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January 8, 2015

Mike Groth, President
Country Club Hills Utilities, Inc.
570 South Yellowstone Avenue
Idaho Falls, Idaho 83402

RE: Final finding of no significant impact determination for the Country Club Hills Wastewater Improvements (WWG 356-2012-12)

Dear Mr. Groth:

A draft finding of no significant impact (FONSI) was issued by the Idaho Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) on November 20, 2014 for the Country Club Hills Wastewater Improvements based on a careful review of the environmental information document (EID) prepared by J. Freiberg Engineering.

The draft FONSI was published on December 3, 2014 in the *Post Register*, newspaper of general circulation for Country Club Hills Utilities. No comments were received during the 30-day public comment period following publication. Therefore, the record of decision for the Country Club Hills Wastewater Improvements, a FONSI, is final.

While the wastewater grant for preparation of the facility plan and EID was issued to privately-owned Country Club Hills Utilities, Inc., the facility is in the process of reorganizing as a water and sewer district in order to qualify for discharging to the Eastern Idaho Regional Wastewater Authority facility. We anticipate issuing a reaffirmation once the district has been established.

This completes the environmental review of this project. William Teuscher at the DEQ Idaho Falls Regional Office, (208) 528-2666, is your local DEQ contact on the referenced project. Please keep him informed of progress on the project, including progress on the reorganization. For questions regarding the environmental review contact Mike May at (208) 373-0406 or via e-mail at Michael.May@deq.idaho.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Barry N. Burnell".

Barry N. Burnell
Water Quality Division Administrator

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