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September 30, 2014

To: Applicant and Protestants

Re: Application for Permit No. 57-11840, Rohl Hipwell

Dear Interested Party:

This letter briefly summarizes the prehearing conference we completed today. After considerable discussion among the parties and the Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) staff present at the meeting, the following actions will be completed:

- IDWR will send this letter summarizing the conference;
- IDWR will issue a Notice of Proposed Default Order to Protestant Alley for failure to appear today;
- The Applicant will submit a written response to IDWR by October 27, 2014, regarding today's conference and a proposed next step; and
- IDWR will proceed with scheduling a status conference for November 6, 2014, possibly in the Oreana area (Murphy) and including telephone conference ability.

This letter includes a courtesy copy to a Protestant's North Dakota home, although the service address on that protest is for Oreana. However, it is not reasonable to expect all parties to copy all documents to two addresses for one party. Therefore, after today all documents sent to IDWR or sent by IDWR in this regard should use the attached distribution list. Anyone is welcome to change his or her address of record by submitting a written notice to this office and a copy to all other parties. This ensures we follow mandated procedures for protested applications.

Please contact me at 208-334-2190 if you have any questions. Thank you for your continued work on resolving this application.

Sincerely,

Steve Lester
Water Rights Supervisor

Enclosure: Distribution List