

Westra, John

From: Westra, John
Sent: Tuesday, August 13, 2013 8:21 AM
To: 'Joyce Ford'
Cc: Peppersack, Jeff
Subject: RE: Applications 78252 and 65-23493

Fords:

Thank you for your e-mail inquiry.

Protestants will be sent copies of all correspondence/documents relating to the applications.

Documents will also be scanned and available on our Department website as received.

The \$25 protest fee must accompany a protest for the current applications.

Unfortunately, we are not able to transfer the fee from a previous protest.

Keep in mind, that protests must be received by 5:00 PM August 19, 2013. The period will not be extended.

Should you have additional questions, please contact me at the Western Regional Office, phone 334-2190.

Regards

John Westra, Manager.

From: Joyce Ford [<mailto:joyciefromboise@yahoo.com>]
Sent: Friday, August 09, 2013 4:11 PM
To: Westra, John
Cc: Peppersack, Jeff; Spackman, Gary
Subject: Applications 78252 and 65-23493

Dear Mr. Westra,

My husband and I recently received a packet from your agency regarding the above listed applications. I also saw the legal notice that appeared in the paper. The question I have is why is IDWR processing an incomplete application? In a memo from Steve Lester to Bruce Smith dated July 12, 2013 many items were listed by Mr. Lester that were either missing or inaccurate on the original applications. Giving 30 days notice in that memo, that would mean all of that information was due at your office today. Yet those of us who wish to protest are not privy to those changes and have only the original incomplete, inaccurate application to base our protest on. The IDWR website as of today, still shows the same information on the original applications yet the newspaper listing is different from the original application. How is this possible?

This application was delayed for 14 months with no written requests for delay as your agency policies state. Those who would likely protest have been put to a clear disadvantage with inaccurate information. Our protests are due by August 19th, 2013 and we don't even know what the real application is going to say. When and if IDWR receives the updated applications will we receive copies of them? Will the protest period be extended?

Previously we paid \$25 to protest this same issue only to have Allen pull his application so it never went to hearing. Is any of that money going to be transferred to these protests?

Your prompt response would be greatly appreciated.