## The Gunnison Basin Roundtable 501 Palmer Street Delta, CO 81416

February 9, 2016

Mr. Craig Godbout Water Supply Management Section COLORADO WATER CONSERVATION BOARD 1313 Sherman St., Room 718 Denver, CO 80203

Re: WSRA Grant Request: Vern Hillis and Mary Smith – McKoon/Blanchard Reservoir Repair Project

Dear Mr. Godbout:

This letter is presented to advise you that the grant application submitted by Vern Hillis and Mary Smith for \$47,000 from Basin Account funds from the Water Supply Reserve Account for the McKoon/Blanchard Reservoir Repair project was reviewed by the Gunnison Basin Roundtable and its Project Screening Committee and was approved by a unanimous vote of the Gunnison Basin Roundtable during our meeting on February 1, 2016.

This water activity meets the provisions of Section 37-75-104(2), Colorado Revised Statutes. The requirements/language from the statute is provided in Part 3 of the Criteria and Guidelines.

This activity benefits water use in the Gunnison Basin through the renovation and improvement of an existing dam and reservoir.

Sincerely,

Frank J. Kugel Vice Chair

cc: Hugh Sanburg (e-mail) Tom Alvey (e-mail)