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### Colorado Water Conservation Board

Department of Natural Resources

1313 Sherman Street, Room 718  
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TO: Bob Hurford, Division Engineer  
Division of Water Resources, Water Division 4

FROM: Robert Viehl, Stream and Lake Protection Section  
Colorado Water Conservation Board

RE: Request for Administration of the CWCB's Instream Flow Water Right on Dallas Creek

DATE: May 13, 2024

Dear Bob:

On behalf of the Colorado Water Conservation Board, I am requesting administration of the Board's instream flow ("ISF") water right on the following segment of Dallas Creek, in Water District 68, to preserve the natural environment to a reasonable degree. Additional information about the specific ISF reach is shown below.

Case No.	Upper Terminus	Lower Terminus	Amount	Appropriation Date	WDID
98CW234	confl East & West Forks Dallas Creek	confl Ridgway Reservoir	9 (10/15-4/30) 20 (5/1-10/14)	7/13/1998	6801447

The DALLAS CREEK NEAR RIDGWAY, CO. gage is located in the ISF reach and demonstrates that flow conditions are below the decreed flow rate for the ISF water right. The Board is requesting administration to ensure that water up to the full decreed amount of this water right is made available based on the priority system. The effective date of this call is May 13, 2024, and if required the call is to be in effect until the end of the current irrigation year.

Warm Regards:

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CC: Eric Weig, District 68 Water Commissioner

