

**BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES
OF THE STATE OF IDAHO**

**IN THE MATTER OF PERMIT TO)
APPROPRIATE WATER NO.96-9683)
IN THE NAME MARC BRINKMEYER)
IN THE MATTER OF PERMIT TO)
APPROPRIATE WATER NO.96-9685)
IN THE NAME OF PRIEST RIVER)
LAND COMPANY)
IN THE MATTER OF PERMIT TO)
APPROPRIATE WATER NO.96-9686)
IN THE NAME OF RILEY CREEK)
LUMBER COMPANY)**

**NOTICE OF
PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE**

On October 23, 2017, Marc Brinkmeyer, filed an Application for Permit No. 96-9683 with the Idaho Department of Water Resources. Protests were filed by PAUL CURLESS, MARSELLA SHOBE, ROBERT BECKER, BRETT EVANS, & MARK KUBIAK.

On October 23, 2017, Priest River Land Company, filed an Application for Permit No. 96-9685 with the Idaho Department of Water Resources. Protests were filed by PAUL CURLESS, MARSELLA SHOBE, ROBERT BECKER, BRETT EVANS, & MARK KUBIAK.

On October 23, 2017, Riley Creek Lumber Company, filed an Application for Permit No. 96-9686 with the Idaho Department of Water Resources. Protests were filed by PAUL CURLESS, MARSELLA SHOBE, ROBERT BECKER, BRETT EVANS, & MARK KUBIAK.

The department has scheduled the matter for a pre-hearing conference on **Wednesday, January 30, 2019, beginning at 10:00 AM**. The conference will be held at **Bonner County Commissioners Office, 308 US HWY 2, Sandpoint, ID 83864 Telephone: (208) 265-1438**.

Agenda items for the pre-hearing conference will include:

1. Identify spokesman and/or counsel representing the protestant
2. Review of the application
3. Identify issues of protest
4. Designate date for identifying witnesses
5. Designate target date for conducting administrative hearing if resolution is not possible during the pre-hearing conference.

The department encourages the applicant and protestants to discuss and resolve the protests before the pre-hearing conference. If private discussions are not possible or do not resolve

the protests, the department's Rules of Procedure provide for a pre-hearing conference to be held before scheduling a formal hearing.

The pre-hearing conference provides another informal opportunity for the applicant and protestants to meet. The parties often settle their differences at the pre-hearing conference. If a formal hearing is needed to resolve the protests, the pre-hearing conference serves as an opportunity to formulate or simplify the issues, obtain concessions of fact or identification of documents to avoid unnecessary proof, schedule discovery (when discovery is allowed), arrange for the exchange of proposed exhibits or prepared testimony, limit witnesses, schedule hearings, establish procedure at hearings, and address other matters that may expedite orderly conduct and disposition of the proceeding.

It is important for all parties to give considerable thought to each of these matters before appearing at the pre-hearing conference and to make the most of the opportunity to resolve the dispute informally.

The pre-hearing conference will be conducted in a facility that satisfies the accessibility requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act. If you require special accommodations in order to attend, participate in, or understand the pre-hearing conference, please notify the department at least (10) days prior to the hearing. Inquiries about scheduling, hearing facilities, etc., should be directed to **Tammy Alleman, (208) 762-2800**.

Dated this 12th day of December, 2018.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Douglas Jones", is written over a horizontal line.

Douglas Jones, P.E.
Northern Region Manager

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 12th day of December, 2018, true and correct copies of the documents described below were served by placing a copy of the same with the United States Postal Service, postage prepaid and properly addressed to the following:

Document Served: Notice of Pre-Hearing Conference
Hearing Procedure for Application for Transfer

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