

March 11, 1996

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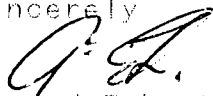
Dear Mr. Elgan

It recently has come to our attention that you may own property and share a water right with Salmon River Ranches. Will you please provide this office the name of the person or persons from whom you purchased the subject property and who owns it presently.

Each water right holder is required to pay a maintenance fee each year for water rights held on Salmon Falls creek. We would appreciate if you could send us the information so as we could update our records. Failure to pay the annual maintenance fee could result in a loss of that water right.

When we receive the information, we will send the appropriate owner(s) a bill for the 1996 maintenance fee. Should you have any questions, please call James E. Stanton at the Department of Water Resources, Twin Falls office.

Sincerely



Armand Eckert, Secretary
Water District 47G