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Director

August 24, 2012

Lynn C. Keetch  
70 Camp Stewart Rd.  
Montpelier, ID 83254

Re: Twin Lakes Canal Co. application for permit no. 13-7697

Dear Lynn,

I received your letter dated August 16, 2012. The Twin Lakes Canal Company water right application is currently pending before me in an active contested legal proceeding. Because I am the decision maker in the contested case, it is not appropriate for me to comment on the merits of the application. When the contested case is completed, I would be happy to discuss it with you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Gary Spackman". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Gary Spackman  
Director

cc: Parties (w/encl.)  
James Cefalo

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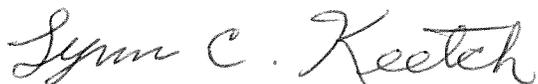
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Dear Mr. Spackman,

I am writing with concerns about the denial of the Twin Lakes Dam and water right issue located in Franklin county on the Bear River. I testified two times on behalf of the proposal, once with FERK, and again with the Idaho Water Department in Pocatello. As an individual I support of the Twin Lake Dam and also as President of the Idaho Water Users Association. The Idaho Water Users Association has a resolution supporting Twin Lake Canal Company project.

I am asking for an understanding why this project was denied and also if there is anything that we can do as Idaho Water Users Association or individuals to get this project back on track. I strongly support this proposal since this project would allow Idaho water to stay in Idaho.

Sincerely,



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I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2012, true and correct copies of the document described below were served by placing a copy of the same with the United States Postal Service, postage prepaid and properly addressed to the following:

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