

Arkansas Basin Roundtable
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Attention: Leslie Martinez
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Mr. Todd Dougherty Interstate Water Management Development Section Colorado Water Conservation Board 1580 Logan Street, Suite 600 Denver, Colorado 80203

Re: Water Supply Reserve Account 2008 Grant Applications for Non-Consumptive Needs Assessment Completion

Dear Todd:

Under separate cover you will receive a WSRA grant request for \$148,975 for completion of the Arkansas Basin Non-Consumptive Needs Assessment. At the Arkansas Roundtable meeting of March 11, 2008, this item was approved by consensus.

The discussion prior to the consensus approval revolved around the over-appropriated condition of the Arkansas Basin. The general concern was identifying sources of water to meet the potential needs given the over-appropriated status. At the conclusion of the discussion, the sentiment was that completion of the Non-Consumptive Needs Assessment was a fitting use of these Basin Funds.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Gary Barber

Chair

c: Executive Committee

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