Water Transfer Work Group Meeting Minutes  
June 4th, 2012

Attendance: Dave Brown, Melissa Downes, Bill Ferry, Chuck Garner, Stan Isley, Walt Larrick, Paul LaRiviere, Larry Martin, Sage Park.

Approval of Minutes: Everyone is reminded to send in any changes that need to be made to mdestito@usbr.gov within the week and the changes will be made and reposted.

Other: Melissa introduced her new replacement Sage Park. She will be supervising the Permit Staff.

New Proposals:

2012 – 29 – Land Lloyd Development – Melissa explained that Ecology is issuing a new water right in Upper Kittitas which is on Fowler Creek using a water right change (2011-33) which was approved for 34 residential connections at 350 gpd and 0.39 acre of lawn and garden. This will use the storage contract from October to March 31st. There is local mitigation on Fowler because that is where the mitigation water right originated.

Walt confirmed that the water going into trust was approved in April 2011; this is the water going out for mitigation. Paul asked what the status of the property is and whether it is cleared or platted. Melissa was not sure, but explained that it would be multiple wells, but did not know how many. Paul did not have any issues as it falls within their standards.

The group gave this a “Thumbs Up Recommendation”.

2012 – 30 – Williams/Amerivest – Melissa explained that this will be brought back to the group next month as the proposal is not ready but the information is posted on the website.

Next meeting will be July 2, 2012 at 1:00 P.M.