
Application for the System Conservation Pilot Program (SCPP) (2023)

Please send the completed application to your state contact and to the Upper Colorado River Commission (UCRC):

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**For UCRC: Sara Larsen,
scpp@ucrcommission.com**

Project applicants should anticipate working with their state counterparts to complete portions of this application, including the development of project location/spatial information and other verification procedures. For questions, please reach out to your state contact above, and/or UCRC.

Landowner Information – Principal’s Name(s) and/or Legal Holding Name

Jerry Gunderson

E-mail Address	Phone Number	Date
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Address

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City	State	Zip Code
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Agent Name and Contact Information

James Eklund, ██████████

Proposed System Conservation Pilot Program Project Description Summary (if needed, provide details on additional sheets attached to this application)

Project consists of 175 acre hay land and 205 grazing/pasture land. Proposed use is fallowing the land.

The average conserved consumptive use savings from OpenET eeMetric from 2017 to 2022 for the fields combined is 327.25 acre-feet for full season fallow.

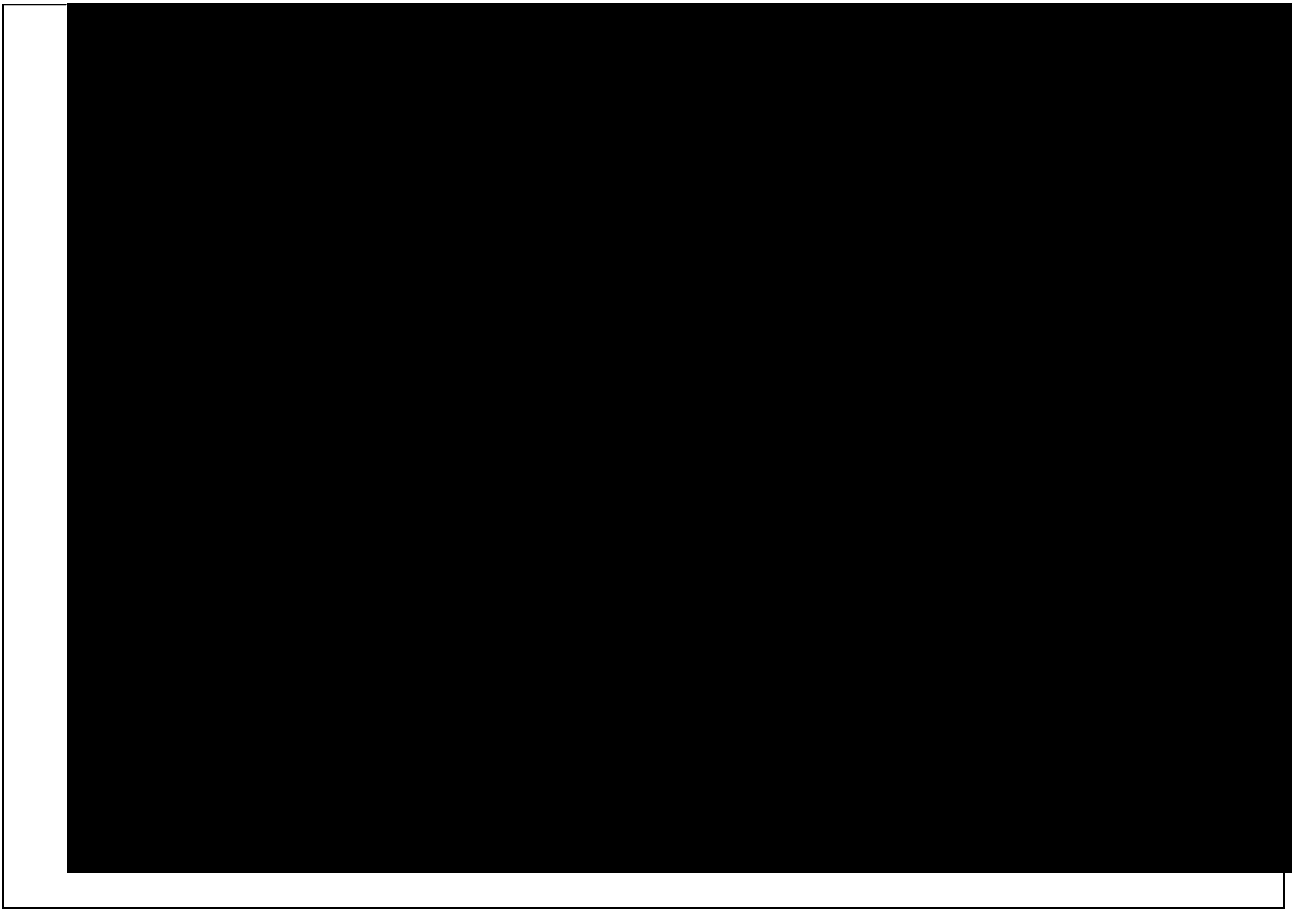
Fallowing this property would provide 327.25 acre feet

