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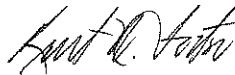
Re: Applications for Permit Nos. 15-7273, 15-7274 and 15-7275

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen:

We are writing this letter on behalf of Samaria Water and Irrigation Company to protest the above numbered applications filed by MJ Davis Memorial Limited Partnership of Colorado Springs, Colorado. This protest is filed on the grounds that each of said applications, if granted, would reduce the quantity of water under the existing water rights of the Samaria Water and Irrigation Company, numbers 15-4066, 15-4067 and 15-4068, and on the further grounds that said applications will conflict with the local public interest.

We are enclosing with this letter our check for the filing fee in the amount of \$75.00 (\$25.00 for the protest of each application). Copies of this letter have also been sent to Applicant and to Applicant's attorney. Thank you for your kind attention to this matter.

Yours very truly,



Kent W. Foster

Enclosure

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