

February 16, 2001

Ray Firth
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Paul ID 83347

Dear Mr. Firth:

There have arisen some questions concerning the distribution of water on South Fork Junction Creek, Basin Creek and Raft River. Enclosed is a **draft** priority schedule which our office has prepared based on a review of our records.

We will hold a meeting of the water users on these streams on **Friday, March 2, 2001, at 2:00 p.m., at:**

The Raft River Rural Electric Association
Board Room
Malta, Idaho

The purpose of the meeting will be to discuss the **draft** priority schedule and whether or not it should be adopted in the regulation of water diversions in the area.

It is my understanding that you have a great deal of knowledge concerning and experience with the use of water in this area. It would be very beneficial to all the parties involved if you would be willing to attend the meeting and share with us your understanding of the way water has been distributed in the area.

Any help you could give us in this regard would be greatly appreciated. If you have any questions concerning this meeting or the **draft** priority schedule, please contact me at (801)538-7380 or Bob Fotheringham at (435)752-8755.

Sincerely,

Lee H Sim, P.E.
Assistant State Engineer for Distribution

cc: Bob Fotheringham