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Re: Response to 11/14/2023 Letter Regarding Additional Information Required No. 2, Annual Groundwater Level Data for 2023, Goose Haven Reservoir #2 – Complex Expansion, Permit No. M-2010-071

Patrick,

Please see my responses below in bold italics to you comments.

1. When was P-3R drilled and installed? The Operator needs to submit to the Division the boring log and well completion report for P-3R.

The well I am calling 3R is a well that appears to predate any wells installed by CTL Thompson in support of the original M-2010-071 application. It was likely drilled during the construction of Reservoir 3 (eastern most reservoir) sometime within a few years prior to April of 1994, which is the date of the as-built date of Reservoir 3. I will continue to search for a well construction diagram. Please note that as of 11/30/2023 P-3 has been repaired and is back in service.

2. Provide an explanation as to why the Division was not notified that P-3 and P-6, had been damaged and removed from service?

I just recently became aware of the fact that P-3 and P-6 were damaged and unable to be measured. The field personnel were not aware that the DRMS had to be notified should a well become inoperable. We have since instructed the City to inform the operator and myself if any wells become unmeasurable in the future. 3. Prior to drilling and installing the replacement well for P-6 the Operator needs to submit a Technical Revision, for the Division's approval, depicting the location of the replacement well and any additional documentation is needed.

CMT has been contacted to re-drill or fix P-6. Strangely, there is an obstruction of unknown origin at 17ft. We request the DRMS reconsider requiring a TR prior to either fixing or re-drilling of P-6 since it is unknow whether it can be fixed or not. If the driller is able to remove the obstruction, a new well would not be required. If they need to drill a new one, then we would rather they not have to wait for a TR and remobilize to the site. The operator will commit to drilling within 10ft of the existing P-6 to the same specification as the existing P-6 should a new well be required.

Sincerely

Peter Wayland

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