

## COLORADO

Colorado Water Conservation Board

Department of Natural Resources

John W. Hickenlooper Governor

Robert Randall DNR Executive Director

Rebecca Mitchell CWCB Director

### DRAFT Summary Minutes and Record of Decisions Nov. 14 - 15, 2018 Board Meeting

A regular meeting of the Colorado Water Conservation Board (CWCB) convened at the Marriott Denver West, located at 1717 Denver Marriott West Boulevard, Golden, CO 80401. The meeting was called to order by Chair Jim Yahn. Ten voting members were present at the call to order, so a quorum was present (at least 6 required). Voting members present were: Jay Gallagher, Russell George, Jim Yahn, Jack Goble, Heather Dutton, Celene Hawkins, Steven Anderson, Curran Trick, Patti Wells, and ex-officio voting member Robert Randall, Executive Director of the Department of Natural Resources. Non-voting ex officio members present or represented were Jenn Yazek, Department of Agriculture; John Stulp, Director of the IBCC; Laura Chartrand, Deputy Attorney General, Colorado Department of Natural Resources and Environment Section; Jackie Corday; Colorado Parks and Wildlife; Kevin Rein, State Engineer; and Rebecca Mitchell, Colorado Water Conservation Board Director.

On the second day, the meeting was called to order by Chair Jim Yahn. Ten voting members were present at the call to order, so a quorum was present (at least 6 required). The voting members present were: Jay Gallagher, Russell George, Patti Wells, Steven Anderson, Curran Trick, Jim Yahn, Jack Goble, Heather Dutton, and Celene Hawkins. Ex-officio voting member Robert Randall, Executive Director of the Department of Natural Resources. Non-voting ex officio members present or represented were Laura Chartrand, Deputy Attorney General, Colorado Department of Natural Resources and Environment Section; John Stulp, Director of the IBCC; Kevin Rein, State Engineer; Jackie Corday; Colorado Parks and Wildlife; Jenn Yazek, Department of Agriculture and Rebecca Mitchell, Colorado Water Conservation Board Director.

Note: While the Board's consideration of agenda items does not always follow the sequence indicated by the agenda numbers, these minutes are listed in agenda item order for easier reference.



#### 1. Review and Approve Agenda

Action: A motion to approve the November 2018 agenda was made by Celene Hawkins, which was seconded by Jay Gallagher. The motion was approved unanimously (10-0).

#### 2. Review and Approve September 19-20, 2018 Board Meeting Minutes

Action: A motion to approve the September 2018 minutes was made by Jay Gallagher, which was seconded by Heather Dutton. The motion was approved unanimously (10-0).

#### 3. Approve and/or Remove Consent Agenda Items

Action: A motion to approve the Consent Agenda was made by Patti Wells, which was seconded by Jack Goble. The motion was approved unanimously (10-0).

#### 4. Proposed Board Meeting Dates in 2019

- a. January 28 & 29 Westminster
- b. March 20 & 21 South Platte Basin
- c. May 15 & 16 Gunnison Basin
- d. July 17 & 18 Arkansas Basin
- e. September 17 19 Rio Grande Basin (these dates include a Finance Section meeting)
- k. November 20 & 21 Denver Metro

#### 5. Directors' Reports

a. DNR Executive Director

Action: Report by Robert Randall. This was an informational item only. No Board action was required.

#### b. IBCC Director

Action: Report by John Stulp. This was an informational item only. No Board action was required.

c. Agriculture Commissioner

Action: Report by Jenn Yezak. This was an informational item only. No Board action was required.

#### d. CWCB Director

Action: Report by Rebecca Mitchell. This was an informational item only. No Board action was required.

#### e. State Engineer

Action: Report by Kevin Rein and Cory Deangelis DWR Division 1 Engineer addressed the board. This was an informational item only. No Board action was required.

f. Division of Parks and Wildlife Director

Action: Report by Jackie Corday. This was an informational item only. No Board action was required.

g. Water Resource and Power Development Authority

Action: Report by Michael Brod. This was an informational item only. No Board action was required.

