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TO: Colorado Water Conservation Board Members

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DATE: July 16, 2014

AGENDA ITEM: 13 - IBCC Conceptual Agreement

Staff recommendation: This is an informational item only. No Board action is required.

Background

The Interbasin Compact Committee (IBCC) completed initial discussion of the Draft Conceptual Agreement on June 24th, 2014 and agreed to submit it to the CWCB Board for inclusion in the first draft of Colorado's Water Plan. The attached document incorporates the IBCC's requested changes from their the June meeting.

To demonstrate their level of agreement, the IBCC polled on the following question:
I agree that the Draft Conceptual Agreement is ready to go to the Board for consideration while we continue to get feedback from our roundtables, our constituencies, and the public.

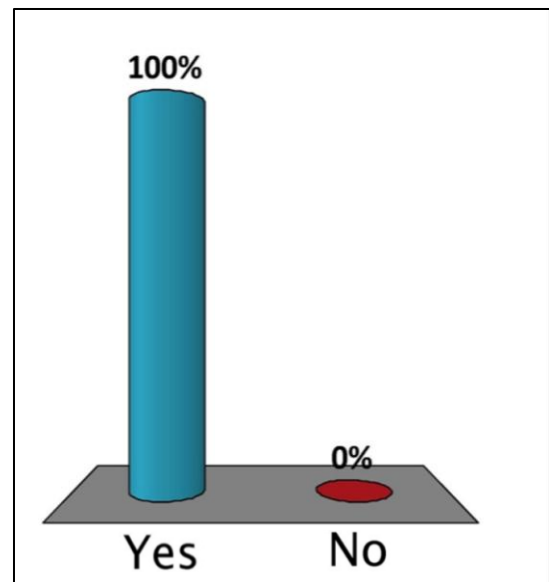
All members of the IBCC polled "yes" to this question (see figure).

The IBCC anticipates additional revisions to the Draft Conceptual Agreement based on feedback from the Board, the Basin Roundtables, other water community stakeholders, and the public. IBCC members will work with staff to discuss and receive feedback on the Draft Conceptual Agreement with the Basin Roundtables. Individuals with suggestions for improvement to the Draft Conceptual Agreement should share them with a member of the IBCC or submit comments using the coloradowaterplan.com website. IBCC membership is available [here](#).

There are still several topics the IBCC would like to further discuss. This work may begin as early as this fall.

Discussion

The Director of Compact Negotiations, several board members that were in attendance, and staff will provide an update on the IBCC discussion and progress to this point.



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