PROTEST

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Protestant: Lowell Prince

c/o New Harmony Town

PO Box 620

New Harmony, Utah 84757

RE: Protest of Water Right Application 81-5491

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A hearing is requested.

We, as a town are concerned about this water right request. Creating water rights where they don't currently exist, and hoping there is indeed an underground river far below the known aquafers is dangerous for any of the existing wells and springs. We feel that this action would negatively affect the levels of our wells and springs, not to mention all the other private water companies and personal wells in the New Harmony valley, which would require all of us to pay the cost of drilling deeper wells.

If the St. George area needs more water from the water conservancy district, because they are developing too fast, the common sense thing to do is to slow the development. Our town feels very strongly that this action will have negative impacts on the levels in our wells and springs. You can't rob Peter to pay Paul, it always ends badly.

New Harmony Town