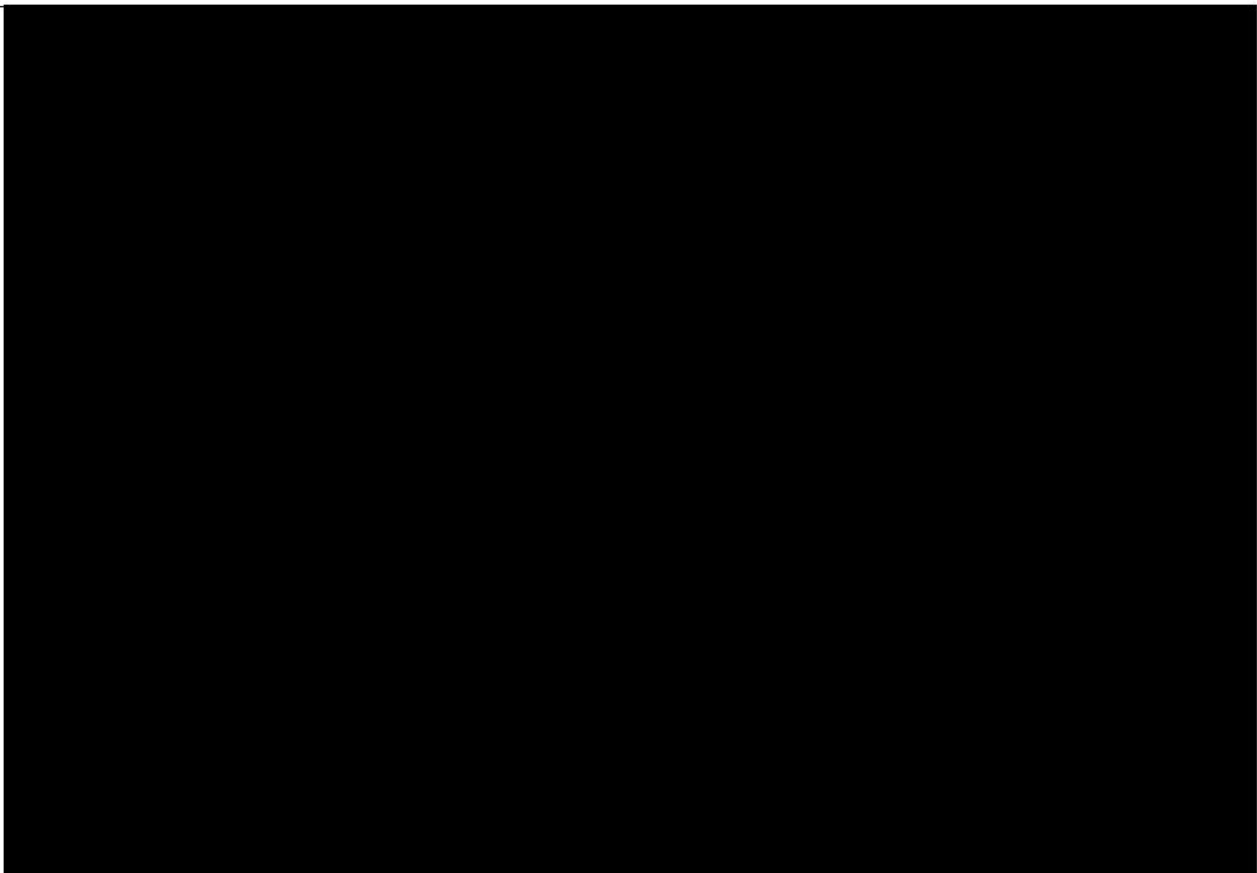
Project Location

(Provide a narrative description of the potential project location. Include project address, if applicable, T&R Sections, lat/long for general project location, or attach a map with a project area/boundary)

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Description of Current Water Use

(Provide a narrative description of the current water use, including the place of use (attach a map of project are/boundary, if applicable)

Current water use is flood irrigation and livestock watering out of the [redacted]
[redacted] Property has water rights [redacted]
[redacted]

Water Right Information

(Provide the identification information and a description of the water right(s) being utilized by the project. Include permit number, facility (ditch) name, priority date, and (if adjudicated) Certificate No. and share numbers.)

