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Governor

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ARTHUR W EATON
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RE: Water Right No. 86-7304, and 86-12001

Notice of Pending Order to Void Permit

Dear Mr. Eaton:

On August 25, 2011, the Department of Water Resources (IDWR) conducted beneficial use field examinations on water rights 86-7304, and 86-12001. At the time of the examination, the flow meter on the wells was not working.

The final step in the water appropriation process is the issuance of a Water Right License. By issuing a license, IDWR recognizes that all the requirements for establishing a water right were met. No water right license can be issued, however, if the development authorized by the permit did not occur within the authorized time period. For that reason, before issuing a license IDWR must conduct an examination to verify the development (which was done on August 25, 2011), and obtain required information which involves getting a measurement from the system. At the time of the field examination, I indicated that when I returned to the area again, that I would be calling to schedule an appointment to take a physical measurement from the wells with a polysonic. I have left messages with you a couple times, and have called your son on August 28, 2012, who indicated that I needed to contact you directly.

I will be in your area again on October 2, 2012, and would be able to meet you at the pump house near the entrance of the mobile home park at 6:30pm. If you are unable to meet at that time, possibly your son would be available to open the pump houses. If I do not hear from you within (30)-thirty days, I will assume you no longer have any interest in establishing a water right, and I will take action to void the permits.

Please contact me by telephone at (208)287-4920, or via email: sandy.hemenway@idwr.idaho.gov

Respectfully,

Sandy Hemenway
Sr. Water Resource Agent