

April 25, 2023

Keith Curtis, PE, CFM Floodplain Administrator, PPRBD 2880 International Circle Colorado Springs, CO 80910

Re: Engineer's Certification of No Impact

Case No.:

Dear Mr. Curtis,

This letter serves as Certification of No Impact to the Floodplain for the project entitled "Saddlehorn Ranch – Filing 3." The project is located in the unincorporated El Paso County and involves a proposed rural 2.5 acre lot subdivision.

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) shows the project area located on Panel No. 08041C0558G for El Paso County, Colorado dated December 7, 2018. The project area is located along Haegler Ranch MS-06 and is within a designated Zone AE Special Flood Hazard Area (SFHA).

JR Engineering has evaluated the effects of the proposed development on the Haegler Ranch floodplain using the effective modeling as a baseline. The HEC-RAS modeling was obtained in PDF format from the "Santa Fe Springs – Haegler Ranch Drainage Basin Letter of Map Revision (LOMR)" by Tri-Core Engineering, dated October 20, 2004, from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). The effective model is the "Santa Fe Springs – Haegler DB. – Letter of Map Revision" prepared for FEMA by Tri-Core Engineering. The effective model was pared down to the stretch between Cross Sections 4 and 19 along Reach H8 (Haegler Ranch Tributary 3) for purposes of analysis within the context of this project.

JR Engineering utilized the calculated 100-year water surface from the aforementioned model to establish the existing 100-year floodplain. Proposed channel and culvert improvements were modeled utilizing the 100-year flow of 505 cfs established in the "Santa Fe Springs – Haegler Ranch Drainage Basin Letter of Map Revision (LOMR)". Cross sections for the proposed channel improvements were modeled using the CivilGeo HECRAS program. The program models the projects proposed dual 12'x4' RCBC, this also took into hydraulic head built at the culvert crossing to establish an accurate base flood elevation. The computed water surface elevation at each cross section was compared to the effective model to ensure a no rise scenario.

Select results of the analysis are presented in Table 1, on the following page:

Table 1: Base Flood Elevation Comparison

	Base Flood Elevation (ft)	
Cross Section	Ex. 100- Year	Pr. 100- Year
13	6723.61	6723.60
14	6722.03	6719.68
15	6720.65	6718.33
16	6717.71	6717.56
17	6714.03	6714.03

Based on the results of the CivilGeo HECRAS Analysis, no increase to either the floodplain width or water surface elevation will result from the proposed site development.

Sincerely,

Bryan Law PE Colorado P.E. #25043

## No Rise Certification

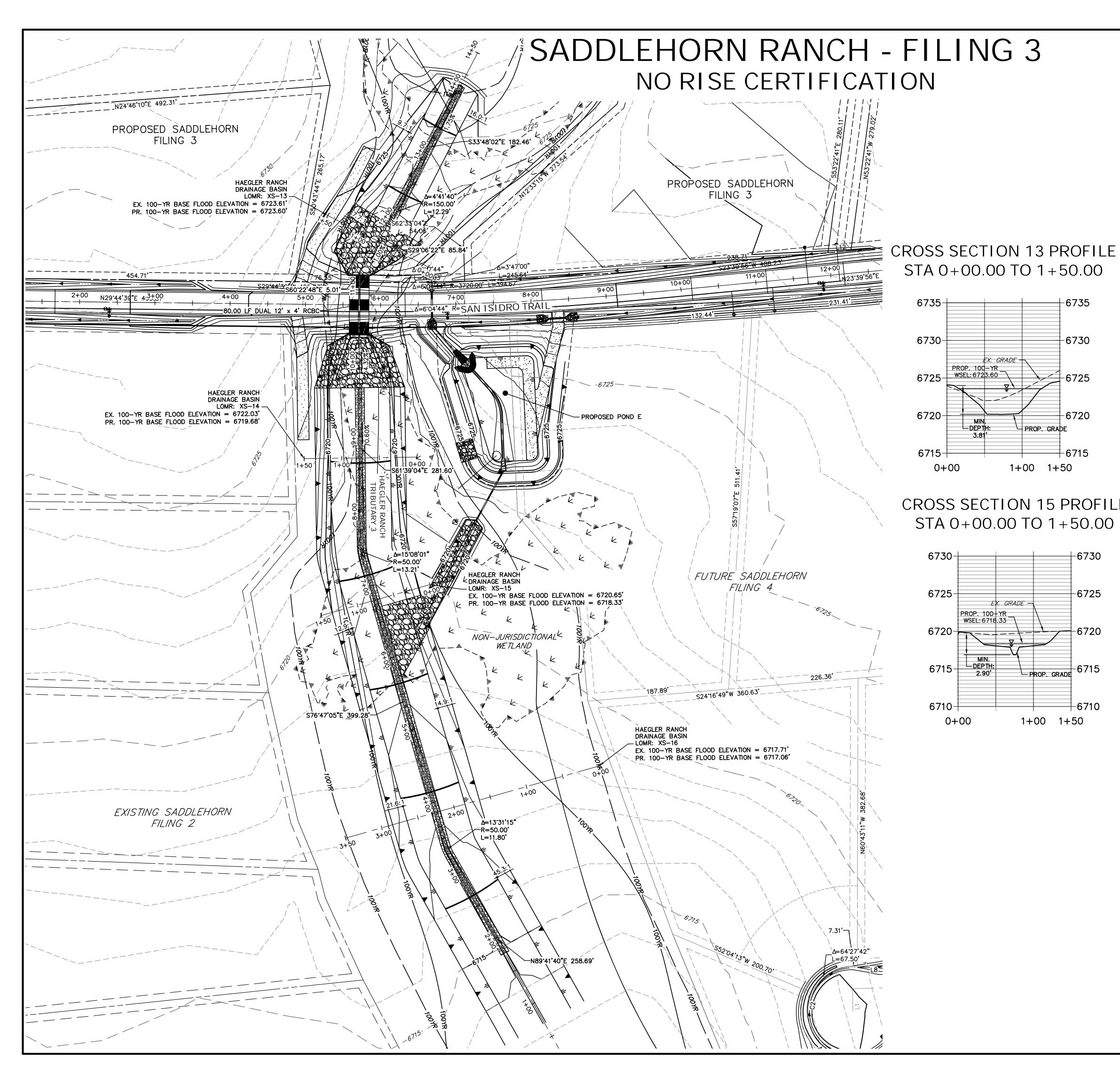
I certify that I am a duly qualified registered Professional Engineer in the State of Colorado.

