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Douglas Thurston, President
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RE: Notice to Proceed—Florida Mesa Canal Companies Canal Seepage Reduction Program

Dear Douglas:

This letter is to inform you that the contract for your grant request of \$225,000 to assist in the funding of the Florida Mesa Canal Companies Canal Seepage Reduction Program was signed on March 11, 2010. A signed copy of the contract will be mailed to you.

With the executed contract, you are now able to proceed with the project and begin invoicing the State of Colorado for costs incurred from March 11, 2010 through June 30, 2011. Upon receipt of your invoice(s), the State of Colorado will provide payment no later than 45 days. I wish you success with your project.

Sincerely,

/s/

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