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BOISE, IDAHO

Idaho Department of Lands

Concerning Docket No. CC-2023-OGR-01-001, Application for Integration.

As a land owner in Section 24, Township 8, Range 5 West, Boise, Meridian, Payette County Idaho, WE OBJECT TO THE APPLICATION FOR INTEGRATION OF OUR PROPERTY.

Not only did we not agree to the lease presented to us but now we have to go out of our way to submit an objection, and seek legal help, before being FORCED into the lease. It is beyond us that it's even somehow "legal", reasonable or just to be able to basically try and force anyone into a lease unwillingly.

Some of our concerns include:

Near our home in Fruitland, in Section 19 (<https://ogcc.idaho.gov/maps/>), less than a mile from our house is a permitted well. It has already been a nuisance as far as noise. During the week of Jan 2nd, without any warning to nearby home owners, they had a well burn off for multiple days. According to our observation of Exhibit A provided to us. As well as the description to the location of the exploratory well stated on page 2, #5 Statement of proposed operations for the spacing unit. It would directly affect us, being very near to our home and other homes in the area (see copy of exhibit A provided).

With that being said, In the event of the well seeping this may cause an issue with contamination of water in the nearby area including our home, others, and the creek that runs through many properties into the Payette River. Possibly contaminating other areas.

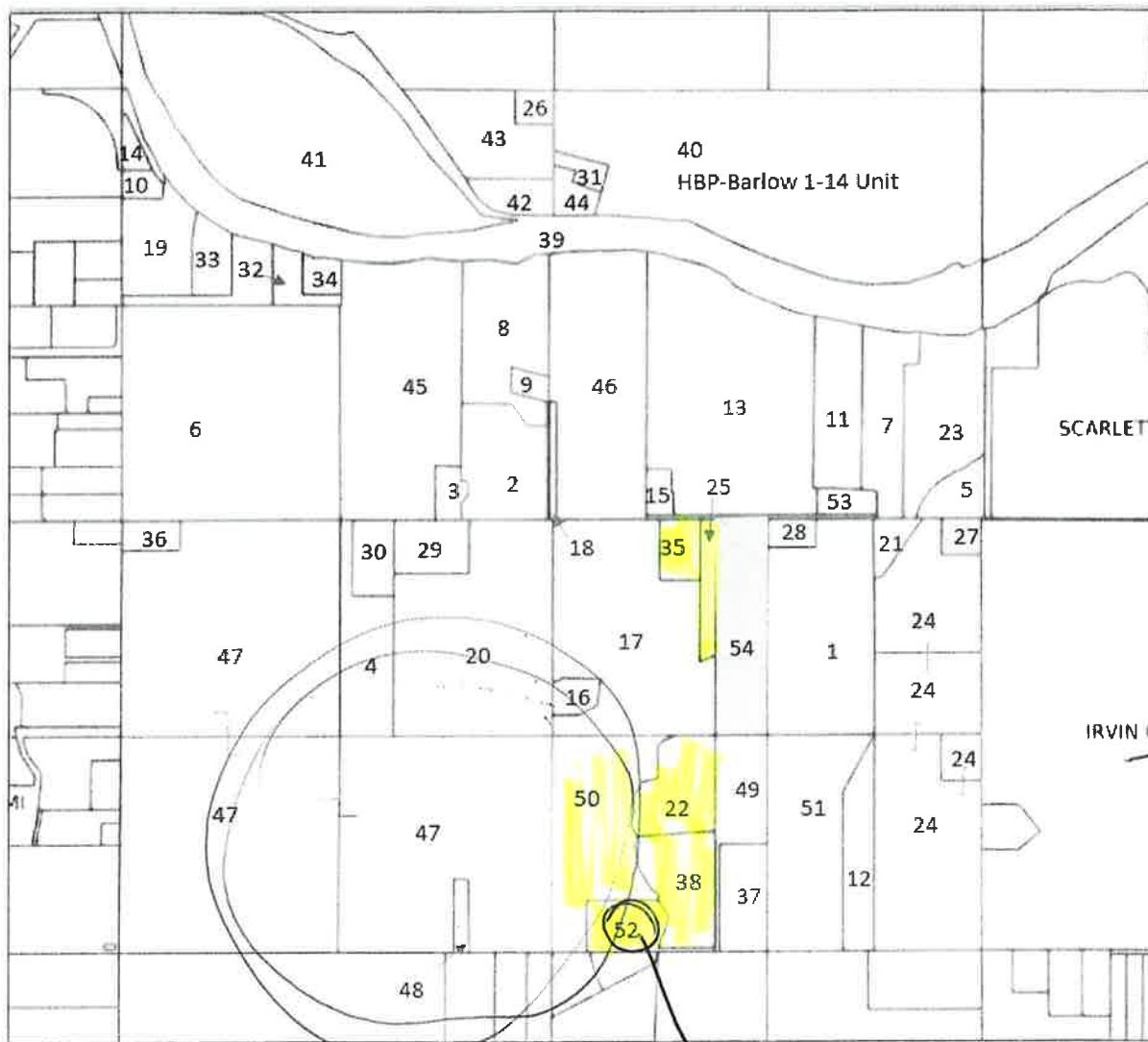
This also may affect our privacy as landowners, we do not wish to have people on or near our property without consent, at any given time. We have animals, and livestock and we wish they be left undisturbed.

