

RECEIVED
JUL 25 2006
KITITIAS COUNTY
CDS

Kittitas County Community Development Services
411 N. Ruby Street, Suite 2
Ellensburg, WA 98926

Dear Scott Turnbull, Staff Planner,

I realize I am late responding to your notice of Application for three conditional use permits – McIntosh CUP. However I was traveling and did not receive the notice.

I do have concerns about the digging of the pits. My land borders the McIntosh land and my land is very wet. It is a great habitat for geese, duck, other water fowl, muskrats, and fish. I have had an otter in my pond. I do not want to see this natural habitat disappear.

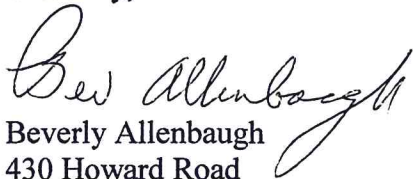
My concern is the lowering of the water level if the pits are dug, therefore destroying the habitat I have on my property.

When I observe other properties that have had a similar use, the land around has dried up. Look at the house by Ellensburg Cement property.

I want a guarantee that my property will not be adversely affected by the lowering of the water level.

If you approve the use and there is a drying of my land how will you provide my land with the water needed to maintain this natural habitat?

Sincerely,



Beverly Allenbaugh
430 Howard Road
Ellensburg, WA 98926

I am leaving again, be back 8-24/06