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Paragonah Town
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As you are aware there was a concern as to the possibility of the pipes at Warm Spring being connected in reverse to what they should be, i.e. the Town water connected to the Canal Company side and the Canal Company connected to the Town side. After an inspection of this situation by Robbie Topham (Town employee), Bob Talbot (Paragonah Canal Company) and Sam Lister (Paragonah Canal Company), it was determined that the connections are correct; however, the diversion inside the box has been modified in a manner that allows the Town to divert more water than they have right to divert and that the diversion was designed to provide. In as much as the Town is the only party with access to the spring box and the diversion it can be assumed that the modification was made by the Town.

At the time of this inspection the valve controlling the level of water in the diversion was adjusted so the water spilled over the top of the measuring weir on the Town side of the box. It was estimated by those present that the flow going to the Town was approximately 400 gallon per minute. This is almost double what the Town is entitled to divert.

The Canal Company assumes this situation will be corrected immediately by removal of the modification to the diversion.

In the future the Canal Company will be consulted before any changes are made. In as much as this is a jointly owned spring the Canal Company will have access to this spring box and diversion in the future.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact Sam Lister, President, Paragonah Canal Company.



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