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t - RE: Homestake - Acoma letter

From: Ron Linton
To: Jeff L OSE Peterson
Date: 08/24/2007 9:25 AM
Subject: RE: Homestake - Acoma letter

Jeff:

I read Andy Core's 8/10/2001 analysis. He concluded there may be an impact to surface waters if the full 4,500 acre-feet was diverted, but the way I read the analysis, the net effect is positive. See the first paragraph under table 4 and first paragraph under table 2. Notwithstanding the diversion, the increase in water level will be due to the increase in amount of irrigated acreage would have a net benefit of 8.9 to 9.0 (acre-feet?) on Ojo del Gallo and approx 800 (acre-feet) on Bluewater Lake. The net positive affects may be masked by the drought conditions experienced in the area. Am I reading this correctly?

Ron

>>> "Peterson, Jeff L, OSE" <JeffL.Peterson@state.nm.us> 08/23/2007 1:32 PM >>>

Greetings Ron, I spoke with David Anderson, one of my colleagues here at OSE, have reviewed the B-28 file, and the I-Waters database for the technical memos associated with B-28, esp. the 4,500 ac-ft temporary appropriation. There are two files that are abstracted and imaged, that are available for viewing and downloading, and printing via the OSE website;

- (1) Through the I-waters database, navigate to B-28
- (2) the 8th file down SUPPL 02/08/2002 B-28-S Thru B-28; open this file, select the first image, this will contain a number of memo's, (a) technical memo dated August 10, 2001 (Exhibit A) from Andy Core, Hydrology Bureau on ground-water pumping impacts, and (b) memo from Jeff Cotter, this file also contains the permit and conditions of approval,
- (3) the 2nd file down ENLRG 07/29/2004 B-28 ENLARGE; open this file, this contains a memo from Jalayne Spivey, which refers Andy Core's technical memo.

It appears that Andy Core concluded that there would be impact to surface waters if the full 4,500 acre-feet of ground-water was pumped under permit B-28.

Thanks,

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Jeff:

Any comments or assistance you can offer on the Acoma letter and their water withdrawal concerns as noted in my 7/27/07 e-mail to you? Unfortunately, my summer vacations are over, so I'll be here this week. Please e-mail me or call me @ 301-415-7777. Thanks.

Ron

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