

Saxton, Craig

From: Saxton, Craig
Sent: Friday, September 14, 2012 10:12 AM
To: Raymond, Kade
Cc: Cefalo, James
Subject: RE: Banks Permit 29-7391

Kade,

I called David Banks this morning (son of permit holder Floyd Banks) and spoke with him about the weir. He said the old one rusted out and he has already got a new weir just waiting to be installed. He was going to put in next spring, but will have it installed by the week of the 24th thru 28th if you can make it out there to confirm it is in place. He seemed very agreeable and would like to get this taken care of and finished as well. I told him that you would call him and set up an appointment to meet with him.

His home phone is (208) 648-7856, which is where I reached him. He said you could also call his cell at (208) 221-7447.

Thanks. I really appreciate it. Let me know if it doesn't work out or you have any questions.

Craig

From: Raymond, Kade
Sent: Thursday, September 13, 2012 3:57 PM
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Yeah that sounds just fine. Like I said not next week, but the week after I will be up in that area doing some other work so I would be glad to set up an appointment with him.

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That helps. Then what I will probably do is contact the permit holder and if he is going to make the case that there is something out there, then I will drop you and James a line to see if you could set up an exam with him. Does that sound reasonable?

Thanks,
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From: Raymond, Kade
Sent: Thursday, September 13, 2012 3:35 PM

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Craig,

You are correct I did not contact the owner, James did not think it was necessary. I am pretty certain there is no weir, but as you can probably tell from the pictures some of the channel is overgrown with willows. I walked as much of it as I could. I would be very surprised if there was a weir located along there. I guess it wouldn't hurt to contact the permit holder, if he says there really is one there then I could go check it out. (I have to be up in that area in 2 weeks). Hope that helps, let me know if you need anything else from me.

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From: Saxton, Craig
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Hey Kade,

Thanks for the info you sent and I really appreciate you expediting this exam. I am looking to try to bring this permit to some sort of conclusion and if there is no weir installed, it probably means a notice of intent to void letter. However, I think James told me that you didn't contact the permit holder when you went on site. Is that correct? I am asking because if I am going to move toward a void order, we need to make really sure there isn't a measuring device hidden somewhere on that channel. Are you pretty familiar enough with the drain ditch to feel comfortable saying that we know for sure there is no weir and we are going to void the permit?

Sorry to dwell on this. I have just been looking through the file and the permit holder paid a second examination fee for us to come out and verify installation of the measuring device.

Anyway, let me know your thoughts on this when you have a chance.

Thanks,
Craig

From: Raymond, Kade
Sent: Wednesday, September 12, 2012 3:17 PM
To: Saxton, Craig
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Craig,

Sorry that I didn't get this to you sooner, let me know if you need anything different.

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