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RE: 1041 Northern Delivery Water System Application
Sec. 4, Twp. 12S, Rng. 66W, 6th P.M.
Secs. 21,28,and 33, Twp. 11S, Rng. 66W, 6th P.M.
Water Division 2, Water District 10

To Whom It May Concern,

This referral does not appear to qualify as a “subdivision” as defined in Section 30-28-101(10)(a), C.R.S. Therefore, pursuant to the State Engineer’s March 4, 2005 memorandum to county planning directors, this office will only perform a cursory review of the referral information and provide comments. The comments do not address the adequacy of the water supply plan for this project or the ability of the water supply plan to satisfy any County regulations or requirements. In addition, **the comments provided herein cannot be used to guarantee a viable water supply plan or infrastructure, the issuance of a well permit, or physical availability of water.**

The applicant is requesting to construct the Northern Delivery System pipeline to deliver surface water to the north end of the Colorado Springs Utilities service area at a location known as the SCU Highway 83 Storage Tank. The water will then be conveyed through a pump station and a transmission main for distribution to participating water providers. The water source will be reusable water decreed for use to extinction.

All waters used in this application must be decreed for the proposed uses, and the providers must furnish proof of the right to use the water, as well as existing decrees, augmentation plans, and/or substitute water supply plans. All system losses and depletions must be accounted for, and all points of diversion must be identified as decreed points of diversion.

If you have any questions, please contact me directly.

Sincerely,

Melissa A van der Poel, P.E.
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ec: Bill Tyner, Division 2 Engineer
Jacob Olson, District 10 Water Commissioner

