

Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 721 Denver, CO 80203

TO: Alan Martellaro, Division Engineer

Division of Water Resources, Water Division 5

FROM: Robert Viehl, Stream and Lake Protection Section

Colorado Water Conservation Board

RE: Request for Administration of Instream Flow Water Right on the Roaring Fork River

August 9, 2018 DATE:

On behalf of the Colorado Water Conservation Board, I hereby request the water officials of the State of Colorado to administer in the priority system the Board's instream flow water right on the following segment of the Roaring Fork River, Water District 38, to preserve the natural environment to a reasonable degree.

Case No.	WDID	Upper Terminus	Lower Terminus		Appropriation Date
76W2948	3802049	confluence Difficult Creek	confluence Maroon Creek	32 (1/1 - 12/31)	01/14/1976

The ROARING FORK RIVER NEAR ASPEN gage is in the reach and has been used to determine flow conditions are below the minimum for the decreed water right. The Board is hereby placing a written call for said instream flow water right to ensure that the full decreed amount of this water right is made available for the decreed beneficial use of preserving the natural environment to a reasonable degree. The effective date of this call is August 9, 2018 and the call is to be in effect until the end of the current irrigation year.

Signed:

Robert Viehl

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CC: Bill Blakeslee, District 38 Water Commissioner

