

## Grant Beck

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**From:** Maria Chodowski [mclife200@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 21, 2009 10:52 AM  
**To:** Grant Beck  
**Subject:** Re: Proposed MDNS vs EIS-Yelm

Dear Mr. Beck,

As a resident of Yelm since 2000, I am writing to voice my concern for the proposed MDNS vs. EIS having to do with additional water supply to Yelm.

I live on Rathbun Rd. in Yelm and would therefore be potentially negatively impacted by the city's proposed wells. I previously lived in a neighborhood that had great water in some areas and little in others. Having never bought land on septic and well before I was not aware until too late that our side of the street was in a low flow well area. Right across the street was plenty of water. It is not a pleasant thought to hear that the city's expansion of the water supply could decrease my water supply. We have a good well now and do not want to jeopardize our future in this way.

Please act responsibly and do what is necessary to protect the water rights of those who are already living in this area. It is important for all of us that you drill only after doing a thorough study and come to the conclusion based on facts, that there is PLENTY of water for future needs. With climate change a reality we must be forward thinking and make sure we err on the side of caution so that the citizens of this area do not suffer needlessly.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Maria Chodowski