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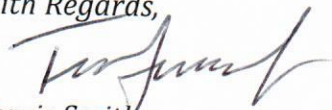
Dear Kirk,

The Rio Grande Cooperative Project has been in progress since 2012, addressing the rehabilitation of Rio Grande Reservoir. One of the major components of the project was completing a land exchange with the U.S. Forest Service involving a small parcel of land just below the existing outlet tunnel of Rio Grande Reservoir. The proposed land exchange began in the fall of 2012 and a contract between Colorado Water Conservation Board and the San Luis Valley Irrigation District was executed in 2013. The Contract and Scope of Work included assistance from Western Land Group, Inc. to facilitate the proposed land exchange. I am pleased to inform you that the land exchange is now complete!

The District respectfully requests that Contract #C154223, CMS #53361 be closed out and the remaining funds be made available for the next phase of the Rio Grande Cooperative Project.

The District is very grateful for the assistance and guidance the CWCB has provided to make the Rio Grande Cooperative Project a success.

With Regards,


Travis Smith

Superintendent