Water right detail attached.

Diversion Point(s) and Measurement Device(s)

(Provide a narrative description of the location of the point(s) of diversion and identify any existing measurement devices (attach a map with project points of diversion preferred))

The diversion measurement devices are marked on the attached map. They will be shut down and padlocked for the season.

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There are five diversion weirs. These will all remain unused for the season.

Estimated Amount of Water Conservation Per Year or Over the Life of the Proposed Project (Acre-feet)

(Provide supporting information or methodology for estimating water conservation volumes in acre-feet)

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Proposed Verification Method

(Describe how the Upper Colorado River Commission and State staff could verify the reduction in consumptive use.)

Utilizing the local water commissioner to verify that no diversion is taking place would seem to be the most efficient way. He/she is in the area on a regular basis verifying water usage.

Timeframe/Schedule

(Describe the timing of the conservation actions proposed by the project (e.g., when irrigation season would normally begin, when the water conservation action will begin, etc.))

Irrigation begins May 1. The date of fallow would be May 1 and end July 1. Grazing season begins May 1 and ends October 1.

Funding Request

(If above the SCPP RFP's stated firm fixed price of \$150.00/acre-foot, please describe the funding request for the proposed project. Please include any relevant market information or other bases for an increase over the firm fixed price of \$150.00/acre-foot.)

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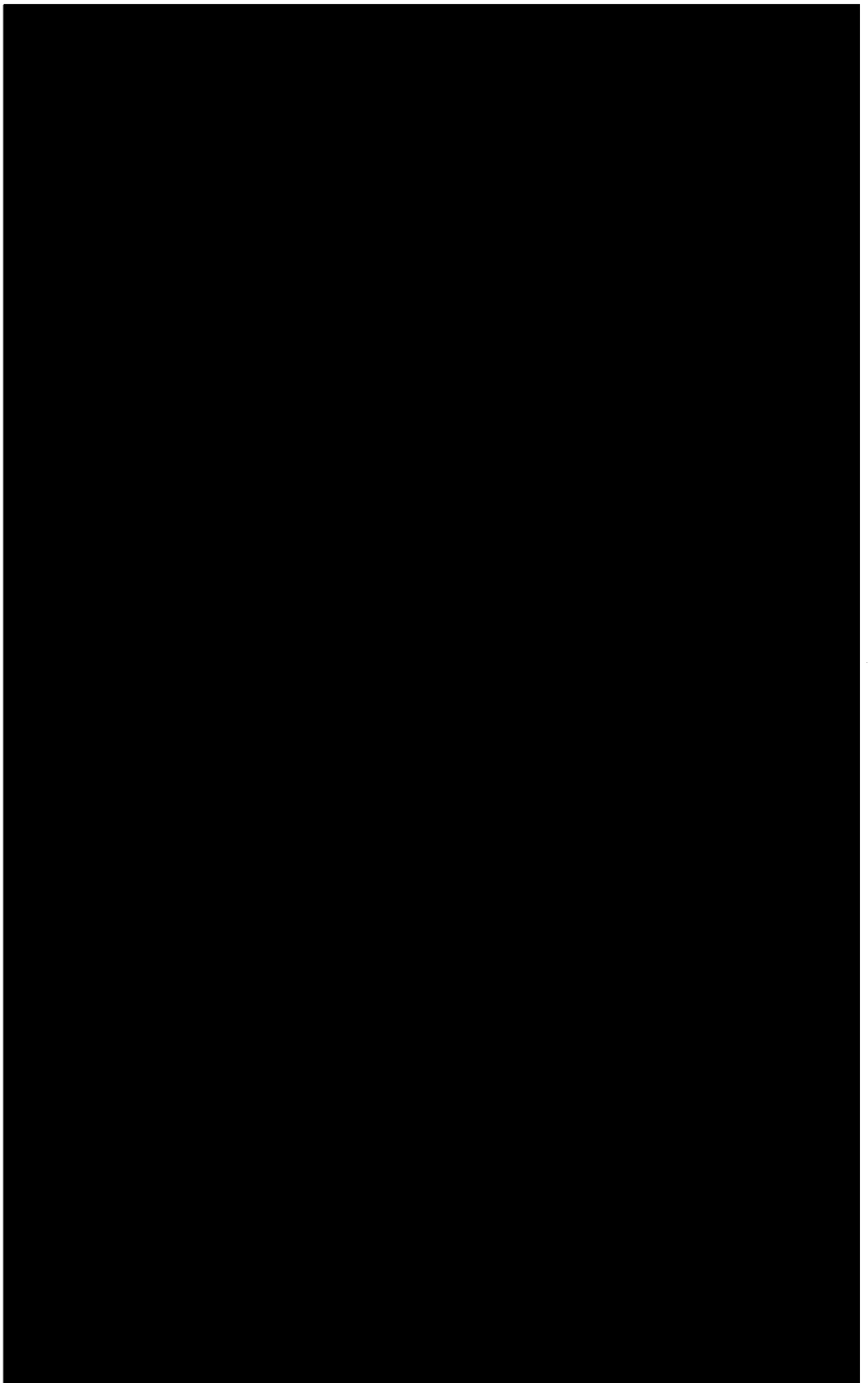
Additional Information

