

<p>DISTRICT COURT, WATER DIVISION NO.1  WELD COUNTY, COLORADO  901 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue / P.O. Box 2038  Greeley, Colorado 80631  (970) 351-7300</p>	<p>DATE FILED: February 29, 2016 5:26 PM</p>
<p>PLAINTIFF, The Jim Hutton Educational  Foundation,  v.  DEFENDANTS, Dick Wolfe, in his capacity as the  Colorado State Engineer, et al.</p>	<p>▲ COURT USE ONLY ▲</p>
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<p>COLORADO GROUND WATER COMMISSION'S STATEMENT OF SUPPORT</p>	

The Colorado Ground Water Commission (“Commission”), by and through the Attorney General, supports the relief requested in the following Defendants’ motions: Motion for Summary Judgment on Constitutionality of Senate Bill 10-52 filed by Happy Creek, Inc., J&D Cattle, LLC, 4M Feeders, Inc., May Brothers, Inc., May Family Farms, 4M Feeders, LLC, May Acres, Inc., Thomas R. May, James J.

May, Steven D. Kramer, Kent E. Ficken, and Carlyle James as Trustee of the Chester James Trust; and Motion for Summary Judgment on the Constitutionality of the Groundwater Management Act of 1965 filed by the Colorado Agriculture Preservation Association.

Respectfully submitted this 29<sup>th</sup> day of February 2016,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

This is to certify that on this 29<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2016, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing **COLORADO GROUND WATER COMMISSION'S STATEMENT OF SUPPORT** to be served electronically via ICCES upon the following:

Party Name	Party Type	Attorney Name
Arikaree Ground Water Management District	Defendant	David C Taussig Eugene J Riordan Leila Christine Behnampour (Vranesh and Raisch)
City of Burlington, Colorado	Defendant	Alix L Joseph Steven M. Nagy (Burns Figa and Will P C)
City of Holyoke	Defendant	Alvin Raymond Wall (Alvin R Wall Attorney at Law )

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City of Wray Colorado	Defendant	Alvin Raymond Wall (Alvin R Wall Attorney at Law )
Colorado Agriculture Preservation Association	Defendant	Bradley Charles Grasmick (Lawrence Jones Custer Grasmick LLP)
Colorado Department of Natural Resources	Defendant / Opposer	Daniel E Steuer Ema I.G. Schultz Preston Vincent Hartman (CO Attorney General)
Colorado Division of Water Resources	Defendant / Opposer	Daniel E Steuer Ema I.G. Schultz Preston Vincent Hartman (CO Attorney General)
Colorado Parks And Wildlife	Defendant / Opposer	Katie Laurette Wiktor Timothy John Monahan (CO Attorney General)
Colorado State Board Land Commissioners	Defendant	Virginia Marie Sciabbarrasi (CO Attorney General)
David L. Dirks	Defendant	Alvin Raymond Wall (Alvin R Wall Attorney at Law )
David Nettles	Defendant /Opposer	Daniel E Steuer Ema I.G. Schultz Preston Vincent Hartman (CO Attorney General)
Dick Wolfe	Defendant / Opposer	Daniel E Steuer Ema I.G. Schultz Preston Vincent Hartman (CO Attorney General)
Dirks Farms Ltd., Julie Dirks and David L. Dirks	Defendant	Alvin Raymond Wall (Alvin R Wall Attorney at Law )
Division 1 Engineer	Division Engineer	Division 1 Water Engineer (State of Colorado DWR Division 1)
Division 1 Water Engineer	Opposer	Ema I.G. Schultz Preston Vincent Hartman (CO Attorney General)
Don, Myrna and Nathan Andrews	Defendant	Geoffrey M. Williamson Stuart B. Corbridge (Vranesh and Raisch)
East Cheyenne Ground Water Management District	Defendant	John David Buchanan Timothy Ray Buchanan

<b>Party Name</b>	<b>Party Type</b>	<b>Attorney Name</b>
		(Buchanan and Sperling, P.C.)
Happy Creek, Inc., J&D Cattle, LLC, 4M Feeders, Inc., May Brothers, Inc., May Family Farms, 4M Feeders, LLC, May Acres, Inc., Thomas R. May, James J. May, Steven D. Kramer, Kent E. Ficken, and Carlyle James as Trustee of the Chester James Trust	Defendant	Johanna Hamburger William Arthur Paddock (Carlson, Hammond & Paddock, L.L.C.)
Harvey Colglazier, Marjorie Colglazier Trust, and Lazier, Inc.	Defendant	Alvin Raymond Wall (Alvin R Wall Attorney at Law )
Mariane U. and Timothy E. Ortner	Defendant	Alvin Raymond Wall (Alvin R Wall Attorney at Law )
Marks Butte Ground Water Management District, Frenchman Ground Water Management District, Central Yuma Ground Water Management District, WY Ground Water Management District, and Arikaree Ground Water Management District	Defendant	David C. Taussig Eugene J Riordan Leila Christine Behnampour (Vranesh and Raisch)
North Well Owners	Defendant	Kimbra L. Killin Russell Jennings Sprague (Colver Killin and Sprague LLP)
Protect Our Local Community's Water LLC	Defendant	John David Buchanan Timothy Ray Buchanan (Buchanan and Sperling, P.C.)
Republican River Water Conservation District	Defendant	David W Robbins Peter J Ampe (Hill and Robbins PC)
Saving Our Local Economy LLC	Defendant	John David Buchanan Timothy Ray Buchanan (Buchanan and Sperling, P.C.)
State Engineer, Colorado Division of Water Resources	State Engineer	Ema I.G. Schultz Preston Vincent Hartman (CO Attorney General)

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The Jim Hutton Educational Foundation	Plaintiff / Applicant	Karen Leigh Henderson Steven J Bushong (Porzak Browning & Bushong LLP)
Tri State Generation And Transmission As	Defendant	Aaron S. Ladd Justine Catherine Shepherd (Vranesh and Raisch)
Yuma County Water Authority Public Improvement District	Defendant	Dulcinea Zdunska Hanuschak John A Helfrich Steven Owen Sims (Brownstein Hyatt Farber Schreck LLP)

*Filed pursuant to C.R.C.P. Rule 121 § 1-26.  
A duly signed original is on file with the  
Office of the Attorney General for the State of Colorado.*

*/s/ Nan Edwards*

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