

Van Bussum, Monica

From: Van Bussum, Monica
Sent: Monday, June 13, 2011 4:02 PM
To: 'Keith C. Wilson'
Cc: Kristin Moore
Subject: RE: Water Supply Bank rental - Knife River Corp.

Hi Keith,

Thanks for providing this clarification. As mentioned in my last email, we will need ESPA model runs (and the Mitigation Analysis Tool if required to be run) for each application within 14 days. Please let me know if you have any questions. Thanks!

Monica

From: Keith C. Wilson [<mailto:kwilson@rockymountainenvironmental.com>]
Sent: Monday, June 13, 2011 9:46 AM
To: Van Bussum, Monica
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Monica,

There are two Bank Rental applications:

A. Knife River – **Idaho Falls** plant: Plant location (S½NE¼ & N½SW¼ Sec 36, T02N, R37E)

Transfer 3 acres of water right 35-7310A

Knife River will be requesting a rental from the Bank for the same 3 acre Transfer.

The Bank Application was sent with the cover letter dated 06/09/2011.

So it is likely that you will receive the application either today or tomorrow.

will talk with Kristin Moore about getting:

1) the data entry, 2) graphs, 3) calculated effects tab and 4) mitigation analysis tool if mitigation would be required

B. Knife River – **St. Anthony** plant: (Plant location SE¼SE¼ Sec 11, T07N, R40E approximately 42 miles North of *Knife River – Idaho Falls plant*)

No Water Right Transfer needed

Lease water from the Water Bank for two years.

Hopefully this will clear up any confusion.

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To: Keith C. Wilson
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been requesting that consultants run the model because of IDWR staffing levels. Would you mind running the model and sending me PDFs of 1) the data entry, 2) graphs, 3) calculated effects tab and 4) mitigation analysis tool if mitigation would be required?

I spoke with James Cefalo, who is Watermaster for Water District 100 and one of our IDWR Eastern Regional Office staff, and he said your office had filed a transfer application stating that a Bank application had been filed to rent 35-7310A. I don't see 35-7310A mentioned on the rental application and that is a possibility to rent but of course we would need a model run. It does seem a little counterintuitive to move such a small amount of 35-7310A all the way from Basin 35 to Basin 22, however.

Another possible candidate for the rental is 22-7336, which is located much closer to the proposed rental POU. Would you want to use that right instead?

Either way, we will need you to submit a model run with the required data. When you run the model, please model only the period anticipated for the Bank rental. I can give you 14 days to provide the model run, but please call me if you have questions or might need extra time. Thanks!

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