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Colorado Water Conservation Board

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TO: Alan Martellaro, Division Engineer

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FROM: Jeff Baessler, Stream and Lake Protection Section

Colorado Water Conservation Board

Bill Ritter, Jr. Governor

Mike King DNR Executive Director

RE: Request for Administration of the Instream Flow Reach on Gore Creek

between the confluence of Black Gore Creek and the confluence of Red

Sandstone Creek

Jennifer L. Gimbel CWCB Director

DATE: September 15, 2010

On behalf of the Colorado Water Conservation Board, I hereby request the water officials of the State of Colorado to administer in the priority system the Board's instream flow water rights on the following segments of Gore Creek, District 37, to preserve the natural environment to a reasonable degree.

Case No.	Upper Terminus	Lower Terminus	Amount	Appropriation Date
W3637	confl Black Gore Creek	confl Red Sandstone	16 cfs (5/1-9/30)	7/27/1977
		Creek	6 cfs (10/1-4/30)	

The Gore Creek above Red Sanstone Creek at Vail, CO gage is in the reach and has been used to determine flow conditions are below the minimum for the reach's decreed water right. The Board is hereby placing a written call for said instream flow water rights to ensure that the full decreed amount of this water right is made available for the decreed beneficial use of preserving the natural environment to a reasonable degree. The effective date of this call is September 15, 2010 and the call is to be in effect until further notification from the CWCB.

Signed:

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