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STATE OF IDAHO
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

NOTICE OF PROTEST

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Department of Water Resources
Eastern Region

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 application # 79509 for changes to water rights
2. Name of protestant Mandy Beutler
3. Protestant's Representative for service (If different than protestant)

4. Service mailing address 19563 S. Hwy 91 Downey Id. 83234
5. Service telephone no. 208-705-2228 Email Address: Bthkbeutler@gmail.com
6. Basis of protest (including statement of facts and law upon which the protest is based)

See Attached

(additional pages may be attached to describe nature of the protest)

7. What would resolve your protest? _____

See attached

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 28 day of September, 2014.

Mandy Beutler
Protestant

Protestant's Representative

Receipt - E040298

To whom it may concern:

I am a Very concerned citizen because he is proposing a change in water rights in an area that is already short on water in general. We in this area have already been affected by other farmers that think it is ok to use water because they say their wells are really deep but anyone that understands how water aquifers work knows that when a lower water source is depleted than a upper will drain to the one that is depleted there for we have no water and then we have to drill another well and have water that smells like sulfur and is yellow and taste like a rubber tire. I know this because the only good water in this valley is in the wells that are shallower than 70 feet because any well past that has those things in them. I have one well of each so I know from experience. If this application is granted approval there will be a lot of problems let me state of few of them:

- 1: We will not have water in our homes or to water our yards or to water our animals.
- 2: Things will dry up and burn up.
- 3: People that cannot afford to dig a well will have to move and there for probably lose their homes because there is no water and who will buy a house with no water.
- 4: So then you have the housing market flooded with houses with no water and no people so it is safe to say a ghost town or nothing here like no jobs because no water for them to operate on.

Now these are just a few of the things that would happen if he drills a new well and ties them all together and to pull the amount of water that he is requesting is more than the canal system uses in our area in a year so you tell me why you would even consider giving this application the time of day

I really think that if he gets approval of this I can see a mutiny in our area against this applicant. This is not a threat but it is something he might want to look at before something bad happens with the whole area like the poor and the elderly struggling worse than the already do.

My protest is to stay open as things arise I will address them with this protest.

Mandy Beutler

The only real way to solve this protest is to not let this take place. I know that it is not what they will want to hear but it is the only way. Others have talked that they could sign a contract with everyone in the 5 mile area affected by this that if they have water trouble that he would dig a new well and maintain it and put a reverse osmosis system in and he would maintain it indefinitely but I don't see that happening because it would not be in his best interest but ours. So my conclusion is to turn this down with a big fat NO IT IS NOT GOING TO HAPPEN!!!!

Mandy Beutler

P.S. I have mailed a copy of this to Dirk Parkinson P.O. box 26. ST Anthony, Id. 83445