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RE: Water Rights Report for Claims in Basin 97 Part 2
Clark Fork-Pend Oreille River Basin Adjudication (CFPRBA)

Dear Water Right Claimant(s):

Please find enclosed the Idaho Department of Water Resources recommendations for your water right claim(s) in Basin 97, Part 2 that have been reported to the CFPRBA Court. This report recommends water right claims within the Clark Fork-Pend Oreille River drainage in Bonner County. Also enclosed with this letter is the *Notice of Filing Director's Report for Basin 97, Part 2 Water Rights* ("Notice"). The Notice includes instructions for reviewing (1) your recommended water right(s), and (2) other recommended water right claims in your area.

You have until May 22, 2026 to review the recommendations for your water right(s) or those of other claimants and to file any objection to the Director's recommendations. Information on the other recommended water right claims can be found at the county courthouses in Sandpoint and Bonners Ferry, and at all the Idaho Department of Water Resources offices (see addresses in the same enclosure). The Notice lists the deadlines for objections or responses and the procedures for filing those documents.

If no timely objections are filed with the CFPRBA Court regarding the Director's recommendation for your water right claim(s), your water right(s) are expected to be decreed as recommended within approximately one year. You will receive a decree from the CFPRBA Court. To ensure successful delivery of your decree, please keep the IDWR updated with any changes to your ownership information or mailing address.

Completion of the CFPRBA is important for the future of water management in Idaho. We invite you to contact our regional offices with any questions you have about your water right(s) or this adjudication process. Questions can be directed to the adjudication staff at 1-800-451-4129.

Respectfully,

Mathew Weaver, Director
Idaho Department of Water Resources