

APPENDAGE TO THE FILING OF WATER OF

*Topaz Irrigation Co.
Gene Taggart, Sec.*

Our present decreed water rights are jeopardized by

1. Illegal loss free transportation of storage water in the river channel. We ask the adjudication process to correct this situation by requiring the users of the storage water to stand the loss or require all the water users in the river district to share in the loss on a percentage basis according to the cubic feet of water they have decreed to them.
2. Many years after established use rights and decreed rights numerous wells have been allowed in the upper basin area, draining the aquifer. We ask an in depth study be made to determine the affect on the river flow before a decision is made.

Historically the amount of our water has been cut down during the irrigation season because there is not enough water to fill all the rights. Of necessity we have used the water at any time during the non irrigating season in any amount needed first come first serve down the river. We request this use right recognized and established as a legitimate water right.

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