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July 29, 2008

RAYMOND STOLTEY
HC 75 BOX 3556
NEW MEADOWS ID 83654

Re: Water Permit No. 78-12245, Diverting Water from Little Elk Creek

Dear Mr. Stoltey:

Please be advised that diversion of water under your permit is not authorized from July 1 through October 31. This also means your diversion pipeline, regardless of its size, should not be in the creek during that period.

Compliance with permit conditions of approval is essential to protect your right to divert in the future. As noted in my July 17, 2008 letter to you, the issue of diverting a limited amount of water during this July through October can be revisited if this office receives the completed consent form from that previous letter.

Meanwhile, please be sure that your pipeline or any other diversion works are not present in the creek during this restricted period. Please contact me at 208-334-2190 if you have any questions in this regard. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Steve Lester', is written above the typed name.

Steve Lester
Water Rights Supervisor