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Community Development Services

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Attention: Kellie Bacon

I'm writing this letter in regard to the recent application by Brown & Jackson's request to build 2 septic sewage ponds (lagoons), I am formally writing this letter in opposition to this application. I currently live off the Vantage HWY near the location proposed in the foothills of the mountains north of the Operating Engineers Training School and the highline canal. Considering the mountain's slope south eastward would pose a great health hazard to me and our family and the growing population in this area as possible future underground leakage of septic sewage disposal would contaminate our well water and the atrocious smell coming from these lagoons would be overwhelming to say the least.

In addition to support the underground leakage possibility, about 4 or 5 years ago another company dug and prepared 2 lagoons south of the Vantage HWY about 7 miles east of Parke Creek Road the Health Department or a similar county agency shut them down because of possible leakage into the ground water and contaminate wells in this area. It would be beneficial for Brown & Jackson to contract with the Ellensburg sewage treatment and reclamation system already in use for all of us with Ellensburg addresses.

Thank you for the consideration of this request.

Robert F. Johnson

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