From: Vic Clayson [mailto:vkclayson@charter.net] Sent: Friday, April 22, 2016 8:17 AM To: Mike Kaputa <<u>Mike.Kaputa@CO.CHELAN.WA.US</u>> Subject: Comment on Icicle Basin water

Good morning,

I appreciate the opportunity you're giving for public comment on the Icicle Basin water issue.

I'm very much in favor of increasing the capacity for water storage. I don't know just how this is going to be done or if the source of funding is known. If funding is available and the various agencies can come to an agreement to repair dams where necessary or whatever needs to be done to get more storage, I'm all for it. I'm not claiming to be an expert in how to do it but I'm sure that there are experts who know how to get the job done and I'm going to trust them to do that.

It seems like such a waste to see all of the brown, muddy water going down the Wenatchee River every spring. I assume that whatever is done in the Icicle Basin probably won't do much, if anything, to reduce the high level of water that we see so often during parts of the year. Even so, if there's a way we could even do more to contain some of that water I'd also be for that but I'm realistic enough to know that isn't likely to happen.

Sincerely, Vic Clayson Cashmere