



## COLORADO

### Colorado Water Conservation Board

Department of Natural Resources  
1313 Sherman Street, Room 718  
Denver, CO 80203

April 13, 2021

La Plata County Public Trustee  
679 Turner Drive, Suite B  
Durango, CO 81303

Subject: CWCB Loan Contract C150019 - Release of Deed of Trust

This refers to the attached Request for Full Release of Deed of Trust relative to an agreement between Pine River Canal Company and the Colorado Water Conservation Board (CWCB). Also attached for your handling is the original Deed of Trust, dated January 13, 2000, along with the Promissory note stamped "PAID IN FULL". Payment in the amount of \$28.00, for fees enclosed along with these documents. The original documents should be returned to CWCB in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope.

Should you have any questions, please contact me at Telephone No. (303) 866-3441 ext. 3247 or by email [jessica.halvorsen@state.co.us](mailto:jessica.halvorsen@state.co.us). Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Jessica Halvorsen  
Loan & Grant Program Assistant  
Finance Section

Enclosures



Original Note and Deed of Trust Returned to:  
WHEN RECORDED RETURN TO:  
CWCB  
1313 Sherman Street, Room 718  
Denver, CO 80203

Prepared/Received by: Jessica Halvorsen

REQUEST FOR FULL ☒ / PARTIAL ☐

RELEASE OF DEED OF TRUST AND RELEASE BY OWNER OF INDEBTEDNESS WITH PRODUCTION OF EVIDENCE  
OF DEBT PURSUANT TO § 38-39-102 (1) (a), COLORADO REVISED STATUTES

March 8, 2021

Pine River Canal Company

PO Box 1728

Arboles, CO 81121

☐ Check here if current address is unknown

Colorado Water Conservation Board

January 13, 2000

March 6, 2000

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County Rept. No. and/or Film No. and/or Book/Page No. and/or Torrens Reg. No.

Date

Original Grantor (Borrower)

Current Address of Original Grantor,  
Assuming Party, or Current Owner

Original Beneficiary (Lender)

Date of Deed of Trust

Date of Recording and/or Re-Recording of Deed  
of Trust

Recording Information

TO THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE OF

La Plata

COUNTY (The County of the Public Trustee who is the appropriate grantee to whom the above Deed of Trust should  
grant an interest in the property described in the Deed of Trust.)

PLEASE EXECUTE AND RECORD A RELEASE OF THE DEED OF TRUST DESCRIBED ABOVE. The indebtedness secured  
by the Deed of Trust has been fully or partially paid and/or the purpose of the Deed of Trust has been fully or partially satisfied in  
regard to the property encumbered by the Deed of Trust as described therein as to a full release or, in the event of a partial release, only  
that portion of the real property described as: **(IF NO LEGAL DESCRIPTION IS LISTED THIS WILL BE DEEMED A  
FULL RELEASE)**

Full Release

State of Colorado, Colorado Water Conservation Board, 1313 Sherman Street, Ste. 718 Denver, CO 80203

Name and Address of Current Owner, Holder of the Indebtedness and Successor in Interest from the Department of Natural Resources, Secured by Deed of Trust

Kirk Russell, Finance Section Chief, CWCB, 1313 Sherman Street, Ste. 718 Denver, CO 80203

Name, Title and Address of Officer, Agent, or Attorney of Current Owner and Holder

Signature/Date

State of Colorado, County of Denver

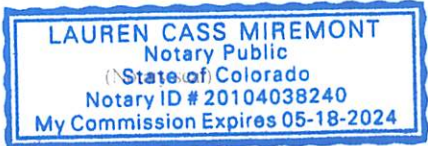
The foregoing Request for Release was acknowledged before  
me on March 12, 2021 (date) by\*

Kirk Russell

Finance Section Chief

Date Commission Expires

\*If applicable, insert title of officer and name of current owner and holder



Signature of Notary Public

Witness my hand and official seal

RELEASE OF DEED OF TRUST

WHEREAS, the Grantor(s) named above, by Deed of Trust, granted certain real property described in the Deed of Trust to the  
Public Trustee of the County referenced above, in the State of Colorado, to be held in trust to secure the payment of the indebtedness  
referred to therein; and

WHEREAS, the indebtedness secured by the Deed of Trust has been fully or partially paid and/or the purpose of the Deed of Trust  
has been fully or partially satisfied according to the written request of the current owner and holder of the indebtedness;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and the payment of the statutory sum, receipt of which is hereby  
acknowledged, I, as the Public Trustee in the County named above, do hereby fully and absolutely release, cancel and forever discharge  
the Deed of Trust or that portion of the real property described above in the Deed of Trust, together with all privileges and  
appurtenances thereto belonging.

