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Patricia & Dana Dube
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We have reviewed your Notice of Claim to a Water Right. The Fifth Judicial District was appointed to oversee the adjudication of the Coeur d'Alene-Spokane River Basin, even though the drainage is in the First District.

There are two different sources list on your claim, groundwater and surface water from a spring. You can only list one source per claim. We recommend that you complete a claim the groundwater. The date of priority for that claim should be the date the water was first used from the well. The well was completed on September 3, 1996. The amount of water you list appears to be quite high. Our suggested amount is 0.04 cfs unless you can submit proof that you are pumping more than this. We have enclosed a completed claim form for you use using the information you gave us. If you agree with our suggestion, please sign the claim and return it to our office.

You list that the water from the spring was first used for stock water in 1978. Starting of May 20, 1971, an application for a water right permit had to be obtain before any diversion of surface water commence. If you want to develop a right from the spring you need to complete an application for permit.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kenneth Knoblock', is written over a horizontal line.

Kenneth Knoblock
Water Resources Supervisor