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February 25, 2013

Re: Idaho Water Resource Board Ground Water Recharge Application

On March 20, 1998, the Idaho Water Resource Board (Board) filed 19 applications to divert water from the Snake River for managed aquifer recharge. All 19 applications were protested. On January 15, 2013, following a series of meetings between the Board and interested parties, the Board modified 15 of the original 19 applications. Four of the applications were not modified. The 15 modified applications were consolidated into 4 applications, making a current total of 8 applications.

The Department is contacting you because you originally filed a notice of protest in connection with Application 01-7143, which is one of the 15 modified applications. Because of the modification, Application 01-7134 has been renumbered to 01-10609. The Department will publish statewide notice for Application 01-10609 in accordance with Section 42-203A, Idaho Code, and timely protests will be accepted. The Department will apply your original protest against Application 01-7143 to Application 01-10609 only upon timely written notification to do so. **There will be no additional filing fee if you choose to continue your protest.**

If you wish to apply your original protest to Application 01-10609, you must file your request with the Director, Department of Water Resources, 322 E. Front St., Boise, ID 83720-0098, on or before **March 25, 2013**.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

Craig L. Saxton
Water Rights Supervisor