

hearings and proceedings before the Environmental Quality Council because they involve related issues with the same general permits.

5. The parties to these cases hereby agree and acknowledge that the above-entitled docketed cases should be consolidated, and all parties to these cases should be given full rights of participation as parties in all the above-entitled docketed cases.

6. The parties further agree and stipulate that the Wyoming Outdoor Council may have until August 22, 2007, to provide its list of expert witnesses to the other parties in this matter.

7. The parties estimate it may take six days to complete a contested case hearing for the consolidated cases in this matter, should one prove necessary after the hearing of the Summary Judgment Motion of Wyoming Outdoor Council in this matter, now set for September 27, 2007. If the cases are not consolidated, the total time needed to conduct two separate hearings could be comparable.

8. The parties suggest that the time set for the hearing in this matter continue to be set for December 17, 18, and 19, and that an additional three days be set aside in January, 2008, at the convenience of the hearing examiner in this matter. The attorneys for the parties have fairly open schedules for three days of hearings sometime during January, 2008.

WHEREFORE, the parties hereby move and stipulate that the Environmental Quality Council:

A. Consolidate the above-captioned docketed cases into one case for the purpose of hearings and proceedings before the Environmental Quality Council.

B. Grant Wyoming Outdoor Council until August 22, 2007, to provide its list of expert witnesses to the other parties in this matter.

C. Continue with the schedule for these matters in the Scheduling Orders previously issued by the Environmental Quality Council in each matter.

D. Begin the contested case hearing in this matter on December 17, 18, and 19, 2007, and set aside three days in January, 2008, at the convenience of the hearing examiner in this matter, for additional time to conclude the contested case hearing of the consolidated cases.

Dated this 16th day of August 2007.



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