RESOLUTION NO. 2023-09

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF IDAHO CITY, IDAHO, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A LEASE AGREEMENT WITH THE COMMITTEE OF WATER DISTRICT NO. 63 FOR THE TEMPORARY LEASE OF WATER RIGHTS.

WHEREAS, the City has a water right with the priority date of 1945 out of Elk Creek;

WHEREAS, the Idaho City water right is now out of priority;

WHEREAS, the City's inability to provide water is an imminent peril to the public health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Idaho City, such that City must secure additional water rights to serve its citizens; and

WHEREAS, the Committee of Water District No. 63 has the ability and authority to lease water rights from the Boise River Rental Pool to the City to meet the City's immediate needs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Idaho City, Idaho, that the City Council hereby authorizes the Mayor to enter into a lease agreement with the Committee of Water District No. 63 for the lease of water rights to the City from the Boise River Rental Pool in the format provided by the Water District.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL of the City of Idaho City this 2 day of July, 2023.

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR of the City of Idaho City this 26 day of July, 2023.

Kenneth Everhart, Mayor

Nancy L. Prak, City Clerk/Treasurer