## **Wenatchee Heights Reclamation District**

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June 10, 2025

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## **RE: MISSION RIDGE EXPANSION PROJECT**

The Wenatchee Heights Reclamation District has un-addressed concerns that your proposed development has with regards to trespassing and contamination of the District's Upper Wheeler Reservoir. As you well know, the sheer beauty of the area and the lake will attract those adventurers seeking to hike the area. The encroachment upon our reservoir and potential contamination from swimmers and/or polluters will have a serious impact on local water-users and their ability to meet the new Federal "Food Safety Modernization Act" water quality standards.

In addition, orchards and other farm land are already impacted by the action of others in the reduction of wildlife habitat and rerouting migration corridors.

Domestic water supplies, if from the drilling of wells, will have impact on the District's water sources in lower streams.

In addition to the proceeding concerns is the potential for pollution from septic/sewage systems on our various water sources; and potential fire damage to the watershed if the existing spruce – bud worm damage continues to spread in the adjacent forests.

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## **Wenatchee Heights Reclamation District**

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October 19, 2018

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## **RE: MISSION RIDGE EXPANSION PROJECT**

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