2.01	–	3.00	200.1	–	300.0	\$150
3.01	–	4.00	300.1	–	400.0	\$175
4.01	–	5.00	400.1	–	500.0	\$200
5.01	–	6.00	500.1	–	600.0	\$225
6.01	–	7.00	600.1	–	700.0	\$250
7.01	–	8.00	700.1	–	800.0	\$275
8.01	–	9.00	800.1	–	900.0	\$300
9.01	–	10.00	900.1	–	1,000.0	\$325
10.01	–	11.00	1,000.1	–	1,100.0	\$350
11.01	–	12.00	1,100.1	–	1,200.0	\$375
12.01	–	13.00	1,200.1	–	1,300.0	\$400
13.01	–	14.00	1,300.1	–	1,400.0	\$425
14.01	–	15.00	1,400.1	–	1,500.0	\$450
15.01	–	16.00	1,500.1	–	1,600.0	\$475
16.01	–	17.00	1,600.1	–	1,700.0	\$500
17.01	–	18.00	1,700.1	–	1,800.0	\$525
18.01	–	19.00	1,800.1	–	1,900.0	\$550
19.01	–	20.00	1,900.1	–	2,000.0	\$575
20.01	–	21.00	2,000.1	–	OVER	\$600