

TO: Idaho Oil & Gas Conservation Commission

FROM: Julie Fugate

RE: Application Permit for proposed drill site, Section 15

I feel I have been violated by Payette County and the Oil & Gas Commission. I live just ¼ mile from the proposed drill site. I have been diagnosed with cancer three times in recent years. As a result, I have a compromised immune system and am seriously at risk for multiple health issues because of the drill's site proximity to my home.

Would you like a drill site to be within one mile of your home, let alone 1320 feet? Please tell me WHY I should move so someone from Arkansas can make money and cause harm to those of us that live near this drill site?

Arkansas based Snake River Oil & Gas (and their former partner AMI) have received many serious violations for illegal operations that threaten public health in Payette County. **You have not held them accountable!** I believe the Payette County Commissioners are aware of these violations. However, they refuse to make setbacks one-half mile away from all homes, schools and businesses to keep the residents safe in Payette County.

Other states dealing with this industry for years, have chosen to make stricter setbacks and increased protections (ex. Texas, New Mexico, California, Colorado). Why can't we LEARN from these states? Are we leaving our children and grandchildren with the responsibility to correct this catastrophic nightmare?

I have my own domestic well. I am concerned my water aquifer may be compromised. If so, I will be consuming and exposed to water ridden with cancer causing chemicals.

Please know I am NOT against drilling, it simply does not belong next to homes, schools, churches, medical facilities and businesses.

Please DENY this application based on both the air and water risk to all of us in the Fruitland community.

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