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Ms. Jana Reeder
Sr. Water Right Agent
Idaho Department of Water Resources
650 Addison Ave. W, Suite 500
Twin Falls, ID 83301-5851

Dear Ms. Reeder:

Thank you for your inquiry about abandoning my portion of water right 36-7270, Country Club Estate Subdivision. I own two connected lots in the subdivision. I believe the quantity of water potentially supplied from the springs would amount to 2.24 GPM for each of the 14 lots sharing the water right. That amount of water represents over 3225 gallons per day per lot, which is more than adequate if a cistern is installed as a supply source for such use.

My plan is to combine the two lots and in the future to sell the lots as one property. Given that the water right was part of the agreement when the property was purchased, the value of the property benefits by having a portion of the water right included with the property. Therefore, my decision at this point is to not abandon my portion of the water right.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Ernest Brannon". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "E" and "B".

Ernest Brannon