(Public Trustee use only; use appropriate label)

(Public Trustee's Seal)

Public Trustee

Deputy Public Trustee

(If applicable: Notary Seal)

(If applicable, Name and Address of Person Creating New Legal Description as Required by § 38-35-106.5, Colorado Revised Statutes.)

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## Deed of Trust

This indenture, made this 13<sup>TH</sup> day of JANUARY 2000, between the Pine River Canal Company, whose address is 1720 CR 329, Ignacio, CO 81137, hereinafter referred to as GRANTOR, and the Public Trustee of the County of La Plata, State of Colorado, hereinafter referred to as PUBLIC TRUSTEE,

Witnesseth, that whereas, GRANTOR has executed a Promissory Note, set forth in Contract No. C150019 ("Contract") for a loan in the principal sum of \$243,700 to be repaid to the STATE OF COLORADO for the use and benefit of the Department of Natural Resources, Water Conservation Board, whose address is 1313 Sherman Street, Room 721, Denver, Colorado 80203, with interest thereon from the date of substantial completion at the rate of 3.5% per annum, payable in 20 annual installments, in accordance with the Promissory Note, or until loan is paid in full.

And whereas, the GRANTOR is desirous of securing payment of the principal and interest of said Promissory Note to the State of Colorado.

Now, therefore, the GRANTOR, in consideration of the premises and for the purpose aforesaid, does hereby grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the said PUBLIC TRUSTEE in trust forever, to wit: the structures (pipeline, entrance structures, and all appurtenances) associated with the tunnel hill project, as more thoroughly described in the Legal Description, attached hereto as Attachment A and incorporated herein, (collectively or hereinafter referred to as the "Property").

To have and to hold the same, together with all and singular the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging: In Trust nevertheless, that in case of default in the payment of said note, or any part thereof, or in the payment of the interest thereon, according to the tenor and effect of said note or in the payment of any prior encumbrances, principal or interest, if any, or in case default shall be made in or in case of violation or breach of any of the terms, conditions, covenants or agreements contained in the Contract, the beneficiary hereunder may declare a violation of any of the covenants contained in the Contract and elect to advertise said Property for sale, and demand such sale by filing a notice of such election and demand for sale with the PUBLIC TRUSTEE. Upon receipt of such notice of election and demand for sale, the PUBLIC TRUSTEE shall cause a copy of the same to be recorded in the recorder's office of the county in which said Property is situated, it shall and may be lawful for the PUBLIC TRUSTEE to sell and dispose of the same (en masse or in separate parcels, as the said PUBLIC TRUSTEE may think best), and all the right, title and interest of the GRANTOR, its successors or assigns therein, at public auction at such time and at such location as shall be designated in the PUBLIC TRUSTEE's Notice of Sale, for the highest and best price the same will bring in cash, four weeks public notice having been previously given of the time and place of such sale, advertisement once each week for five consecutive weeks, in some newspaper of general circulation at that time published in said County of La Plata, a copy of which notice shall be mailed within ten days from the date of the first publication thereof to the GRANTOR at the address herein given and to such person or persons appearing to have acquired a subsequent record interest in said Property at the address given in the recorded instrument; where only the county and state is given as the address then such notice shall be mailed to the county seat, and to make and give to the purchaser of the Property at such sale, a certificate in writing describing the Property purchased, and the sum paid therefor, and the time when the purchaser (or other person entitled thereto) shall be entitled to the deed therefor, unless the same shall be redeemed as is provided by law; and said PUBLIC TRUSTEE shall, upon demand by the person holding the said certificate of purchase, when said demand is made, or upon demand by the person entitled to a deed to and for the Property purchased, at the time such demand is made, the time for redemption having expired, make and execute to such person a deed to the Property purchased, which said deed shall be in the ordinary form

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Envelope

of a conveyance, and shall be signed, acknowledged and delivered by the said PUBLIC TRUSTEE and shall convey and quitclaim to such person entitled to such deed, the Property purchased as aforesaid and all the right, title, interest, benefit and equity of redemption of the GRANTOR, its successors and assigns made therein, and shall recite the sum for which the said Property was sold and shall refer to the power of sale therein contained, and to the sale made by virtue thereof; and in case of an assignment of such certificate of purchase, or in case of the redemption of the Property, by a subsequent encumbrancer, such assignment or redemption shall also be referred to in such deed; but the notice of sale need not be set out in such deed and the PUBLIC TRUSTEE shall, out of the proceeds or avails of such sale, after first paying and retaining all fees, charges and costs of making said sale, pay to the beneficiary hereunder the principal and interest due on said note according to the tenor and effect thereof, and all moneys advanced by such beneficiary or legal holder of said note for insurance, taxes and assessments, with interest thereon at ten per cent per annum, rendering the surplus, if any, unto the GRANTOR, its legal representatives or assigns; which sale and said deed so made shall be a perpetual bar, both in law and equity, against the GRANTOR, its successors and assigns, and all other persons claiming the Property, or any part thereof, by, from, through or under the GRANTOR, or any of them. The holder of said note may purchase Property or any part thereof; and it shall not be obligatory upon the purchaser at any such sale to see to the application of the purchase money.

