

**SOUTHWEST BASINS ROUNDTABLE**

**Michael Preston, Chair**  
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July 25, 2016

Mr. Craig Godbout  
Water Supply Management Section  
Colorado Water Conservation Board  
1580 Logan Street, Suite 600  
Denver, Colorado 80203

SUBJECT: Wines Ditch No 1 Diversion Structure and Conveyance System Improvements  
Phase 1 – Preliminary Design, Alternatives Analysis and Construction Cost  
Opinion, Request for \$40,000 Basin Fund and \$25,000 Statewide Account

Dear Mr. Godbout:

The Southwest Basin Roundtable approved funding of \$40,000 Basin Fund and \$25,000 Statewide Account for the Wines Ditch No 1 Diversion Structure and Conveyance System Improvements Phase 1 – Preliminary Design, Alternatives Analysis and Construction Cost Opinion at our July 13 Roundtable meeting. The application was considered in detail and approved at the July 13, 2016 meeting of the Southwest Basin Roundtable. There was a quorum of Roundtable members present.

The proposed project was identified in the Southwest Basin Implementation Plan as an IPP. The project meets four goals and measurable outcomes of the Southwest BIP including: Balance all Needs and Reduce Conflict (multi-stakeholder, multi-benefit project); Maintain Agricultural Water Needs; Meet Recreational Water Needs; and Meet Environmental Water Needs.

The completed Grant Application will be forwarded directly to you by the applicant. Please contact the applicant directly or me at 970-565-7562, [mpreston@frontier.net](mailto:mpreston@frontier.net), if you have questions or wish to discuss this application in more detail.

Sincerely,



Michael Preston  
Southwest Basin Roundtable Chair