



State of Idaho

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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September 5, 2012

LOUIS D JEFFREY
2050 E MEDICINE WHEEL LN
KING HILL ID 83633

Re: Contested Application for Permit No. 61-12274 —Jeffrey

Dear Applicant:

Enclosed is a copy of the protest filed against the issuance of the above-referenced application. As part of the application process, the following are options available for resolution of contested (protested) applications:

-Direct contact with the protestant(s) to determine what is being disputed in the application and parties attempting to resolve the protest. Sincere conversation between the parties prior to initiation of formal proceedings can often resolve protest(s).

-Formal Proceedings consist of a pre-hearing conference & hearing through the water appropriation statute/rule process. A pre-hearing conference identifies the protest issues and reviews the resolution possibilities with the parties. If the issues cannot be resolved, a formal hearing will be scheduled.

-Mediation through a certified professional mediator. The advantages can include: reduced costs and time that are associated with formal proceedings, the ability to address non-water concerns, more influence over a final settlement, and fast track processing by the Department for parties reaching a mediated agreement. If you are interested in this option, please contact our office for details.

Please consider with the protestant the best option for resolution of the contested application.

The Department has scheduled a pre-hearing conference in the matter of the above referenced application for permit, which has been protested.

If you would like additional information, or need to further discuss the process, feel free to contact me at the Western Regional Office, phone 334-2190.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rachel Snunen". The script is cursive and fluid.

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JOHN WESTRA

Western Regional Manager

Cc: Robert K Hall

Edward T Potucek

Idaho Fresh Pak LLC

Rigby, Andrus, & Rigby Chartered

Rocky Mountain Environmental Associates Inc

Enclosures: Protest copy

Copy of protests filed



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For:

JOHN WESTRA
Western Regional Manager

Cc: Louis D Jeffrey

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