#### 6. Request for Water Acquisitions Pilot Process Update

Stream and Lake Protection Section

Action: Report by CWCB staff member Linda Bassi and Karen Wazlands Director of Colorado Water Trust addressed the board. This was an informational item only. No Board action was required.

# 7. Notice of 2019 Recommended Instream Flow Appropriations in Water Divisions 2,3,4,6, and 7

Stream and Lake Protection Section

Action: Report by CWCB staff member Rob Viehl. This was an informational item that provides notice of recommended stream segments that staff may bring to the Board in January 2019 with a recommendation that the Board form its intent to appropriate ISF water rights. No Board action was required.

#### 8. Colorado River Water Conservation District Lease of Ruedi Water for Instream Flow Use - Additional Location Use

Stream and Lake Protection Section

Action: Report by CWCB staff member Linda Bassi. A motion to approve the Colorado River Water Conservation District Lease of Ruedi Water for Instream Flow Use - Additional Location Use was made by Russ George, which was seconded by Celene Hawkins. The motion was approved unanimously (10-0).

Staff recommends that the Board:

1. Amend its approval of the Colorado River Water Conservation district lease of Ruedi water to include the additional use of the leased water in the 15-Mile Reach from April 1-December 31, 2019, subject to the following conditions:

- a) Releases of Ruedi water under the Water Lease Agreement shall not cause the releases out of Ruedi Reservoir to exceed 300 cfs and shall not cause flows in the Fryingpan River below Ruedi Reservoir to exceed 350 cfs. Staff and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service shall coordinate with the Bureau of Reclamation to ensure that these conditions are met.
- b) CWCB staff shall consult and coordinate weekly with Colorado Parks and Wildlife staff on proposed releases to minimize impacts to the fishery on the Fryingpan River below Ruedi Reservoir.

Such amendment does not increase the amount of water leased and does not increase the expenditure of funds approved at the July Board meeting.

2. Conclude that the proposed use of the remaining leased water to be used from April 1 - December 31 is appropriate to preserve and improve the natural environment in the 15-Mile Reach of the Colorado River to a reasonable degree as follows:

a) From July 1 - September 30, preserve the natural environment by supplementing existing ISF water rights in the 15-Mile Reach, and improve the natural environment by

providing water above the decreed ISF rates to help meet or reduce shortfalls to the USFWS flow recommendations for the endangered fish critical habitat; and

b) For the time periods of April 1 - June 30 and October 1 - December 31, preserve the natural environment by providing and incremental amount of water to help meet or reduce shortfalls to the USFWS flow recommendations.

#### 9. Colorado Watershed Restoration Program Update

Watershed and Flood Protection Section

Action: Report by CWCB staff member Chris Sturm. This was an informational item only. No Board action was required.

#### 10. Water Plan Grants Overview

Action: Report by CWCB staff member Lauren Ris.

Water Plan Grants					
Agenda Item	Category	Applicant	Name of Water Activity		
	10 a-f. Environment & Recreation				
а	Environment & Recreation	City of Grand Junction	Las Colonias Park River Recreation Feature		
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b	Environment & Recreation	City of Brighton	South Platte River Berm Removal		
Action: R	emoved by CWCB staff	f member Chris Sturm, co	uld not get in touch with applicant		
c	Environment & Recreation	Colorado Rio Grande Restoration Foundation	Del Norte Riverfront Project		
Grande R recomme approved Staff reco	estoration Foundation endation made by Heat I unanimously (10-0). commendation: Staff rea	addressed, the board. A her Dutton, which was se commends that the Board	mma Reesor, Director of the Colorado Rio motion to approve the staff conded by Jack Goble. The motion was d approve \$140,000 for Water Plan o address the issues duscussed		

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d	Environment & Recreation	Ducks Unlimited, Inc.	South Platte Basin Shallow Water Wetlands
made by unanimo	Patricia Wells, which wusly (10-0).	vas seconded by Heather	otion to approve the staff recommendation Dutton. The motion was approved d approve \$84,802 for Water Plan
Grant fur below: • F T p • A • A	nding contingent upon t unding recommendation he applicant will work riority. pplicant should demons	the applicants' abilities t n is one of the two proje with CWCB staff to deter strate that it has a water	o address the issues duscussed cts proposed in their application. mine which project is a higher right decreed for the proposed use. f Water Resources can administer the
e	Environment & Recreation	Mile High Youth Corps	John Griffin Regional Park- Tamarisk and Russian Olive Abatement
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• Project should comply with the CWCB's Rules and Regulations for Regulatory Floodplains in Colorado.

