IBAPAH - DEEP CREEK WATER USERS MEETING.
MARCH 26, 1992.

Phone #	NAME	REPRESENTING.
	LEE SIM	UTAH DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS
538-7397	John Mann	"
	Phyllis Bateman	Ibapah
	Eudeene Parker	Ibapah
	Balle Bates	Ibapah
	Leasha Hicks	Ibapah
	Clyde Bunker	Delta
	~~Lyle Bunker~~	Delta, Ut
	~~Kyle Bateman~~	~~Ibapah~~
234-1166	Daniel Kingston	Ibapah (Coalt Inc)
	Earnest Chandler	Last Chance
	Gail Parker	Ibapah
	Ronald H. Weber	Ibapah
	Duane Hicks	Ibapah
	Jay Hicks	Ibapah
	Kraig T. Higginson	Last Chance Ranch
	John Y Swenson	observer

] Last chance Ranch.

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Craig Higgenson ~~been~~ here for 2½ years.

How is water regulated by West Deep Creek Irrigation Co.

Don Kingston now is the water master. has been in valley only one year

- each farmers rights trans to co. - what is diverted is based on rights Don thinks

~~only~~ each has its own diversion

water master does ride the river when water becomes short

Fairly crude meas devices - more of an estimate than a real measurement. - using a head gate

Company has records dating back to 30's and earlier holds ann.

There are other users on the river in Ibapah Valley Don has not had much interaction

Other users.

Goshute.
Reed Robison.
Gail Parker

} all these are above Irrigation Co.

Creek also spring fed.

Last Chance Ranch ~~is~~ below

heavy clay soils.

~~There is a~~ Consensus is that water returns to Creek quickly

last 2 years. by August there is barely a stream

No meas. devices at last chance headgates at Ranch and at reservoir.

March
February are typically the high flow months.

Lost Chance Ranch

in some years past -
ranch has had an orchard in the past.
PGS had water running at ranch all year.
last in years past. there has been water to irrigate a hay crop year around.
recently water has dried up by first part of May.

How are the rights divided up and regulated in this area.
Some
Area residents consider the Lost Chances water right to be a surplus water right - others feel that there is a valid right

Craig Higgensen in favor of cleaning up the rights and the phupical feature - meas. devices and headgates - in

Phyllis Bateman => feels the old stream ~~takes~~ loses too much water to get much down to lost chance.

Meas. devices needed.
Water Rights need to be regulated.
How does the Lost Chance ditch right compare with the West Deep Creek Co. right.

Ron Webber

1905 Decree on ~~the~~ Deep Creek. ⇐ Check into it

what type of right. Priority Schedule good idea. – within a month. where right come from. P.O.D.

Don Knighton ~~the~~ W. Deep Creek – willing to try to work things out with the Last Chance either with or without a commissioner – would prefer no commissioner.

One problem – there is no defenable creek channel in some areas. – very boggy areas. – inefficient use of water. – Maybe company needs to put in a real ditch with water users taking turns from it.

Letter – on measo devices and general principles of water ~~[illegible]~~ distribution eg. for storage of water etc.