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Re: Water Permit Application No. 96-9386

Dear Mary:

The Department of Water Resources is seeking written comment and/or recommendations from your agency regarding the above referenced water right application. A copy of the application follows for your reference.

This office can publish notice of the application as soon as the initial review is completed; therefore, your prompt response to this request is appreciated. If your agency desires to formally protest the approval of this application, you may do so *after the notice is published* by filing a written protest along with a \$25.00 filing fee within 10 days after final publication, and by sending a copy of your protest to the applicant. This is scheduled for publication May 1 & 8, 2008.

We are sending this to you for your comments, and would appreciate receiving your comments by no later than **May 19, 2008**. That is also the final date for protest to be received in our office.

If we do not hear from you by that date, we will assume that no comment from you means you have no objection to, concerns about, or conditions pertaining to the issuance of this permit.

You may send comments by regular mail to the address above, by FAX to 762-2819, or by e-mail to Keith.Franklin@idwr.idaho.gov.

We request that you send a copy of your comments regarding, and/or notice that you intend to protest this application to the applicant as well as to our office.

Please contact this office if you have any questions regarding the application.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Dianne'.

Dianne Ball
Administrative Assistant