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Subject: Mancos Conservation District Letter of Support
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To Whom it May Concern:

I am writing to support the Mancos Conservation District's application for funding to work on the diversions of the Giles and Samson ditches on the East Mancos River.

Both diversions lie on our property, and both need work. The Samson in particular silts up yearly, needs a new headgate, and has a steep drop below where it is dammed up. The Giles ditch carries more water, is more easily accessible and has received more attention in recent years, but the river is wider above it and needs regular channeling to divert the water.

The Reddert Ranch thanks you for your consideration and potential assistance.

Sincerely,

Ryah-Brown, family manager Reddert Ranch 10375 Road 44 Mancos, Colorado 81328 Robbins Family Ranches PO Box 423 Mancos, CO 81328 January 4, 2016

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing this letter in support of the Mancos Conservation District's application for funding from the San Juan Basin Round Table.

The Graybeal ditch irrigates 61 acres of the Robbins Family Ranch. The work planned at the Graybeal ditch heading will improve flow amounts to the head gate during high and low flow periods. This will eliminate the time that has been required to repair the diversion dam, re-locate silt and rocks and deepening of the diversion channel.

The other benefits derived from this project would include improved aquatic habitat, reduction of silt and debris buildup as well as bank erosion.

Robbins Family Ranch thanks you for your consideration of this project and possible funding.

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