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TO: Kourtney Romine

RE: Well Application

Dear Ms. Romine,

This well is in Fruitland's impact zone. I would like answers on why the Payette County Commissioners have threatened to sue the Fruitland City Council for passing a solid protective oil and gas ordinance that covers the impact zone. Taxpayers deserve transparency.

Statue does not allow drilling close to an existing well. Is the plan to not produce the Barlow 1-14 well? If so, why? Were there man caused mistakes drilling that well? What harm has been done to the ground and nearby river? Taxpayers deserve transparency.

With the close proximity to the river, why hasn't an Environmental Impact Statement been completed for Barlow 2-14, along with the existing Barlow and Fallon wells? There are valid concerns regarding leaks, spills or deliberate dumping of drilling fluids or tailings which will cause far-reaching contamination to water, soil and sensitive wildlife habitats.

Why is the Idaho Department of Lands pushing hard and fast to have the Fallon well in production, processing yet another spacing application, and now a new well application?

Why are you NOT listening to the cries shouted over and over by the very property owners living next to these well sites?

Start doing the job citizens pay you to do – which is protecting our rights instead of this untrustworthy industry with a proven negative track record.

Payette County deserves better! Idaho deserves better!

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