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January 7, 2005

Spirit Lake East Water Company  
Robert J Boyle  
15807 E Indiana Ave  
Spokane, WA 99216-1864

RE: Spirit Lake East Water System, PWS ID1280176

Dear Mr. Boyle:

Thank you for your letter of January 4, 2005 concerning the improvement of the Spirit Lake East Water System. We will extend the previous deadline for submission of plans for construction until March 15, 2005. This should provide an adequate time for Welch Comer and Associates to prepare a report detailing what they feel is necessary for the water system and submit plans for remediation. Please ask Welch Comer and Associates to address their analysis and subsequent engineering design to Mr. Gary Gaffney at the Idaho Department of Environmental Quality office at 2110 Ironwood Parkway in Coeur d'Alene.

We are aware of the complexities of the issues surrounding this matter and feel that a more studied and thorough approach might better serve the residents of the water system.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact either Gary Gaffney or myself at the address listed above. Our phone number is (208) 769-1422.

Sincerely,

Anthony P. Davis  
Analyst

c: Steve Tanner, Drinking Water Program Supervisor, IDEQ CRO  
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