		10 g – k. Agricul	ture
g	Agriculture	Colorado Cattlemen's Assoc.	Agriculture Watershed and Stream Managemen Planning Outreach and Technical Assistance
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Grant fu	inding.		
h	Agriculture	Lower Arkansas Valley Water Conservancy District	Head Stabilization Pond Seepage Measurement Project
Action:	Report by CWCB staff n	nember Alex Funk and Do	n McBee a Fort Lyon Canal
armer/	shareholder addressed	the board. A motion to ap	pprove the staff recommendation made by
leather	Dutton, which was sec	onded by Celene Hawkins	. The motion was approved unanimously (9
)), Jack	Goble recused himself	from the vote.	
Staff red Grant fu		commends that the Board	approve \$60,250 for Water Plan
i	Agriculture	Grand Valley Water	Roller Dam Electrical and Control Systems
	Report by CWCB staff n		Upgrades Projects (part 2) rk Harris with Grand Valley Water Users
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#### 10 l – p. Conservation and Land Use

		10 l – p. Conservation a	nd Land Use
l	Conservation and Land Use	City of Alamosa	Alamosa Water Smarts Landscaping Demonstration
Action:	Report by CWCB staff m	nember Kevin Reidy. A mo	otion to approve the staff recommendation
made by	Heather Dutton, which	n was seconded by Jay Ga	Illagher. The motion was approved
unanimo	usly (10-0).		
		commends that the Board	approve \$58,500 for Water Plan
Grant fu	naing.		
m	Conservation and Land Use	Denver Parks and Recreation	Denver Parks Central Control Build-Out
Action: I	Report by CWCB staff m	nember Kevin Reidy and D	Damien Wetzel with Denver Parks and
Recreati	on addressed the board	d. A motion to approve th	e staff recommendation made by Patricia
Wells, w	hich was seconded by .	Jack Goble. The motion w	as approved unanimously (10-0).
Staff rec	commendation: Staff re	commends that the Board	approve \$120,000 for Water Plan
Grant fu	nding.		
n	Conservation and Land Use	City of Louisville	Drop Counter/Rachio Program for Customer Engagement and Analytics
Action: I	Report by CWCB staff m	nember Kevin Reidy. A mo	otion to approve the staff recommendation
made by	Patricia Wells, which	was seconded by Jay Gall	agher. The motion was approved
unanimo	usly (10-0).		
		commends that the Board	d approve \$158,250 for Water Plan
Grant fu			
0	Conservation and Land Use	Razix-One Water Solutions Institute	A System and Process for Assessing Water Use of Land Use Decisions
Action:	Report by CWCB staff m	nember Kevin Reidy and A	andre Dozier with Razix addressed the board
A motior	n to approve the staff r	ecommendation made by	Russ George, which was seconded by
Patricia	Wells. The motion was	approved unanimously (1	0-0).
		•••	approve \$99,371 for Water Plan
Grant fu			
	Conservation and	South Metro Water	Qualified Water Efficient Landscaper
р	Land Use	Supply Authority	Certification Pilot Program
Action: I	Report by CWCB staff m		Beorn Courtney with Element Water
			e staff recommendation made by Patricia
	-		ion was approved unanimously (10-0).
			approve \$40,590 for Water Plan
Grant fu			
		10 q – t. Engagement an	d Innovation
q	Engagement and	Arkansas River Basin	Education to Action Phase 2
	Innovation	Water Forum	box Wobor the Arlience becin rematch to
			ber Weber the Arkansas basin roundtable
PEPU CO	ordinator addressed the	e poard. A motion to appi	rove the staff recommendation made by Jac

