

# Trust Water Rights Analysis

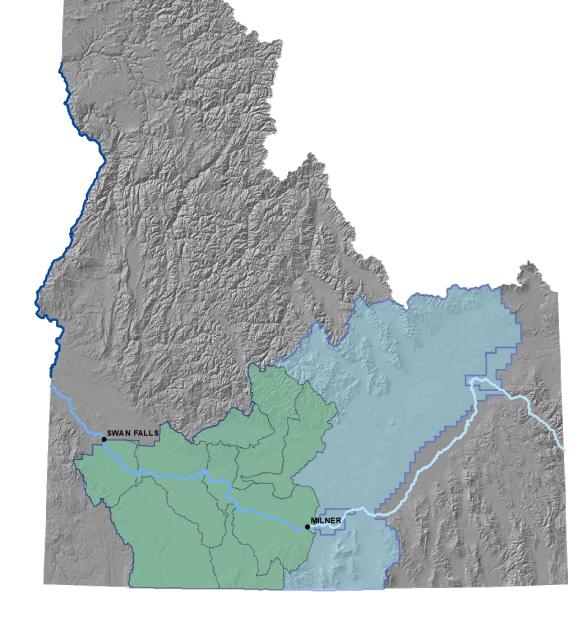
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#### Trust Water Criteria

rights junior to Swan Falls Agreement

Rights diverting water from within the Trust Water area, with priority dates junior to the Swan Falls Agreement, are considered Trust Water rights unless:

- The water right is an A-List right as decreed by the SRBA court
- 2. The right authorizes the diversion of surface water tributary to the Snake River above Milner Dam<sup>1</sup>



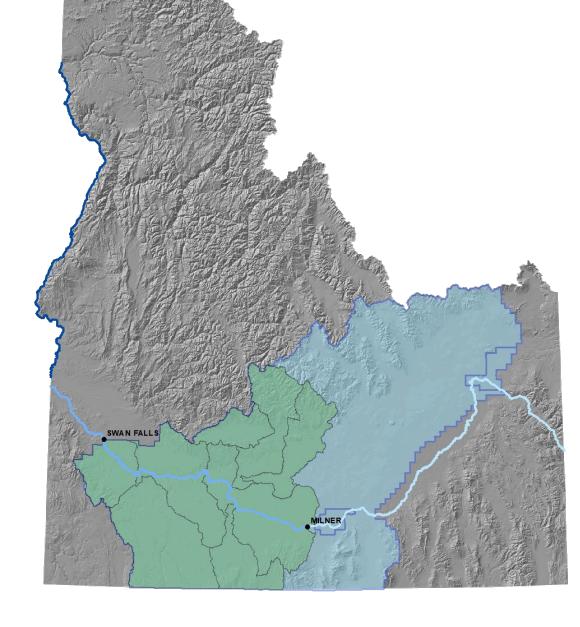
1. Per §42-203B "For the purposes of the determination and administration of rights to the use of the waters of the Snake river or its tributaries downstream from Milner dam, no portion of the water of the Snake river or surface or ground water tributary to the Snake river upstream from Milner dam shall be considered."

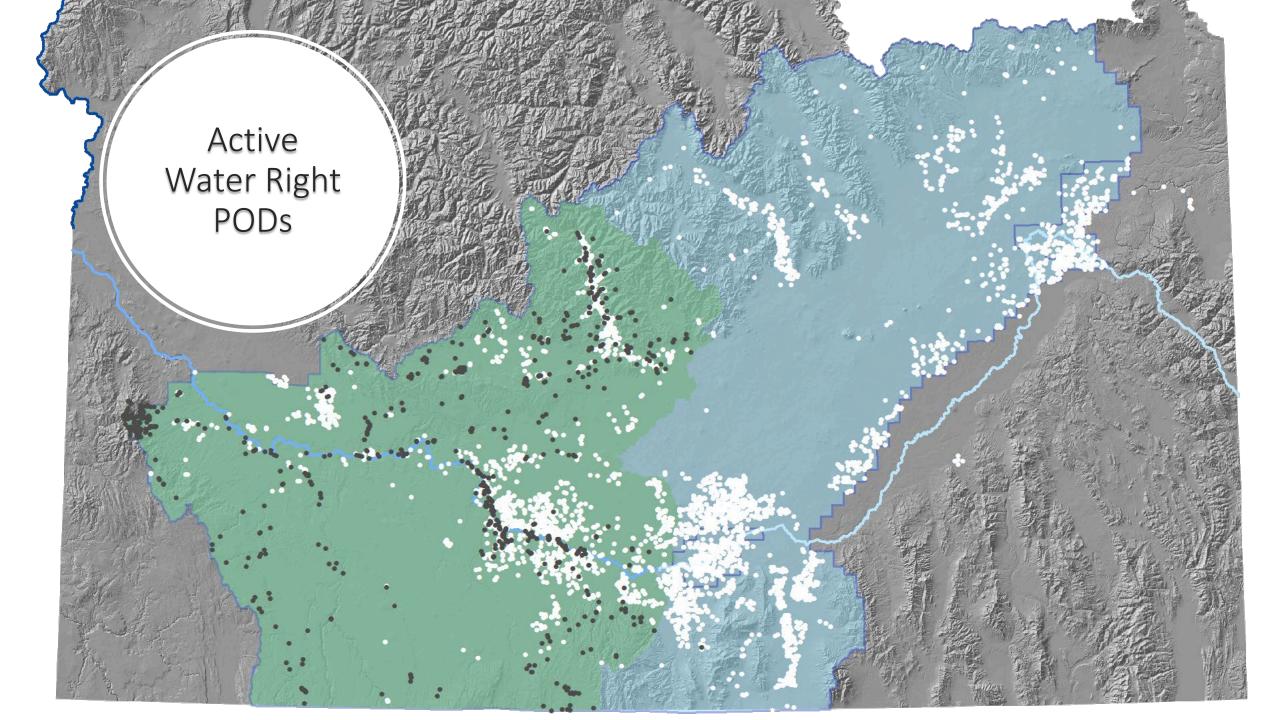
### Trust Water Criteria

rights senior to Swan Falls Agreement

Rights diverting water from within the Trust Water area, with priority dates senior to the Swan Falls Agreement are not considered Trust Water rights unless:

- 1. The water right is a B-List right as decreed by the SRBA court
- 2. The right is an enlargement right





# Excel list

**Trust Water List with Attributes** 

## Trust Water List Highlights

- 4,090 water rights
  - 3,531 groundwater
  - 539 surface water
- Term review conditions
  - 731 with term review conditions
  - 3,359 without term review conditions
- 1,630 irrigation water rights
  - 371 irrigation water rights < 3 acres
- 1,249 water rights limited to 13,000 gpd or 2,500 gpd (de minimis rights)

### TW List Maintenance

- Regular maintenance of flags during processing throughout the year
- Annual audit occurs typically near the beginning of each year
  - Identify trust water rights
  - Identify database changes required
  - Update flags in database

