



April 16, 2010

Mr. Todd Doherty
Intrastate Water Management and Development Section
Colorado Water Conservation Board
1580 Logan Street, Suite 600
Denver, CO 80203

RE: Letter of Support for the Fountain Creek Fish Marking and Fish Monitoring Study

Dear Mr. Doherty:

PPACG fully supports the efforts of the United States Geological Survey to obtain a Colorado Water Conservation Board funding grant to study the flathead chub movement on Fountain Creek in relationship to the proposed Colorado Springs Utilities diversion fish passage project. The information obtained from this study will provide valuable data that will be used to design the diversion fish passage and provide necessary base line information to evaluate fish passages in the future.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "Richard Muzzy". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Richard Muzzy
Environmental Planning Manager
Pikes Peak Area Council of Governments