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Office of the Governor  
Attention: Governor Butch Otter  
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Dear Governor Otter,

My name is (your name) from (town or city) and I am writing to express my concerns about the attacks from the Attorney General's Office and Department of Water Resources against the Treasure Valley Water User Community.

On behalf of Idaho's farmers, homeowners and gardeners we ask the Attorney General's Office and Department of Water Resources to **stand down** on taking away our water.

This issue is front and center among Legislators in Idaho's House and Senate and by both political parties. I agree with these Legislators who have said in a recent Press Conference on November 5, 2015, "whatever the game being played here, it has to **stop now**," and "this is nothing short of an unjustified and unprovoked attempt by the State of Idaho to alter the system of Boise River water rights."

Counting flood control releases against our storage water rights is an action that steals water from our water right holders. Telling our water right holders that they have no right to the water that fills the reservoirs following flood control releases is an unconstitutional taking of our storage water rights. We ask for your full support on behalf of all Treasure Valley water users to tell the Attorney General's Office and Department of Water Resources to **stand down** on these unwarranted attacks.

Sincerely,  
(Your Name)  
(Contact Info)