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To: Water Permit Review Board, Bozeman Solvent Site Controlled Groundwater Area

Subject: Proposed Groundwater Permit Application No. 41H 30127867

The Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation (DNRC) has recently determined Permit Application No. 41H 30127867 submitted by FLIR Systems, Inc. located in the Bozeman Solvent Site Controlled Groundwater Area (CGWA) as correct and complete. DNRC is now consulting with the CGWA Water Permit Review Board (WPRB). The Board, in its advisory role to the DNRC, may make recommendations on technical aspects for conditions needed on new permits or on approval or denial of an application. The Department may, at its discretion, consult with the Board or any of its members for technical expertise and advice. See [Final Order and Proposal for Decision](#) to establish the CGWA. This permit is for a Type B permit to appropriate groundwater and will contain the required condition allowing access for sampling and testing as per Item 4 on page 7 of the Final Order.

The following documents accompany this letter as part of the application packet for your review:

- Groundwater Permit Application Technical Report
- Aquifer Test Report
- Depletion Report
- Appendix A (Water Right List)
- BSS CGWA FLIR Systems Qualitative Evaluation Report

A 30-minute Zoom meeting is scheduled on Wednesday, June 9, 2021, at 9 am to provide WPRB an opportunity to discuss technical aspects of the proposed permit and to recommend conditions for the permit. If no response is received from you or your representative, we will assume that you have no concerns or recommendations.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Melissa Schaar".

Melissa Schaar
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Sent via email: Kate Fry, DEQ; Matt Kelley, Gallatin City-County Health Department; Torie Haraldson, Gallatin Local Water Quality District; Jim Sullivan, Tasman Geoscience; Allan Frohberg, FLIR representative