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Mr. Rick Gold, Regional Director
Upper Colorado Region
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125 South State Street
Salt Lake City, Utah 84138-1102

Dear Mr. Gold:

I accept the Recommendations for San Juan River Operations and Administration for 2004, dated October 21, 2003, that have been endorsed by the major water users on the San Juan River in New Mexico. I commend the water users and the Bureau of Reclamation for continuing to engage in dialogue to develop mutually acceptable approaches for distributing limited water supplies during periods of drought. Staff of the Interstate Stream Commission and the Office of the State Engineer will continue to be available to assist in the implementation and monitoring of the Recommendations as needed.

Please contact Mr. John Whipple of the Interstate Stream Commission staff or Mr. Robert Genualdi of the Office of the State Engineer in Aztec for any assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John R. D'Antonio, Jr.", written in a cursive style.

Mr. John R. D'Antonio, Jr., PE
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Copy: Mr. Pat Page
Mr. Jim Dunlap