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Mr. Spangle -

On behalf of the Spokane County Water Conservancy Board (SCWCB or "Board"), I am requesting technical assistance and consultation per RCW 90.80.055 from the Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) regarding SCWCB applications SPOK-22-01, SPOK-22-02, and SPOK-22-03 (the "applications"). As you are aware, the SCWCB approved the ROD for these applications based on the Report of Examination (attached) provided by the applicant's consultant; the Board withdrew the approved applications from Ecology due to concerns regarding the calculation of Annual Consumptive Quantity (ACQ) for the applications. The applicant's consultant has resubmitted revised ROEs for the applications (attached). Based on the nature of the revisions, the Board desires that Ecology (1) review the ROEs as revised and (2) provide an opinion regarding the revised ROEs and their compliance with State law and rule.

As ACQ is a novel concept or the Board, the Board invites Ecology to our next scheduled Board meeting on **February 13, 2023 at 4:00 p.m.** for the purpose of presenting to and educating the Board on calculation of ACQ, particularly as it relates to the applications under consideration. Additionally, we invite Ms. Jamie Short to attend, meet the Board, and answer any questions the Board members may have. The Board meeting is held at:

Spokane County Water District #3 1225 N Yardley St Spokane Valley, WA 99212

We look forward to meeting with you on February 13th.

Kind regards,

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