

## Kristine Hilt

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**Sent:** Thursday, March 9, 2023 1:13 PM  
**To:** Kristine Hilt  
**Cc:** Bryan Dillworth; Jeff Loomis  
**Subject:** RE: Gravel Extraction- Big Wood River Channel

Kristine,

On behalf of Swiftsure Ranch Therapeutic Equestrian Center Inc , as Executive Director I give my permission to extract gravel in the area highlighted on the map.

Regards

Paul Bennett

**Paul Bennett**  
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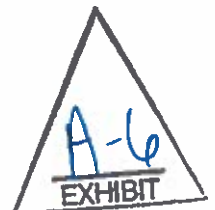
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**From:** [Kristine Hilt](#)  
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**Cc:** [Bryan Dillworth](#); [Jeff Loomis](#)  
**Subject:** Gravel Extraction- Big Wood River Channel

Hi Paul,

I wanted to reach out to gage your interest in authorizing the removal of gravel within the river channel just upstream of the Glendale Bridge Road. We are looking for written authorization from you for this work. See below for a general location:





The work is proposed by the Flood Control District and the county will be assisting with the removal of the gravel highlighted in yellow, above. This work is imperative to reducing the ongoing erosion of the streambank on the west side of the river, which is exposing and increasing the threat to the west abutment of the bridge. Would it be possible to get your approval for this work? I am looking at scheduling the permit on the Commissioner's April 4<sup>th</sup> agenda.

Thanks,

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