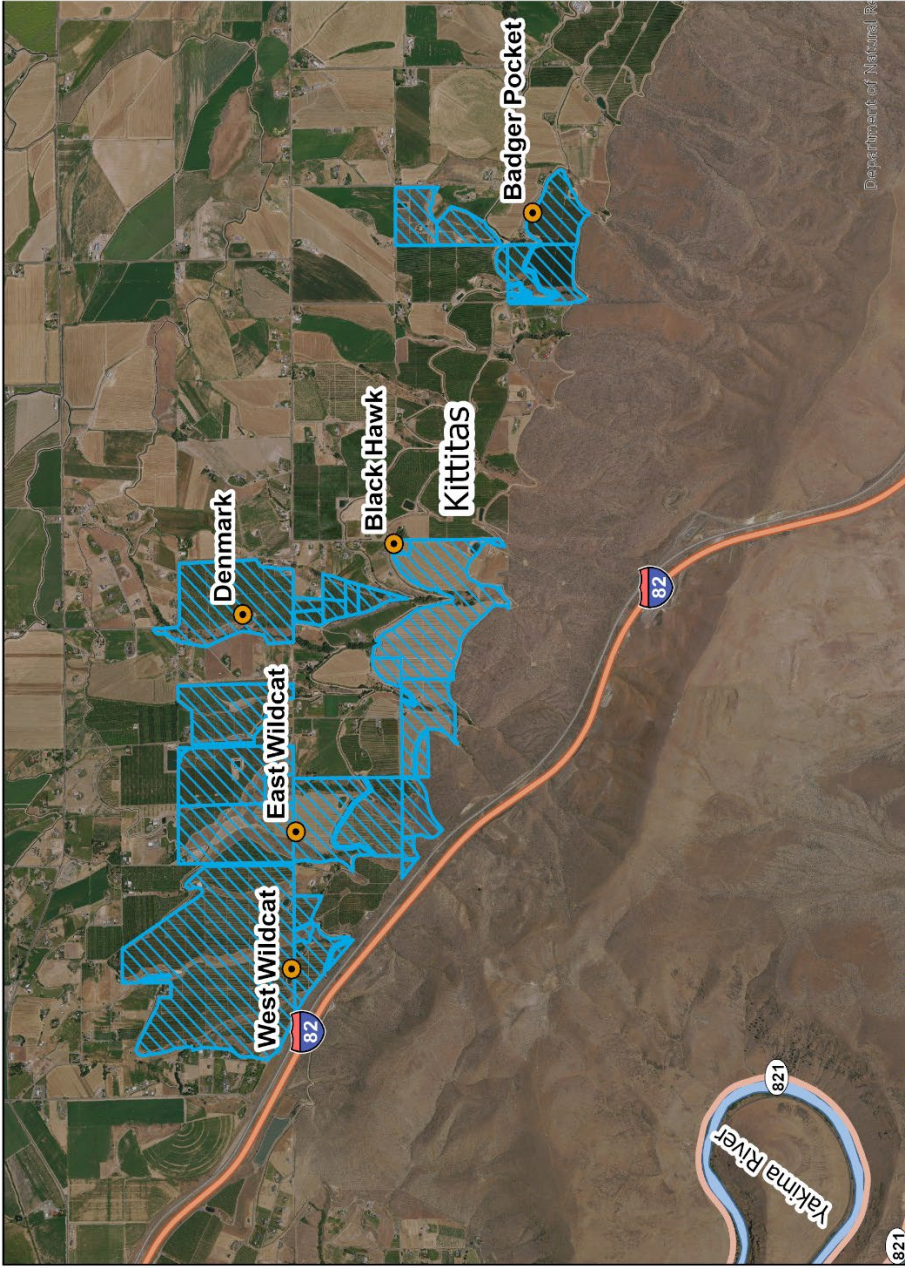


WATER TRANSFER WORKING GROUP PROJECT DESCRIPTION

| APPLICANT INFORMATION | | WATER BANKING INFORMATION | |
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| Applicant Name | Zirkle Fruit Company | Contact Name | Selah-Moxee Irrigation District |
| Priority Date | May 16, 2024 | Contact Phone Number | (509) 469-0449 |
| Water Right Holder (if different) | | Contact Email | smidistrict@qwestoffice.net |

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| WATER SOURCE: Existing Wells <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Badger Pocket (BLR173) 2. Denmark (BLR174) 3. West Wildcat (BLG409) 4. East Wildcat (BLG410) 5. Blackhawk (BPF439) | CROP: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Apples, Cherries 2. Apples 3. Apples 4. Apples, Cherries 5. Apples |
| ANNUAL QUANTITY: 425 ac-ft/yr | |
| PERIOD OF USE: From date of approval until October 31, 2024 | |
| PLACE OF USE: within Kittitas County: Sections 1,3,4, and 12, Township 16N., Range 19E. Sections 33, 33, and 35, Township 17N., Range 19E. | PURPOSE OF USE: Irrigation of up to 999 acres. |

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| <p>NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT:</p> <p>The project is located about 10 miles Southeast of Ellensburg, between highway 82 and the Boylston mountains.</p> <p>While the applicant is eligible for 1040.5 ac-ft/yr under the cost sharing program, they are only requesting 425 ac-ft/yr. The applicant proposes to offset the 425 ac-ft/yr of use for the project with 425 ac-ft/yr of mitigation from the Selah-Moxee Irrigation district.</p> <p>The Blackhawk well was previously approved in the 2023 drought authorization. All other wells were approved in drought authorizations from 2023 and 2019. Review of the local area hydrogeology suggests that the Wanapum Aquifer, which the wells pull from, is not in overdraft condition and that nearby users will not be impaired by the project.</p> |
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Legend

Project Proposal

- Point of Withdrawal
- ▨ Place of Use

Statewide Layers

- County Boundaries
- WRIA

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Zirkle Fruit Company
 Emergency Drought Request No. G4-33226-24
 Kittitas Reclamation District
 WRIA 39 - Kittitas County (Ellensburg)

Place of use and source locations are defined in the Report of Examination for this project.

Basemap: NAIP 2021 Aerial Photo