Sincerely

Andrew and Jessica Ogburn



**Exhibit A**  
**Section 24, Township 8 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian**  
**Payette County, Idaho**



Well  
NO 16  
Irving  
cattle  
1-19

our home

Exploratory well ~~S~~  $\frac{1}{4}$  of SW  $\frac{1}{4}$  of map

## EXHIBIT B

### Declaration of David M. Smith

3. Geologic statement concerning the likely presence of hydrocarbons (Idaho Code § 47-320(4)(c)):

The likely presence of hydrocarbons in Section 24 is described in the Declaration of David M. Smith, a copy of which is attached hereto as **Exhibit B**.

4. Statement that the proposed drill site is leased (Idaho Code § 47-320(4)(d)):

As attested in the Declaration of David M. Smith, attached as **Exhibit B**, the proposed drill site for the initial well is located in the SE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Section 24 (Tract 47). As attested in the Declaration of Travis Boney, landman for Applicant, attached as **Exhibit C**, the proposed drill site is leased from Wayne A. Snavelly and Janis L. Snavelly, Trustees of the Wayne A. and Janis L. Snavelly Family Trust. Drilling activities will not occur on lands to be integrated.

5. Statement of proposed operations for the spacing unit, including the name and address for the proposed operator (Idaho Code §47-320(4)(e)):

Snake River Oil and Gas, LLC, intends to drill an initial exploratory well in the SE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Section 24, Township 8 North, Range 5 West, Payette County. The intended well is being drilled to explore for natural gas and hydrocarbon liquids. The planned initial well location is approximately 700' from the nearest (south) unit boundary.

Because of the exploratory nature of the proposed activity and the composition of hydrocarbons to be produced, the specific subsequent operations currently are unknown. A gathering pipeline has been constructed in the vicinity, providing connection to processing facilities to the east of the area, and it will be utilized to produce the proposed well should the well prove to be productive. Should a productive well be developed, it is anticipated that operations may be similar to the operations found at the previously drilled and completed wells in the area, such as the Fallon #1-10, Fallon #1-11, Barlow #1-14, Barlow #2-14, and Irvin #1-19 wells. There may be limited surface equipment at the well location, with the well connected via gathering line to the existing processing facility at Highway 30.

Operations will be conducted in compliance with IDAPA 20.07.02. Once the well is drilled, the operator will submit well logs and a completion report as required by IDAPA 20.07.02.340 and .341. Should the well prove productive, the operator will submit production reporting, meter oil and gas, and submit an oil/gas ratio report, as required by IDAPA 20.07.02.400-.405. The operator will comply with production, well test, production potential, completion, and other operator reporting requirements of Idaho Code § 47-324. The operator will submit well logs as required by Idaho Code § 47-324.

It is proposed that Snake River Oil and Gas, LLC, whose address is listed above, be designated as the operator for the spacing unit.

6. Proposed joint operating agreement and proposed lease form (Idaho Code §47-320(4)(f)):