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To Whom It May Concern:

Dam Breaching

We our very strongly against the breaching of the dams. It will not only affect the persons who work there, but it will affect the jobs of people linked to the dams. This act will affect the farmers who transport their grain by the barges, and that's the whole economy in Garfield County. So the farmers will have to move, then the people who distribute grain won't have as much grain to distribute, then merchants will be out of jobs because they will have no one to sell to. So will Pomeroy will basically become a "Ghost Town".

We should use not worry about the salmon, but use all of our technology to build a new way to help the salmon travel through the dams.

Thank you for taking time out of your day to read and hopefully consider our opinions about this topic.

Thank you,

Derek Prince, Brian Scoggin & Brian Boyd