

United States Department of Agriculture



Natural Resources Conservation Service
302 Profit Street
Rexburg, ID 83440

Idaho Department of Water Resources
Attn: Lyle Swank
900 North Skyline Drive
Idaho Falls, ID 83402

July 6, 2007

Dear Mr. Swank:

This letter is being written in regards to a proposed gravity feed pipeline in Clark County in the lower Medicine Lodge Creek area. The project was proposed by Brion Egan and Tod Shenton. They both applied for funding through the Environmental Quality Incentives Program and for a grant through the State of Idaho. This proposed pipeline will be a very beneficial project, as it will be a significant savings in water and electricity. The funding for this pipeline was received faster than expected, and will need to be expended by this fall. The pipeline has been surveyed by our engineer (Robert Lehman) and the point of diversion has been established. This project needs to be constructed by this fall, or the funds provided by the state could be lost.

It would be very beneficial to the implementation of the project to place the application for a change in point of diversion as a high priority. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please call Denise Adkins (ext. 114) or Cleve Bagley (ext. 113) at (208) 356-5701.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Denise Adkins".

Denise Adkins, District Conservationist
Rexburg Field Office

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