

Arkansas Basin Roundtable

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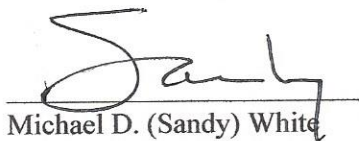
Re: Water Supply Reserve Account Grant Application: Evaluation Flood Control Alternatives for Fountain Creek Corridor

Dear Craig:

At its January 13, 2016 meeting, the Arkansas Roundtable approved the Evaluation Flood Control Alternatives for Fountain Creek Corridor Project for \$8,800 in Basin Funds, \$33,000 in Statewide Funds, with \$25,500 cash matching funds and \$12,000 In-Kind from the applicant, the Fountain Creek Watershed, Flood Control and Greenway District. There were no dissenting opinions expressed in the consensus decision.

This project has basin-wide and state-wide significance as it attempts to mitigate flood conditions while preserving and protecting senior water rights along with the paradigms of the Arkansas River Compact. Thoughtful evaluation of alternatives will also support the nonconsumptive goals and objectives of the Arkansas Basin Implementation Plan and the Colorado Water Plan, particularly Objective F. Watershed Health, Environment, and Recreation: "*Protect and Restore Critical Watersheds*" (Section 10.3). Should you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me either by telephone, 719-742-6164, or by email, sandy@white-jankowski.com.

With warm regards



Michael D. (Sandy) White
Chair

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