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**NEWS RELEASE:** Commission waives financial penalties for eastern Idaho water utility.

**BOISE (Feb. 29, 2024)** – The Idaho Public Utilities Commission has agreed to waive financial penalties imposed on Sunbeam Water for failure to attend a hearing and failure to comply with timely reporting of its operating revenue and annual reports.

In February of 2023, the commission imposed the financial penalties on Sunbeam of \$4,000 for those items. Since then, Sunbeam has worked to cooperate with commission staff to better understand requirements and to file information within deadlines. The order the commission issued on Thursday waiving the penalties also noted the utility has been operating at a documented average net loss of more than \$5,000 per year, and has communicated with commission staff regarding suggestions for the system.

Sunbeam also cooperated with staff to coordinate an on-site visit of the utility and hold a public workshop.

Additional information is available at: [puc.idaho.gov/case/Details/6952](https://puc.idaho.gov/case/Details/6952).