October 30, 2020

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Re: Rule 40.05(g) Notice & Solicitation for Comment
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT NOS. 63-34403, 63-34652, 63-34897 & 63-34900

Dear Interested Party:

We represent Applicant Cat Creek Energy, LLC, which has filed with the Idaho Department of Water Resources ("IDWR") applications for water right permit nos. 63-34403, 63-34652, 63-34897 and 63-34900. The applications seek to appropriate water from the South Fork of the Boise River for storage in Elmore County to be used for non-consumptive power generation and also to provide water for irrigation, municipal, domestic, industrial, commercial mitigation and recharge uses downstream in the Treasure Valley, Basin 63.

This letter is being mailed to each city, county, tribal reservation, irrigation district, and canal company located within the point of diversion or place of use of the water rights, except those that are already parties to the IDWR proceeding, and to the Idaho Department of Fish & Game and the Idaho Department of Environmental Quality. The purpose of this letter is to invite comment on the effects of the construction and operation of the proposed project in compliance with IDWR's Water Appropriation Rule 40.05.g and an order issued by IDWR Director Gary Spackman on October 20, 2020.

The applications and supporting documents are available for review and download on the IDWR website at www.idwr.idaho.gov. The website includes a water right search tool that can be used to look up the applications by number. A hyperlink to each application is also included at the end of this letter.

Notice of the applications was previously published by IDWR in the Mountain Home News, Idaho Statesman, Post Register, Lewiston Morn Tribune, and Times News. The time within which to file a protest has expired, but comments may be submitted.

Please submit any comments you may have to IDWR Director Gary Spackman, with a copy to the applicant, at the following addresses.

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If you have any questions or desire additional information about the applications, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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Cc: 
IDWR Director Gary Spackman  
Parties of Record  
Cat Creek Energy, LLC
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