

## State of Idaho DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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Dear Interested Persons:

On February 16, 2017, Gordon Sylte, Susan Goodrich, John Sylte, and Sylte Ranch Limited Liability Company (collectively, "Sylte") filed with the Idaho Department of Water Resources (Department) a petition for declaratory ruling. The petition requested that the Department set aside the September 20, 2016, letter the Department sent to the watermaster of Water District 95C requiring the watermaster adhere to detailed instructions contained therein in administering water rights pursuant to the Final Decree, In the Matter of the General Determination of the Rights to the Use of the Surface Waters of Twin Lakes, Including Tributaries and Outlets, Case No. 32572 (1st Jud. Dist. Ct. April 20, 1989).

The Department is required to send notice of the petition to all persons likely to be interested in the matter. The Department has determined that you are an interested party who should have received the notice, but that you did not. In order to rectify that oversight, I have attached a copy for your review.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at (208) 762-2800.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure: Notice of Pre-hearing Conference; Order Setting Deadline for Petitions to Intervene and Appointing Hearing Officer