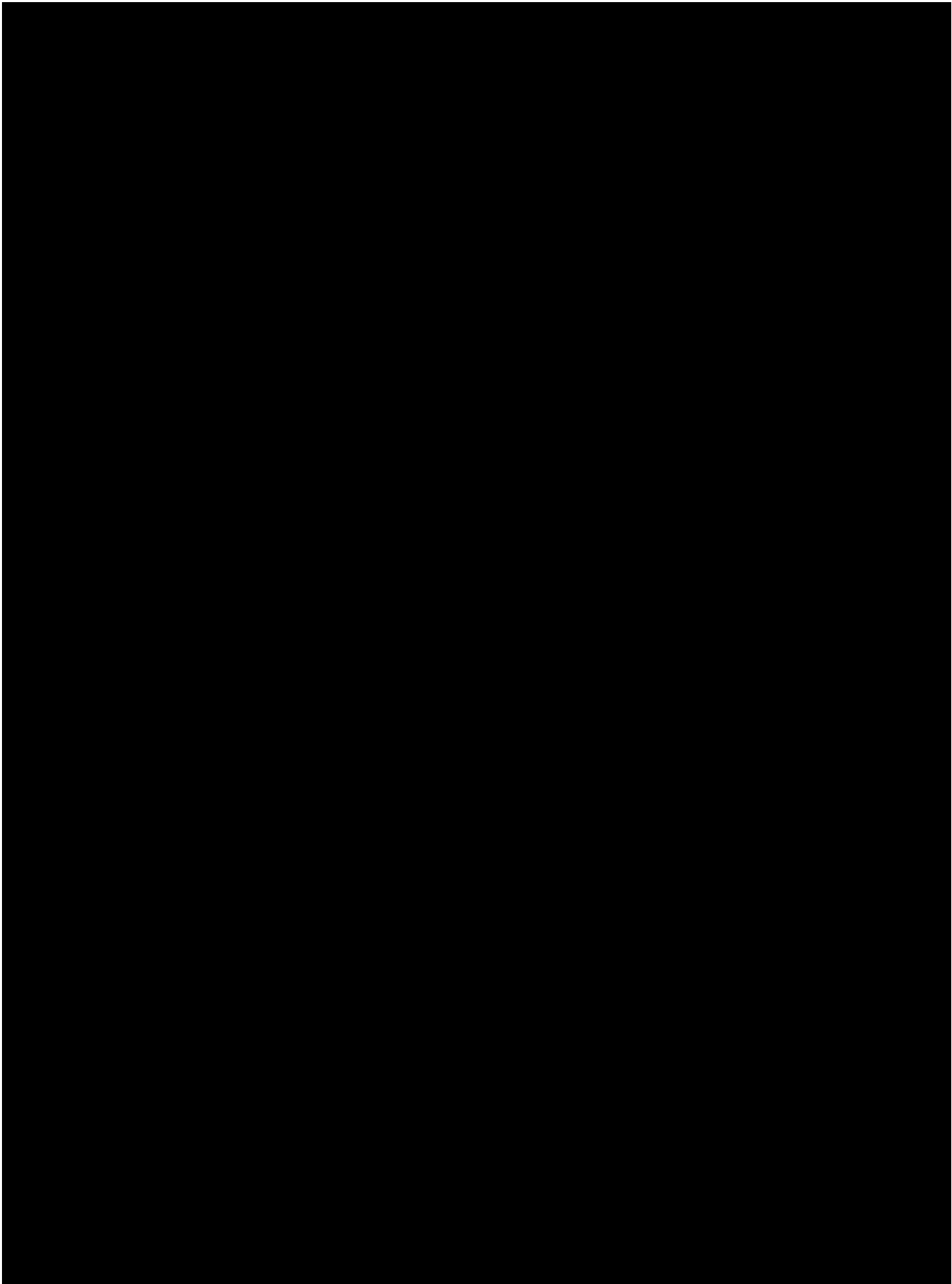
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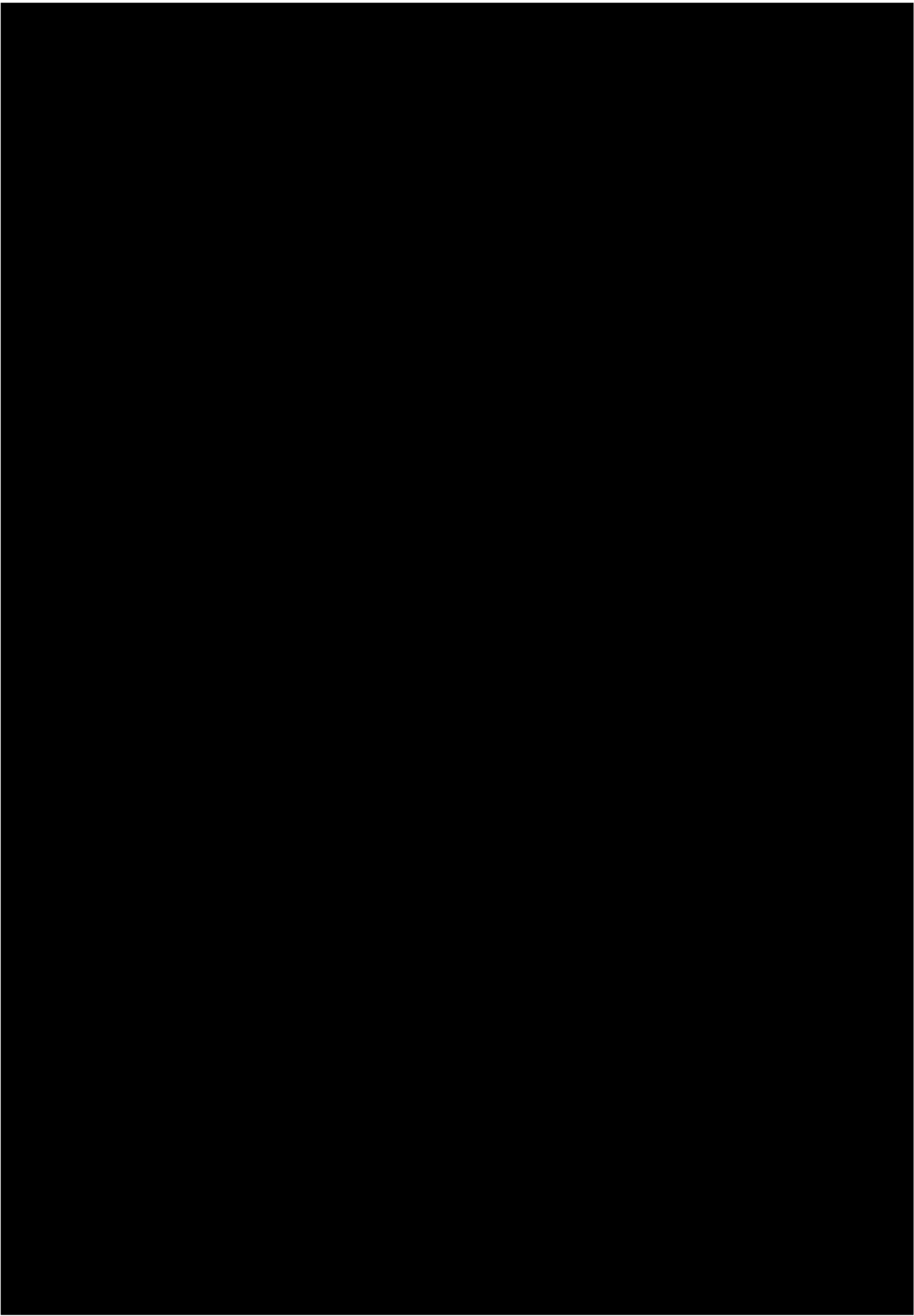
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NOTE: Selected System Conservation Pilot Program project information may be subject to Upper Division State Open Records laws.







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