Goble, w	hich was seconded by	Celene Hawkins. The mot	ion was approved unanimously (10-0).
Staff rec Grant fu		commends that the Board	approve \$39,300 for Water Plan
r	Engagement and Innovation	Colorado Cattlemen's Association	Ag Water Collaborative Phase 2
Action:	Report by CWCB staff m	nember Ben Wade and Gr	eg Peterson with CAWA addressed the board.
A motior	n to approve the staff r	ecommendation made by	Heather Dutton, which was seconded by
Celene H	lawkins. The motion wa	as approved unanimously	(10-0).
Staff rec Grant fu		commends that the Board	approve \$60,000 for Water Plan
S	Engagement and Innovation	Delta Brick & Climate Company Ltd	Paonia Reservoir Sediment Removal Utilization
			ion to approve the staff recommendation
1		n was seconded by Heathe	er Dutton. The motion was approved
	usly (10-0).		
Staff rec Grant fu		commends that the Board	approve \$19,000 for Water Plan
t	Engagement and Innovation	Mountain Studies Institute	Silverton Science & Innovation Center (SSINC)
Action:	Report by CWCB staff m	nember Ben Wade and Ma	rcie Tidwell with Mountain Studies Institute
			mmendation made by Celene Hawkins,
	-	•	proved unanimously (10-0).
Staff rec Grant fu		commends that the Board	approve \$70,223 for Water Plan
		10 u – v. Storage and	1 Supply
u	Storage and Supply	City of Brighton, Water Enterprise Fund	Cell 3 Design
Action: I	Removed by CWCB staff	f member Anna Mauss, ap	plicant withdrew application.
V	Storage and Supply	Rio Blanco Water Conservancy District	White River Storage Project - Pre-Permitting Phase
Action:	Report by CWCB staff m	nember Anna Mauss and A	lden Vanden Brink with Rio Blanco Water
			pprove the staff recommendation made by motion was approved unanimously (9-0).
-	ommendation: Staff re		approve \$350,000 for Water Plan

#### 11.2019 Projects Bill

Finance Section

- a. Non-Reimbursable Project Investments "En-Bloc" Approval
  - 1. Flood & Drought Response Fund Refresh(Change to Auto)
  - 2. Small Feasibility Grant Refresh(Change to Auto)
  - 3. Litigation Fund Refresh
  - 4. Colorado Floodplain Map Modernization Program Continuation
  - 5. Satellite Monitoring System Maintenance Program Continuation
  - 6. Weather Modification Permitting Program Continuation
  - 7. Colorado Mesonet Project Continuation
  - 8. Lidar Acquisition Continuation
  - 9. Instream Flow Engineering and Tech Support Services Continuation
  - 10. Tech Assist. Grants for CRSP MOU

Action: Report by CWCB staff member Kirk Russell. A motion to approve the staff recommendation made by Heather Dutton, which was seconded by Russ George. The motion was approved unanimously (9-0).

**Staff recommendation:** The Staff and the Finance Committee recommends the Board approve the Non-Reimbursable Investments listed above for inclusion in the 2019 Projects Bill.

- b. Water Plan Implementation Funding
  - 1. Water Plan Implementation Grants
  - 2. Water Supply Reserve Fund Supplemental Funding
  - 3. Updating Basin Planning & Colorado's Water Plan

Action: Report by CWCB staff members Lauren Ris and Russell Sands. A motion to approve the staff recommendation made by Heather Dutton, which was seconded by Bob Randall. The motion was approved unanimously (9-0).

**Staff recommendation:** Staff recommends that the Committee's approval of the \$20 million Water Plan Implementation Funding for inclusion in the 2019 Projects Bill includes items 11b,1-3.

- **12.** Financial Matters Construction Fund and Severance Tax Perpetual Base Fund *Finance Section* 
  - a. Financial Projections and Cash Management Report

Action: Report by CWCB staff member Kirk Russell.

Staff recommendation: This is an information item only and no action is necessary.

b. Annual Financial Statements

Action: Report by CWCB staff member Lauren Miremont.

Staff recommendation: This is an information item only and no action is necessary.

c. New Financial Policy - Sale of CWCB Water Storage Assests

Action: Report by CWCB staff member Kirk Russell.

**Staff recommendation:** Staff recommends approval of the policy as is or with modifications as required based on the Board's review. No vote, board asked for modifications to be done and present again at the January 2019 board meeting.

