

Mr. Bob Foster
Idaho Department of Water Resources
Salmon, Idaho 83467

May 22, 2008

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Dear Mr. Foster:

We are residents within the Ajax Peak subdivision whose water rights are served via the upper ditch on the north side of Carmen Creek. In spite of the high flows in the drainage at this time, and what seems to be the proper amount of water within the ditch as it approaches the subdivision, not all who have rights recognized by the Department are able to obtain irrigation water.

Several sprinkler lines are utilized by various individuals and it is our belief that some take well in excess of the appropriate quantity of water from the ditch.

In order that we may correctly apportion the water, and to avoid misunderstandings or disputes, we ask that you measure the pressure, orifice sizes, etc. of the various lines so that the quantity delivered by each can be accurately determined. Since some users are not receiving water, we hope that you can conduct the measurements quickly.

We will be available to assist at your convenience. Thank you for your cooperation in resolving this issue.

Sincerely,

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The current situation is also adversely affecting water available to Thomas Family Trust, Steven Yowell, and Phillip Eisenhauer, who are not available for signature at this time.

cc: IDWR Adjudication Bureau, Idaho Falls
Ray Rigby