

## WATER TRANSFER WORKING GROUP PROJECT DESCRIPTION

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| APPLICATION NO./COURT CLAIM NO.<br><b>00383/(A)05835</b>                             |                                   |  |
| APPLICANT NAME<br><b>John &amp; Marcia Crosetto<br/>Teanaway Valley Family Farms</b> | CONTACT NAME<br><b>Lisa Pelly</b> | TELEPHONE NO.<br><b>(206) 675-1585</b> |
| WATER RIGHT HOLDER'S NAME (if different)   |                                   |  |

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| DATE OF APPLICATION<br><b>May , 2005</b> | PRIORITY DATE<br><b>June 30, 1889</b> |
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| WATER SOURCE:<br><b>Teanaway River</b>  | CROP:<br><b>Timothy hay</b>                    |
| INSTANTANEOUS QUANTITY:<br><b>0.63 cfs</b>  | ANNUAL QUANTITY:<br><b>193.25 af/y</b>         |
| PERIOD OF USE:<br><b>May 1 – September 15</b>   |  |
| PLACE OF USE:<br><b>That portion of the NE1/4SW1/4 of Sec. 10, T. 20N,<br/>R. 16 E.W.M., lying northeast of the Teanaway<br/>River.</b> | PURPOSE OF USE:<br><b>Irrigation and Stock</b> |
| IRRIGATION METHOD:<br><b>Sprinkler</b>  |  |

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| CONSUMPTIVE USE CALCULATION:<br><br><b>Consumptive use is based on the Washington Irrigation Guide crop irrigation requirement (CIR) estimate for clover in the Cle Elum area. In calculating the CIR, clover was used as a proxy for timothy hay. The average CIR for clover is 19.1 inches per acre annually</b> |
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and was adjusted upward by 5 inches per acre to account for drought conditions for a total adjusted CIR of 24.1 inches per acre annually. From May 1 through July 7, TVFF will be following 10.0 acres under this water right (the adjusted CIR for this period is 7.89 in). From July 8 through September 15, TVFF will be following 26.5 acres under the right (the adjusted CIR for this period is 14.2 in). The total consumptive amount is 36.9 acre-feet.  $((7.89 \text{ in} \times 1 \text{ ft}/12 \text{ in})(10.0 \text{ ac}) + (14.2 \text{ in} \times 1 \text{ ft}/12 \text{ in})(26.5 \text{ ac}) = 37.93 \text{ af/y})$ .

NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT:

TVFF was confirmed an 1888 and an 1889 priority date water right under court claim number 00383/(A)05635 in Subbasin No. 3 (Teaway). WWT is proposing a temporary transfer of a portion of both water rights. The water will be placed into the State Trust Water Rights program. TVFF's transfer application proposes to change the purpose of use from irrigation to instream flow from May 1 to September 15, 2005, and change the place of use to the Teaway River and the Yakima River downstream to the Columbia River to improve instream flows. From May 1 through July 7, TVFF will not irrigate 10.0 acres under the 1889 priority date water right, and from July 8 through September 15, TVFF will not irrigate 26.5 acres under this right.

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The 2005 Drought Water Transfer Working Group has reviewed and discussed this water transfer request and approves forwarding this request for further processing by ESA-consulting agencies, Reclamation, and Ecology. The undersigned do not object to the above proposed water transfer for the 2005 irrigation season, ending September 15, 2005, with the understanding that all parties retain their right to petition the court for appropriate relief (e.g., termination of this transfer approval) if this transfer causes harm to their, or any other party's, valid water rights or interests. This approval applies only to 2005 drought year transfers and does not set a precedent for water transfers in future years on any issue including, but not limited to, the validity and extent of the water right at issue. Approval shall not be used as evidence of, nor waive any argument concerning, future proposed permanent or temporary transfers under either applicable federal law or contract or state law including RCW 90.03.380. The use of the procedure for approval here is also not intended by any party to be a concession as to the appropriate procedures for transfers in the future.

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Brent Renfrow, WA Dept. of Fish & Wildlife

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| WATER SOURCE:<br><b>Teanaway River</b>  | CROP:<br><b>Timothy hay</b>                    |
| INSTANTANEOUS QUANTITY:<br><b>0.47 cfs</b>  | ANNUAL QUANTITY:<br><b>152.75 af/y</b>         |
| PERIOD OF USE:<br><b>May 1 – September 15</b>   |  |
| PLACE OF USE:<br><b>Those portions of SW1/4NE1/4 and NW1/4SE1/4 of Sec. 10, T. 20N, R. 16 E.W.M., lying northerly of the Teanaway River and southerly of the Teanaway Road,</b> | PURPOSE OF USE:<br><b>Irrigation and Stock</b> |
| IRRIGATION METHOD:<br><b>Sprinkler</b>  |  |

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will be following 6.5 acres under this water right (the adjusted CIR for this period is 7.89 in). From July 8 through September 15, TVFF will be following 23.5 acres under the right (the adjusted CIR for this period is 14.2 in). The total consumptive amount is 30.3 acre-feet.  $((7.89 \text{ in} \times 1 \text{ ft}/12 \text{ in})(6.5 \text{ ac}) + (14.2 \text{ in} \times 1 \text{ ft}/12 \text{ in})(23.5 \text{ ac}) = 32.08 \text{ af/y})$ .

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