

WTWG "Box" Checklist	YES	NO
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1. Validity

Is there continued beneficial use history sufficient to ensure that the right has not been relinquished or abandoned?		
Is it free of any "cloud" or claim on the title of the water right?		

2. Water Budget Neutrality

Is the transfer water budget neutral at Parker?		
Does the transfer of the right result in any increase in consumptive use?		

3. Timing and Availability

Temporary Transfers: Can the transfer be implemented in the time remaining in the season? If a seasonal transfer, please comment.		
Permanent Transfers: Is there a map of the fallowed land or discontinued use and can it be confirmed?		

4. Impairment of instream flow

Does the transfer cause no adverse change to instream flows?		
Is all the water accounted for at Parker and Prosser (if applicable)?		

5. Operational Considerations

If the transfer relies on space in existing Reclamation storage, is storage capacity available?		
Can the transfer be bucketed, with different rate and timing, without adverse impacts on other users and fish and other aquatic life?		
Does the transfer have no impermissible impact on Yakima Project operations? (Could replace "no impermissible" with "an allowable")		

6. For Transfers Between Ground Water and Surface Water

Does the transfer rely on return flow?		
Can the hydrologic impacts of the transfer be accurately evaluated?		

7. Other considerations

Is the transfer in agreement with public policy?		
Does the transfer have acceptable secondary effects – economic, environmental, or cultural?		