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Re: Coeur d'Alene-Spokane River Basin Adjudication (CSRBA) claims:
95-8475 and 95-17280 (formally 95-7124)

Dear Mr. Smith,

I was in contact with you in March of this year discussing CSRBA claims filed for Morrison Estates Homeowners Water Association. In March we discussed amending claims 95-8475 and 95-17280 to municipal use. As part of that conversation you had some questions about how the rights might be recommended, particularly in connection with New Life Community Church's claim for a portion of the original license 95-7124. I responded by e-mail on March 20, 2017, and have not received any further correspondence since then.

Because I had not heard back, I decided to move forward and prepare recommendations based on the claim as they have been originally filed. However, in doing so, I discovered that the original claims submitted were never signed. **IDWR cannot consider the claims valid without a signature.**

I am enclosing copies of the original notice of claims 95-8475 and 95-17280 (formally 95-7124). The only thing I have changed is to show that 95-7124 has been renumbered to 95-17280. Even if you do not wish to submit the amended claims we discussed in March, you will need to sign and submit the original claims or IDWR won't be able to make any recommendation at all.

I would strongly encourage you to sign these claims, or the amended claims I sent in March, or even a different version of the claims. You just need to have a signed claim in front of the court so we can move forward.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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