Dear Ms. Bacon:

This letter is in response to the septic and sewage storage ponds being planned by Brown & Jackson on on above described land parcel number and file number.

We, Scott and Kay Shelton, own and operate Honest Cut Meats, a retail and custom specialty meat market, on our property at 15450 Vantage Highway, where Park Creek underpasses the Vantage Highway.

We are extremely opposed to the above proposed project due to the fact that any accidental spillage, leakage, or overflow will flow directly down Park Creek into everyones private wells and ground water. Our well produces water that we use in our retail production for cleaning and adding to different recipes and food mixes. This could easily poison the public that shops at our business and eventually destroy our business, not to mention, our small ranch.

Locating this type of facility immediately adjacent to a year around free flowing creek, and drainage system, could have, and probably will have a tremendously negitive affect on all the surrounding landowners, and businesses.

Also, the tax parcel in question would force the setteling ponds to be no more than 100 to 200 yards above the Kittitas Reclaimation District mail canal, that supplies irrigation water for many thousand acres of agricultural production ground. Any leakage, spillage, or drainage would enter the canal immediately and possible affect half of the Kittitas Valley.

We strongly suggest Brown & Jackson consider a better sight NOT adjacent to free flowing streams, and the ability to negatively affect so many residents and businesses.

This is why we strongly disagree with and oppose this project, and encourage Kittitas County officials to deny approval and permitting for this project.

Sincerely,

Scott and Kay Shelton (509) 899-2123