Lindsey Ozbolt

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Lindsey,

I owned property in Kittitas County for 20+ years and am very familiar with the stretch of river along which the Yakima River Campground is being proposed. When I read the filed proposal, an issue which perplexes me is how the 3-500 campers would be able to use essentially one septic field/tank. It seems guaranteed to lead to some effluent leeching into the river, and into the lake on the adjacent property. It seems like that is a hot spot which should get some attention. I believe there is a water table there which is about the height of the river itself. It is hard to imagine that this drain field would be sufficient in size to serve the people which are scheduled to camp there without generating some form of chemical hazard to everyone. Please look into that.

Also, WDFW has an employee who is very familiar with this site, Mr. William Meyer, in the Ellensburg office. You may find him a valuable resource as you investigate this tract and application. His phone number is 509-933-2491. Thanks.

Gayle Bush

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