And the GRANTOR, for itself and its successors or assigns covenants and agrees to and with the PUBLIC TRUSTEE, that at the time of the unsealing of and delivery of these presents, it is well seized of the Property in fee simple, and has good right, full power and lawful authority to grant, bargain, sell and convey the same in the manner and form as aforesaid; hereby fully and absolutely waiving and releasing all rights and claims it may have in or to said Property as a Homestead Exemption, or other exemption, under and by virtue of any act of the General Assembly of the State of Colorado, or as any exemption under and by virtue of any act of the United States Congress, now existing or which may hereafter be passed in relation thereto and that the same is free and clear of all liens and encumbrances whatever, and the above bargained Property in the quiet and peaceable possession of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE, its successors and assigns, against all and every person or persons lawfully claiming or to claim the whole or any part thereof, the GRANTOR shall and will Warrant and Forever Defend.

Until payment in full of the indebtedness, the GRANTOR shall timely pay all taxes and assessments levied on the Property; any and all amounts due on account of principal and interest or other sums on any senior encumbrances, if any; and will keep the Property insured in accordance with the requirements of the Contract. Should the GRANTOR fail to insure the Property in accordance with the Contract or to pay taxes or assessments as the same fall due, or to pay any amounts payable upon senior encumbrances, if any, the beneficiary may make any such payments or procure any such insurance, and all monies so paid with interest thereon at the rate of ten percent (10%) per annum shall be added to and become a part of the indebtedness secured by this Deed of Trust and may be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of the Property if not paid by the GRANTOR. In addition, and at its option, the beneficiary may declare the indebtedness secured hereby and this Deed of Trust to be in default for failure to procure insurance or make any further payments required by this paragraph. In the event of the sale or transfer of the Property, the beneficiary, at its option, may declare the entire balance of the note immediately due and payable.

And that in case of any default, whereby the right of foreclosure occurs hereunder, the PUBLIC TRUSTEE, the State as holder of the note, or the holder of a certificate of purchase, shall at once become entitled to the possession, use and enjoyment of the Property aforesaid, and to the rents, issues and profits thereof, from the accruing of such right and during the pendency of foreclosure proceedings and the period of redemption, if any there be, and such possession shall at once be delivered to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE, the State as holder of the note, or the holder of said certificate of purchase on request, and on refusal, the delivery of the Property may be enforced by the PUBLIC TRUSTEE, the State as holder of the note, or the holder of said certificate of purchase by an appropriate civil suit or proceeding, and the PUBLIC TRUSTEE, or the holder of said note or certificate of purchase, or any thereof, shall be entitled to a



Receiver for said Property, and of the rents, issues and profits thereof, after such default, including the time covered by foreclosure proceedings and the period of redemption, if any there be, and shall be entitled thereto as a matter of right without regard to the solvency or insolvency of the GRANTOR or of the then owner of said Property and without regard to the value thereof, and such Receiver may be appointed by any court of competent jurisdiction upon ex parte application and without notice - notice being hereby expressly waived - and all rents, issues and profits, income and revenue therefrom shall be applied by such Receiver to the payment of the indebtedness hereby secured, according to the law and the orders and directions of the court.

And, that in case of default in any of said payments of principal or interest, according to the tenor and effect of said promissory note or any part thereof, or of a breach or violation of any of the covenants or agreements contained herein and in the Contract, by the GRANTOR, its successors or assigns, then and in that case the whole of said principal sum hereby secured, and the interest thereon to the time of the sale, may at once, at the option of the legal holder thereof, become due and payable, and the said Property be sold in the manner and with the same effect as if said indebtedness had matured, and that if foreclosure be made by the PUBLIC TRUSTEE, an attorney's fee in a reasonable amount for services in the supervision of said foreclosure proceedings shall be allowed by the PUBLIC TRUSTEE as a part of the cost of foreclosure, and if foreclosure be made through the courts a reasonable attorney's fee shall be taxed by the court as a part of the cost of such foreclosure proceedings.

