Summary

This is an application for an absolute storage water right of 3.62 acre-feet and approval of a plan for augmentation to augment Elk Mountain Well No. 1, which is used for domestic and irrigation at 25 gpm. Upper and Lower Elk Mountain Reservoirs are listed as both structures to be augmented and structures to be used for augmentation. Other water rights to be used for augmentation include water from a Basalt Water Conservancy District Allotment Contract. The plan includes exchanges to utilize the Basalt Water Conservancy District water from Green Mountain Reservoir, Ruedi Reservoir and Robinson Ditch.

CWCB Appropriations

The CWCB holds the following instream flow water rights that could be injured by this application:

CWCB Case No.	Stream/Lake	Amount (cfs)	Approp. Date	Watershed	County
5-85CW639	Roaring Fork	145/75	11/8/1985	Roaring Fork	Pitkin/Garfield
					/Eagle
5-85CW646	Roaring Fork	55/30	11/8/1985	Roaring Fork	Pitkin/Eagle
5-76W2947	Castle Creek	12.0	1/14/1976	Roaring Fork	Pitkin
98/5/ACQ-01A	Castle Creek	12.0	11/16/1885	Roaring Fork	Pitkin
98/5/ACQ-01B	Castle Creek	12.0	8/27/1950	Roaring Fork	Pitkin
98/5/ACQ-01C	Castle Creek	12.0	3/1/1902	Roaring Fork	Pitkin
98/5/ACQ-01D	Castle Creek	12.0	1/10/1926	Roaring Fork	Pitkin

Potential for Injury

The Applicant's proposed plan for augmentation and exchange may not replace out-of-priority depletions in time, place and amount, which could injure the Board's instream flow water rights.

Other Objectors

Other objectors include the City of Aspen.

