THE COLORADO BASIN ROUNDTABLE C/O P.O. BOX 1120 GLENWOOD SPRINGS, COLORADO 81602

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Dear Craig:

The Colorado Basin Roundtable voted unanimously at its May 18, 2015, meeting to approve the joint grant request by the West Divide Water Conservancy District and the Colorado River District for \$40,000 in Water Supply Reserve Account funds to assist the two districts in a study regarding development of Kendig Reservoir in the West Divide Drainage of Garfield County.

Kendig Reservoir holds a conditional right for 18,000 acre feet and is a surviving piece of the West Divide Project.

It was identified by the CBRT Basin Implementation Plan as one of the three middle river projects or processes that might best illustrate a solution to water demands in this region. This effort addresses two of the themes in the CBRT Basin Implementation Plan: Sustain Agriculture and Secure and Protect Safe Drinking Water. As well, it could support energy development.

Sincerely yours,

Jim Pokrandt

Chair, Colorado Basin Roundtable