It is further understood and agreed, that if a release or a partial release of this Deed of Trust is required, the GRANTOR, its successors or assigns will pay the expense thereof; that all the covenants and agreements contained herein and in the Contract shall extend to and be binding upon the successors or assigns of the respective parties hereto; and that the singular number shall include the plural, the plural the singular, and the use of any gender shall be applicable to all genders.

Executed the day and date first written above.

Pine River Canal Company

By John Beaty  
John Beaty, President

ATTEST

By James W. Sutton  
James W. Sutton, Corporate Secretary

State of Colorado )  
County of La Platte ) SS.

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 13 day of Jan, 2000, by John Beaty as President and James W. Sutton as Corporate Secretary of the Pine River Canal Company. Witness my hand and official seal.

Ethel E. Simon  
Notary Public

My commission expires

April 19, 2002

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**Attachment A to Deed of Trust**

**Dated January 13, 2000**

Pine River Canal Company – Grantor  
State of Colorado for the use and benefit of the  
Department of Natural Resources,  
Colorado Water Conservation Board – Lender

A parcel located in the County of LaPlata and State of Colorado, to-wit: An undivided seven-tenths (7/10ths) interest in and to the following described property, to-wit:

Beginning at a point whence the southeast corner of Section 15 U Township 34 North, Range 7 West of the NMPM bears south 1°9' East 1502 feet; thence north 1°9' east 1200 feet to the northeast corner of said tract; thence west 419 feet; thence south 10°4' east 523 feet; thence south 680.48 feet; thence east 354 feet to the place of beginning, containing 9.898 acres



# Promissory Note

Date JANUARY 13, 2000

Date of Substantial Completion May 1, 2001

1. For Value Received, the Pine River Canal Company ("BORROWER") promises to pay the State of Colorado Water Conservation Board ("STATE"), the principal sum of Two Hundred Forty Three Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars (\$243,700) plus interest at the rate of three and one-half percent (3½%) per annum for a term of twenty (20) years, pursuant to Loan Contract No. C150019 ("LOAN CONTRACT").
2. Principal and interest shall be payable in equal installments of \$17,146.99, with the first payment due and payable one year from the date that the State determines that the project is substantially complete, and annually thereafter until all principal, interest, and all late charges, if any, have been paid in full. All principal, interest, and late charges, if any, then remaining unpaid shall be due and payable twenty (20) years thereafter.
3. Payments shall be made payable to the Colorado Water Conservation Board and mailed to 1313 Sherman Street, Room 721, Denver, Colorado 80203.
4. If the STATE does not receive the annual payment within 15 calendar days of the due date, the State may impose a late charge in the amount of 5% of the annual payment.
5. This Note may be prepaid in whole or in part at any time without premium or penalty. Any partial prepayment shall not postpone the due date of any subsequent payments or change the amount of such payments.
6. All payments received shall be applied first to late charges, if any, next to accrued interest and then to reduce the principal amount.
7. This Note is issued pursuant to the LOAN CONTRACT between the STATE and the BORROWER. The LOAN CONTRACT creates security interests in favor of the STATE to secure the prompt payment of all amounts that may become due hereunder. The security interests, evidenced by a Security Agreement, Assignment of Certificate of Deposit, and a Deed of Trust cover certain revenues, accounts, and real property of the BORROWER. The LOAN CONTRACT, Security Agreement, Deed of Trust and Assignment of Certificate of Deposit grant additional rights to the STATE, including the right to accelerate the maturity of this Note in certain events.
8. If any annual payment is not paid when due or any default under the LOAN CONTRACT, the Security Agreement, Deed of Trust or Assignment of Certificate of Deposit securing this Note occurs, the STATE may declare the entire outstanding principal balance of the Note, all accrued interest, and any outstanding late charges immediately due and payable, without notice or demand, and the indebtedness shall bear interest at the rate of 7% per annum from the date of default. The STATE shall give the BORROWER written notice of any alleged default and an opportunity to cure within thirty (30) days of receipt of such notice before the BORROWER shall be considered in default for purposes of this Promissory Note.
9. The BORROWER, any guarantor, and any other person who is now or may hereafter become primarily or secondarily liable for the payment of this Note or any portion thereof hereby agree that if this Note or interest thereon is not paid when due or suit is brought, then it shall pay all reasonable costs of collection, including reasonable attorney fees. In the event of any bankruptcy or similar proceedings, costs of collection shall include all costs and attorney fees incurred in connection with such proceedings, including the fees of counsel for attendance at meetings of creditors' committees or other committees.
10. This Note shall be governed in all respects by the laws of the State of Colorado.

BORROWER: Pine River Canal Company

By

John Beaty  
John Beaty, President

(SEAL)

Attest:

By

James W. Sutton  
James W. Sutton, Corporate Secretary

**Appendix 2 to Loan Contract C150019**