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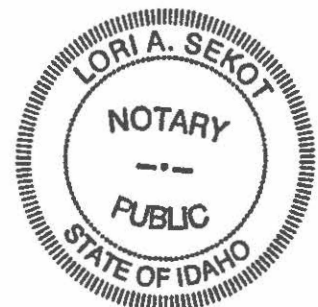
Karen Mason  
Karen Mason Clerk

State of Idaho  
County of Bannock

On this 16th day of March, 2017 before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared Karen Mason, known or identified to me to be the person whose name subscribed to the within instrument, and being by me first duly sworn, declared that the statements therein are true, and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same.

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Lori A. Sekot  
Notary of the Public for Idaho  
Residing at Arimo Idaho  
My commission expires on 3/3/2021



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MRS. S. S. HAM

**NOTICE OF PETITION FILED BY ABERDEEN-SPRINGFIELD  
CANAL COMPANY REGARDING DISTRIBUTION OF  
NATURAL FLOW BY WATER DISTRICT 01 AND  
INITIATION OF FORMAL PROCEEDINGS**

Notice is hereby given that, on January 18, 2017, Aberdeen-Springfield Canal Company ("ASCC") submitted a letter to the Idaho Department of Water Resources ("Department") asserting there is an "inequitable distribution of natural flow in the Shelley to At Blackfoot reach of the Snake River" and demanding changes to the way Water District 01 distributes natural flow in the Shelley to At Blackfoot reach.

ASCC's letter is a petition as defined by the Department's Rule of Procedure 230. IDAPA 37.01.01.230. The petition may be found on the Department's website for this matter at <https://idwr.idaho.gov/legal-actions/administrative-actions/WD01-petition.html>.

The Director of the Department ("Director") will conduct formal proceedings to address the above-described petition in accordance with the Department's Rule of Procedure 104. IDAPA 37.01.01.104. A copy of the Rules of Procedure may be obtained from the Department or at the following website link: <https://adminrules.idaho.gov/rules/current/37/0101.pdf>.

The Director will hold a prehearing conference on March 21, 2017, at 11:00 a.m. (MDT) at the Department's State Office, located at 322 E. Front Street, 6th Floor, Director's Conference Room, Boise, Idaho 83720. Parties and those seeking to intervene must be represented at the prehearing conference in person or by telephone. If participating by telephone, please dial 1-720-279-0026 and enter the following guest code when prompted: 321188#. The prehearing conference will be held in accordance with provisions of Chapters 2 and 17, Title 42 and Chapter 52, Title 67, Idaho Code, and the Department's Rules of Procedure.

ASCC is a party to this matter. Others who want to formally participate must file petitions to intervene with the Department by March 21, 2017, in accordance with the Department's Rules of Procedure 350-352. IDAPA 37.01.01.350-352.

A staff memorandum will be prepared, disseminated to ASCC, and posted to the website for this matter by March 20, 2017. The staff memorandum will describe how Water District 01 currently distributes natural flow in the Shelley to At Blackfoot reach of the Snake River, possible alternatives Water District 01 could utilize to distribute natural flow in the Shelley to At Blackfoot reach, and potential implications associated with the alternatives.

Gary Spackman, Director

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