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Mr. Robert Witt President Pine River Irrigation District 13029 County Road 501 Bayfield CO 81122

Subject: Modification No. 001 to Contract 4-02-40-L4010, Development, Operation and

Maintenance of Certain Vallecito Reservoir Lands for Water-Based Recreation

Purposes, Pine River Project, Colorado

Dear Mr. Witt:

We are enclosing an executed copy of Modification No. 001 to the contract referenced above. Modification No. 001 makes the following clarifications to property revenue policies at Vallecito Reservoir:

- 1. The June 11, 1984; Recreation Management Agreement does not change the terms of the 1953 Amendatory Repayment Contract nor the boundary of land and property required for operation and maintenance of project works as identified in Exhibit A, Drawing No. 191-400-49, of the 1953 Amendatory Repayment Contract.
- 2. The 1984 Recreation Management Agreement is solely for the purpose of water-based recreation management.

We hope this letter helps clarify some of these long-standing issues relating to the administration of water-based recreation and the 1953 Amendatory Repayment Contract. If

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you need further information, please contact Mr. Max Stodolski at the Durango Projects Office, telephone (303) 385-6530.

Sincerely,

Carol S. DeAngelis

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## Enclosure

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