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Hi Les,

Brian would still like to pursue the discharge permit. I am a bit clearer on the logic now. He wants a permit that will set discharge criteria for us to discharge water from the pond now and in the future so that we can discharge any time we like as long as we meet the criteria. This means that as long as we get the water to spec even if we have to treat it we can discharge it. He thinks that at some point in the future we will have to discharge water and getting the permit in place today is probably easier than it will be in the future. He also thinks that we should have a bit more storage capacity in the pond since we don't really need as much operating volume due to the water storage in the Cariboo pit.
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