

STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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NOTICE OF PROTEST

This form may be used to file a protest with the department under sections 42-108B, 42-203A, 42-203C, 42-211, and 42-222, Idaho Code. The department will also accept a timely protest not completed on this form if it contains the same information.

- 1. Matter being protested DRY CREEK WATER COMPANY
- 2. Name of protestant ROSS RESNICK
- 3. Protestant's Representative for service (If different than protestant)

4. Service mailing address 10816 W. Jay road. Boise, Id. 83714

5. Service telephone no. ⁽²⁰⁸⁾ 447-8709 Email Address: ross.resnick@msn.com

6. Basis of protest (including statement of facts and law upon which the protest is based)
We live in a low water, desert area. We already have problems and water issues. We cannot afford to dig deeper wells. More growth will devastate the foothills and homeowners here, even further.
(additional pages may be attached to describe nature of the protest)

7. What would resolve your protest? NO MORE DEVELOPMENT ON OUR WATER SUPPLY. LEAVE THE FARMS AND SMALL ACREAGE, NO MORE SUBDIVISIONS AND STRIP MALLS.

I hereby, acknowledge that if I, or my designated representative, fails to appear at any regularly scheduled conference or hearing in the matter of which I have been notified at the address above, the department may issue a notice of proposed default against me in this matter for failure to appear. I also verify that I have served a copy of this protest upon the applicant.

Signed this 2nd day of April, 2022.

Ross Resnick
Protestant

Protestant's Representative



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Fri, Apr 1, 2022 at 4:46 PM

The 5 cfs they are applying for will have a minimal effect on wells on the Dry Creek drainage. The larger problem is the overall amount of development and loss of cultivated land in the Treasure Valley.

The natural aquifer is hundreds of feet below the surface, down below a line of basalt. The aquifer we (and everyone else in the treasure valley) use is called a perched aquifer, which is on top of that basalt. The perched aquifer was historically maintained by irrigation water in the canals and was fed by the following sources:

- Unlined canals (those with dirt bottoms) lose 40 - 50% of their water into the ground. This was a major source of recharging that aquifer.
- Flood irrigation
- Spetic systems

Canals today are getting lined or replaced with piping. There are very few septic systems left in the greater treasure valley. And flood irrigation is a thing of the past due to high labor cost and the advancement of automated sprinkler system technology.. The natural sources for aquifer recharge are being eliminated with overall development, not one specific project.

We can expect to lose 0.5 feet of static water in our wells every year if development and loss of irrigation land continue at this pace in the greater treasure valley.

I am filling out a protest form because I feel that with growth comes responsibility. With the development comes a responsibility and I think people have the wrong impression of what type of environment we live in. Boise (and southern Idaho in general) is a desert, and should be treated as such when development is considered.

Thank you,
Ross Resnick

Sent from my T-Mobile 4G LTE Device

NOTE:

A protestant is required to timely file a protest with the department together with a \$25.00 protest fee for each application being protested in order for the protestant to be considered a full party by the department. In addition, the department's Rule of Procedure, IDAPA 37.01.01203, requires a protestant to send a copy of a protest to the applicant.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. The matter being protested must be clearly identified. A typical matter is identified by the application number such as "Application for Permit No. _____ in the name of _____" or "Application for Transfer No. _____ in the name of _____."
 2. Show the name of the protestant. Only one (1) protestant may be shown per protest form. If this protest form is signed by more than one person, the hearing officer will consider the first signer as the official protestant and the representative for service of documents.
 3. If the protestant is represented by an attorney or other authorized representative, show the representative's name. The department then will serve documents on the representative and upon the protestant if specifically requested.
 4. Show the address where the department is to serve the documents. This should be the address of the authorized representative unless the protestant does not designate a representative.
 5. Show the telephone number of the authorized representative unless the protestant does not designate a service representative.
 6. Specifically describe the nature of the protest.
 7. Describe the relief being sought by the protestant.
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