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Water District: 43-B, Upper Raft River & Clear Creek

Dear Mr. Hope;

We have received the minutes of this year's water meeting, your 1998 adopted budget, your 1997 financial statement, and your 1998 billing statement to the Cassia County tax collector. These documents have been placed in the appropriate files, even though the adopted budget does not seem to make sense. Since the form states that this year's budget is \$2000., the total budget amounts for all the users on both streams should add up to that amount. However, the individual budgets add up to \$2974. The adopted budget shows the estimated total cost of running the district for this year, and each user's share of that cost. The amounts shown on this form do not reflect any credits or debits from previous years, nor any funds that are already on deposit in the district's bank account. You may wish to redo this form, but that is up to you. Since I do not approve or deny the budget forms, I am just pointing out an apparent discrepancy. Let me know if you need more forms.

Regards,

James E. Stanton
Sr. Water Resource Agent