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**Governor Brad Little**

**Director Gary Spackman**

April 1, 2022

CHARLES PETTY  
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PO BOX 301  
PRIEST RIVER ID 83856

RE: Clark Fork-Pend Oreille River Basin Adjudication (CFPRBA)  
Incomplete Notice of Claim 97-8320  
New Notice of Claim(s) 97-4239, 97-7354

Dear Charles and Kayla Petty,

The Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) received Notice of Claim 97-8320 submitted on February 8, 2022, using IDWR's online claim filing application (enclosed). Initial review of the claim found that the claim, as filed, is incomplete. Claims must comply with Section 42-1409, Idaho Code, and Idaho Administrative Procedures Act (IDAPA) 37.03.01.060. **Section 2, Priority Date**, and **Section 7, Quantity**, must be completed for the claim to be valid.

In addition, claim 97-8320, as filed, appears to claim two water rights on a single claim. Claim 97-8320 identifies the sources as GROUND WATER and RIVERSIDE CREEK. One claim should be filed for each source.

After looking through the records I found water right license 97-7365 for use of Priest River water and statutory claim 97-4239 for use of Ground Water. Both rights appear to be applicable to your property. I took the liberty of preparing CFPRBA claims for each right.

Please review the claims and make any changes you feel are appropriate. Make sure to complete **Item 14** on each claim you submit. The docket sheet is a monthly summary of all the court actions related to the CFPRBA. You can access the docket sheet for free at: [http://www.srba.idaho.gov/CFPRBA\\_DCKT.HTM](http://www.srba.idaho.gov/CFPRBA_DCKT.HTM)

When satisfied, if you do want to file one or both of the enclosed claims, sign the claims and return them with the filing fees of \$25 per claim (total of \$50). Claims can be returned to either the Coeur d'Alene office or the Boise office of IDWR:

IDWR  
7600 N MINERAL DR. STE 100  
COEUR D'ALENE ID, 83815-7763

OR

IDWR  
ATTN: ADJUDICATION  
PO BOX 83720  
BOISE ID, 83720-0098

Finally, **claim 97-8320 has been rejected as incomplete**. I have "unsubmitted" the claim so it is now accessible through your online account. You can modify and resubmit it if the enclosed claims aren't sufficient.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Craig L. Saxton". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Craig" being the most prominent.

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