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Idaho Department of Lands
Attn: Mick Thomas
300 N. 6th Street, Suite 103
P.O. Box 83720
Boise, ID 83720

RE: ALTA MESA GAS/OIL WELL FRUITLAND, ID

Dear Mr. Thomas,

We have not received any packet from the Idaho Department of Lands, (IDL) requesting our comments on the upcoming hearing on February 12th and have not signed any lease with the above company or any other company regarding our property on Cottonwood Drive.

We are writing this letter in **OPPOSITION** to Alta Mesa drilling near our home. Our home is just south of the Payette River. The Fallon well is 100 yards south of the Payette River and 1000 feet from the Fruitland Water Plant. We can look out our backyard and see the water plant, we are that close. We are very concerned about the safety of our water, quality of our air, our property values, our health and the health of families in our neighborhood.

We purchased our home in July 2019 and love Fruitland and the surrounding area. We DO NOT want to see any of the above potential issues arise in this community or our home.

WE VOTE NO!!!!

We expect the Idaho Department of Lands to do your job and protect private property rights.

Respectfully,



Gale M. Gehret



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