#### 13. Emergency Dam Response Funding

#### Finance Section

Action: Report by CWCB staff member Kirk Russell. A motion to approve the staff recommendation made by Jack Goble, which was seconded by Heather Dutton. The motion was approved unanimously (9-0).

**Staff recommendation:** Staff recommends the Board authorize the transfer of \$500,000, to reestablish a \$500,000 balance as of December 1, 2018, from the Construction Fund to the Emergency Dam Repair Cash Fund which will remain available to the CWCB and the Division of Water Resources for its intended use.

#### 1. Statements of Opposition

Stream & Lake Protection Section

a. Case No. 18CW3106 (Water Division 1): Application of Central Colorado Water Conservancy District, and Ground Water Management Sub district of the Central Colorado Water Conservancy District

Action: Report by CWCB staff member Kaylea White. A motion to approve the staff recommendation made by Patricia Wells, which was seconded by Heather Dutton, Curran Trick recused herself from the vote. The motion was approved (9-0).

#### Staff recommendation:

b. Case No. 18CW3121 (Water Division 1): Application of City of Aurora, Colorado, acting by and through its Utility Enterprise

Action: Report by CWCB staff member Kaylea White and Alex Davis with City of Aurora addressed the board. A motion to approve the staff recommendation made by Patricia Wells, which was seconded by Celene Hawkins. The motion was approved (9-1).

#### Staff recommendation:

18. Water Supply Reserve Fund Applications Water Supply Planning Section

 Water Supply Reserve Fund Application Grants

 Agenda
 Item

 Basin
 Applicant

a	Metro	Thunderbird Water & Sanitation District	Connection Feasibility Analysis
Action: F	Report by CWCB staff m	nember Megan Holcomb a	nd Barry Gager with Thunderbird Water and
Sanitatio	n District addressed th	e board. A motion to app	rove the staff recommendation made by
Patricia '	Wells, which was secon	ided by Jack Goble. The i	motion was approved unanimously (10-0).
	ommendation: Staff re- he project: Connectior		to \$15,000 from the Metro Account
b	Colorado	Northwest Colorado Council of Governments	Water Savings Measures in Land Use Codes in the Headwaters
Action: F	Report by CWCB staff m	ember Megan Holcomb. /	A motion to approve the staff
recomme	endation made by Heat	her Dutton, which was se	conded by Bob Randall. The motion was
approved	d unanimously (10-0).		
	to help fund the project		to \$5,000 from the Colorado Basin leasures in Land Use Codes in the
Account	to help fund the project		
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#### 19. Glenwood RICD

#### Interstate, Federal & Water Information Section

Action: Report by CWCB staff member Erik Skeie; Mark Hamilton with Holland and Hart LLp, representing the City of Glenwood Springs, Jonathan Kelly with White Water Engineers', and CPW staff member Jay Skinner addressed the board. Will present again at the January 2019 board meeting

**Staff recommendation:** This item is informational only, with no Board action requested. The Board may wish to deliberate the request from Glenwood Springs in the City's attached memo and determine if additional information or action is needed.

Public Comment: 1. Patrick Wells with Colorado Springs Utilities, 2. Robert Harris with Western States Advocate, 3. Peter Fleming with Colorado River Water Conservation District.

#### 20. Colorado River Basin Drought Contingency Planning Update

Interstate, Federal & Water Information Section

Action: Report by CWCB staff member Brent Newman and Karen Kwan with the Colorado Office of the Attorney General. A motion to approve the staff recommendation made by Celene Hawkins, which was seconded by Heather Dutton. The motion was approved unanimously (10-0).

Staff recommendation: Staff recommends the Board, in consultation with the State Engineer, adopt a policy statement that sets forth the State's approach for determining how evaluation, exploration and development of any demand management program in Colorado will proceed. The intent of this statement will be to appropriately capture and address both current and future input regarding demand management as it evolves.

# Public Comment: 1. Kathleen Curry, 2. Andy Mueller with CRD, 3. Peter Fleming with CRD, 4. Bruce Whitehead with SWWCD

#### **Meeting Adjourned**

A motion to adjourn the November 2018 Board meeting was made by Jay Gallagher, which was seconded by Curran Trick. The motion was approved unanimously (10-0).