

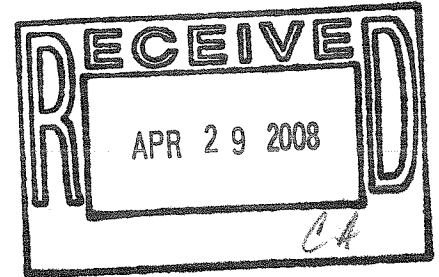


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Subject: Tillman Creek #5; Group B Water System; Kittitas County
Variance to Allow Access Road within 100 Feet of a Group B Well

Dear Chad:

We have reviewed the variance request made to allow the existing well for the Tillman Creek #5 Group B water system to be approved within 70 feet of the access road being proposed. By copy of this letter the variance request is being approved.

I approved this variance request after reviewing the well construction shown on the provided well log, including the facts that clay material was encountered from 0 to 197 feet, the roadway within the control area will be graded to slope away from the well and the road side ditch(s) will be lined within the 100-foot control area.

With these proposed mitigation measures in place, we believe this well will be adequately protected from any surface contamination that may occur in the vicinity of the well. Please contact me at 509-456-2453, if you have questions or need additional assistance.

Sincerely,

Tom Justus, PE
Regional Engineer
Office of Drinking Water
Division of Environmental Health

cc: Kittitas County Health Department