I certify the proposed project, Saddlehorn Ranch Filing No. 3, as detailed on the following sheets and calculations will result in zero rise in the FEMA designated 100 year flood heights, and no increase in the 100-year discharge and no increase in the 100-year floodplain width, at published and unpublished cross sections of the current FEMA floodplain of Haegler Ranch MS-06 as shown on FEMA map 08041C0558G. This certification is intended as proof of meeting the requirements set forth in the Pikes Peak Regional Building Code RBC313.20.1.

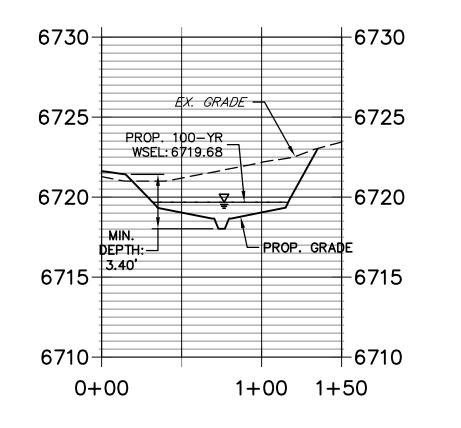
I further certify that the design conditions needed to meet the zero rise, box culvert and wing walls, are detailed in sufficient nature to allow for field confirmation and included among the supporting documentation.

I further certify that the structure in question will be securely anchored to prevent flotation, collapse or lateral movement in order to withstand the velocity of floodwaters as required by RCB313.18.1 and RBC313.21.2.

Colorado P.E. #25043



## CROSS SECTION 14 PROFILE STA 0+00.00 TO 1+50.00



CROSS SECTION 16 PROFILE CROSS SECTION 15 PROFILE STA 0+00.00 TO 3+50.00 STA 0+00.00 TO 1+50.00

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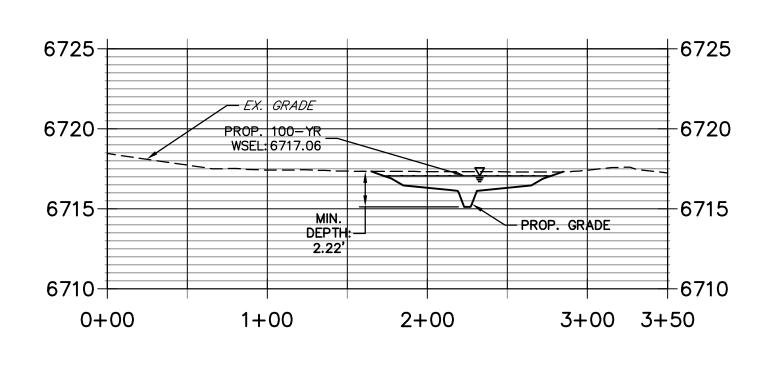
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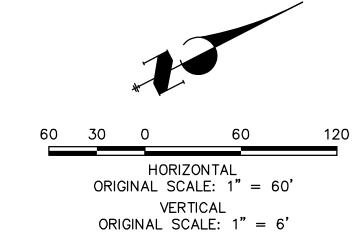
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