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Dear Business Owner / Manager:

The Spokane Aquifer Joint Board (SAJB) wishes to thank you for participating in the Increased Generator Contact Technical Assistance Program conducted during 2004 by the Department of Ecology. The SAJB is a consortium of 22 water purveyors in the Spokane area who withdraw their water supply from the Aquifer. We are dedicated to protecting the Aquifer and therefore were pleased to partner with Ecology in this important effort.

As you know, your business is located over the Spokane Aquifer, the sole source of our drinking water. By practicing safe storage and disposal methods, you are assisting us in delivering safe, clean drinking water to businesses and homes every day.

Please accept the enclosed window decal as a token of our appreciation for your efforts towards drinking water protection. To assist with any disposal questions, a disposal guide is included for your information and convenience. Please contact us at the number below if you have any questions or comments.

The SAJB website has a specific section for business assistance. Please visit <u>www.spokaneaquifer.org</u> and click on the business category.

With sincere thanks,

The Spokane Aquifer Joint Board

Enclosures