

January 8, 2004

Ed Conn
C/O Basic American Foods
434 S. Emerson
Shelley, ID 83274

Mr. Conn:

I am a private water rights contractor working with the Idaho Dept. of Water Resources. My job is to field verify water right claims in Basin 27 (Blackfoot Area Drainage) that were filed with the Snake River Basin Adjudication.

Your companies predecessor, the Pillsbury Company, filed three claims for wells used in the commercial operations at the plant in Shelley.

I have tried several times to get together with staff at your plant to go over the questions I listed in my e-mail of Aug. 21, 2003 to Larry Sautter. The Adjudication Agent in charge of this review, Cindy Bird of the Soda Springs office has asked me to send you this request for assistance. Ms Bird cannot recommend these claims until my process is finished to her satisfaction.

If you could arrange a meeting with someone on your staff who can address our questions about the water claims, I would greatly appreciate it.

I can be contacted at my home phone @ 523-7240 or my cell @ 589-6145.

Sincerely,

Harold W Jones

Dec. 1, 2003

Larry Sautter
C/O Basic American Foods
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Mr. Sautter:

We met back in August of 2003 to discuss the Snake River Basin Adjudication Claims for water rights at the Basic American Foods Plant. I still have 3 claims that need to be worked on by you or other staff. Included with this letter is a copy of my original e-mail with questions that need to be resolved.

I would ask that you contact me with a date that we can meet about these claims sometime within the next 14 days.

My cell phone is 589-6145, my home phone is 523-7245 and my e-mail address is powder1@ida.net.

Sincerely,

Harold W. Jones

To: lsautter@baf.com
From: Harold and Anne Marie Jones <powder1@ida.net>
Subject: Adjudication Claims
Cc:
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X-Attachments:

When we get together again, I will need to discuss the following items.

SRBA Claim # A27-04019 - a. Need some reference to flow capacity of this well. The claim says 4.00 cfs used. Any daily flow chart data available?
b. The place of use listed on the original claim made in 1979 has been expanded to 20 different 1/4 of 1/4 (40 acre units). Is this a DEQ mandate for spreading waste water? If so, is it in writing and is place of use described correct?
c. Claim says 3 wells used for this system are located in NESE Section 32 T 01N R 37E.

SRBA Claim # A27-02116 - a. Same as "b" above.

SRBA Claim # A27-07411 - a. From our conversation, this well appears to have been paved over and not in use. This License was issued for 0.39 cfs for a well in the SWSW Section 2, T 01S R 37E to be used for cleaning the distribution system.

Let me know when we can meet again to discuss these claims. I will also give you the Change of Ownership document we need signed for the above Claims. Evidence of ownership will also have to be filed with this document.

Harold W Jones
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