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DATE: May 20, 2020

AGENDA ITEM: 9. Contested 2020 Instream Flow Appropriation in Water Division 2

Staff Recommendation: Staff recommends that the Board designate Deputy Attorney General Amy Beatie as the Hearing Officer for the contested instream flow appropriation on Iowa Gulch and set the hearing date to be held in conjunction with the Board’s September 16-17, 2020 meeting.

Background: The following table describes the Board’s January 2020 instream flow appropriation on Iowa Gulch, which the Parkville Water District has contested. Staff has been in contact with the District’s representatives to explore whether any mutually acceptable terms and conditions can be reached in order to avoid the need for a hearing. Information submitted during the contested hearing process will be available on CWCB’s website at: <https://cwcb.colorado.gov/2020-contested-isf-appropriations>

Stream	County	Length (mi)	Flow Rate (cfs)	Parties
Iowa Gulch (Headwaters to Iowa Gulch Intake)	Lake	9.81	1.7 (05/01-09/15) 1.0 (09/16-04/30)	<u>Notice to Contest</u> • Parkville Water District

