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PAYMENT DEADLINE:
JUNE 24, 2024

DIAMOND 2 RANCHES LLC
1250 RAYMOND RD
GENEVA, ID 83238

SUBJECT: Bear River Basin Adjudication (BRBA) Claim Fees

Dear claimant,

The Idaho Department of Water Resources (IDWR) received your BRBA water right claims filed through the Department's online claim portal. I am writing to address IDWR's filing fee requirements and initial observations of the claims received.

Enclosed is a copy of a spreadsheet describing the received online claims for DIAMOND 2 RANCHES LLC, highlighted. **The filing fees for this organization totals \$2,702.00.** The filing fees for both DIAMOND 2 RANCHES LLC and DIAMOND 3 RANCHES LLC totals \$9,199.00.

In previous conversations I discussed the Department's concerns related to the accuracy and completeness of the online claims submitted. The above-mentioned filing fee does not include evaluation for overlapping acres because of these concerns. I encourage you to evaluate the submitted claims and decide if you are satisfied with their accuracy and completeness. IDWR evaluates the claims as they are received. It is crucial that the water right claims are accurate and complete in order to make accurate recommendations to the Court for decree. The decreed water rights resulting from the BRBA will be the determination of how the water rights exist and are managed/protected. If you are not satisfied with the claims, please let the Department know and we can work together to file claim amendments. You may also find it beneficial to consider representation by a consultant or attorney to assist in the claims filing process.

Please complete your evaluation of the claims highlighted on the enclosed spreadsheet. If you are satisfied, the deadline to submit the filing fee is June 24, 2024, payable to IDWR and mailed to 325 East 600 South, Suite 300, Preston, ID 83263. IDWR will reject your claims if the filing fee is not received. If you have any questions regarding this letter, feel free to contact me. My telephone number is (208) 701-7201 and my email is christopher.holmes@idwr.idaho.gov.

Sincerely,

Christopher Holmes
Water Rights Supervisor