

## Evelyn Griffin

Thank you for your efforts to protect water quality and aquatic life and for listening to my concerns. Please develop stronger limits on pollutants to ensure Aethon's oil and gas discharges no longer cause damage to stream quality.

Please require Aethon to clean up existing damage caused by many years of oil field pollution in Alkali and Badwater Creeks. I hope the DEQ would immediately reduce the monthly load of salts allowed to be discharged in the permit.

Please require the industry to reduce the concentrations of chloride allowed in Badwater Creek now rather than in four years.

Please require limits i permits for harmful oil field chemicals.

Finally, would you please list Alkali and Badwater Creeks on the 303(d) impaired water list so it will be cleaned up. The DEQ should deny any further requests by industry to weaken the regulatory chloride concentration and allow more pollution into Badwater Creek.