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TO: Ken Knox – Division of Water Resources

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SUBJECT: Republican River – 2001 and 2002 Colorado Pumping and Surface Water Diversions

The purpose of this memorandum is to document the procedures and basic data utilized to estimate pumping and surface water diversions in Colorado for 2001 and 2002. As outlined below, the same basic procedure used to develop the 1940 to 2000 estimates was used to develop the 2001 and 2002 estimates.

SURFACE WATER DIVERSIONS

In the Republican River Basin groundwater model, the Hale Ditch, the Laird Ditch, and the Pioneer Ditch are represented explicitly. Table A list the surface water diversions for these three ditches. This data was compiled from Colorado Division of Water Resources Records. This data is also provided in electronic format in the file entitled “CO Surface Water Diversions for 2001 and 2002.xls”.

MUNICIPAL GROUNDWATER PUMPING ESTIMATES

For 2001 and 2002, Colorado is using the same municipal pumping estimates as was used for the year 2000. The 2000 pumping estimates were developed by the USGS. Colorado has not refined these numbers at this time.

AGRICULTURAL GROUNDWATER PUMPING ESTIMATES

The 2001 and 2002 agricultural pumping estimates were developed using the same procedure as was utilized to estimate the values from 1940 to 2000. This procedure was summarized in the report entitled “Republican River Compact Administration Ground Water Model June 30, 2003” as follows:

The State of Colorado employed an eight-step procedure to estimate ground water pumping:

1. Total acres irrigated by surface and ground water is estimated for each county based upon data from the respective County Assessor's Office for the area contained in the RRCA Model boundaries. This data was supplemented with irrigated acreage reported by the National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS).
2. The acreage irrigated by surface water is identified from the County Assessor's Records.

3. The acreage irrigated by ground water is calculated as the difference between the total acreage and the acreage irrigated by surface water.
4. The maximum farm efficiency for center-pivot sprinkler irrigation and flood irrigation is estimated for each year.
5. The percent of acreage irrigated by center-pivot sprinkler is estimated for each county for each year.
6. The crop water requirement is estimated for each county using the Hargreaves empirical formula calibrated to the Penman-Monteith method for reference crop evapotranspiration. The crop mix for each county is determined from NASS county-level crop statistics. The effective precipitation is estimated using the procedure outlined in Irrigation Water Requirements, Technical Release No. 21, United States Department of Agriculture, April 1967 (Revised September 1970). The crop irrigation requirement is calculated as the total or potential crop water requirement minus the effective precipitation.
7. The calculated crop irrigation requirement was reduced by two (2) inches per year to account for the gain in antecedent soil moisture from winter and spring precipitation.

Pumping for each county is estimated as the product of Irrigated Ground Water Acreage multiplied by the Net Crop Irrigation Requirement multiplied by Fraction of Crop Irrigation Requirement satisfied. The Fraction of Crop Irrigation Requirement satisfied was estimated from available pumping records. The pumping for each county is then divided by the maximum farm efficiency. The maximum farm efficiency is a weighted average based on the amount of sprinkler and flood irrigation. County pumping estimates are distributed to ground water model cells using the well capacity for irrigation wells

The results of applying the above procedure to 2001 and 2002 are summarized in Table B and C, respectively. Table B and C also list the sources of data. The calculations and background data to develop Table B and C are provided in electronic format in files entitled "2001 Republican-CO Pump.xls" and "2002 Republican-CO Pump.xls".

The attached Tables 1 through 12 summarizes the Colorado agricultural pumping estimates for 1940-2002. The 1940-2002 values for the irrigated acreage, net crop irrigation requirement, total agricultural pumping estimates and associated recharge, and the applied water are shown graphically in Figures 1 through 4.

Table A
Surface Water Diversion Records for the Major Ditches in Colorado
(for the period January 2001 to December 2002)

	Hale Ditch Divisions (ac-ft)												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
2001	0	0	0	0	0	696	722	591	66	0	0	0	2,075
2002	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Average	0	0	0	0	0	348	361	296	33	0	0	0	1,038

Source: USBR data provided by Mark Phillips

	Laird Ditch Divisions (ac-ft)												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
2001	0	0	0	0	433	362	362	414	337	274	0	0	2,182
2002	0	0	0	0	664	400	578	397	537	372	0	0	2,948
Average	0	0	0	0	549	381	470	406	437	323	0	0	2,565

Source: Jan 2001 to Oct 2002 CDSS, Nov and Dec 2002 per phone conversation with Water Commissioner (Dave Rebis 970-322-4850)

	Net Pioneer Ditch Divisions used in Colorado (River Headgate Diversions minus flume at Stateline) (ac-ft)												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
2001	0	0	0	55	389	244	341	309	369	12	0	0	1,719
2002	0	0	0	224	452	380	281	462	463	1,388	0	0	3,650
Average	0	0	0	139	421	312	311	386	416	700	0	0	2,684

Calculated as Total Pioneer Ditch Divisions minus Pioneer/Haigler at the Colorado/Nebraska Stateline

	Total Pioneer Ditch Divisions at River Headgate in Colorado (ac-ft)												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
2001	0	0	0	148	1,559	881	1,276	1,194	1,333	255	0	0	6,646
2002	0	0	0	954	1,472	1,214	952	1,244	1,291	1,388	0	0	8,515
Average	0	0	0	551	1,516	1,048	1,114	1,219	1,312	822	0	0	7,581

Source: Jan 2001 to Oct 2002 CDSS, Nov and Dec 2002 per phone conversation with Water Commissioner (Dave Rebis 970-322-4850)

	Pioneer/Haigler Ditch at the Colorado/Nebraska Stateline (ac-ft)												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
2001	0	0	0	93	1,170	637	935	885	964	243	0	0	4,927
2002	0	0	0	730	1,020	834	671	782	828	0	0	0	4,865
Average	0	0	0	412	1,095	736	803	834	896	122	0	0	4,896

Source: Data Provided by Jerry Kenny of HDR Engineering.

Table B**Table 1 - Total Acres**

County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)									Total
Year	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
2001	11,378	165,765	1,482	5,104	67,652	22,921	36,641	263,157	574,100

Source: <http://www.dola.state.co.us/PropertyTax/Publications/PublisIntro.htm> - Agricultural Section of Annual Report

for Kit Carson, Phillips, and Yuma Counties. Only a portion of the remaining counties are geographically located within the Republican River basin.

For these Counties the acreage was estimated to be the same as 2000. See Helton & Williamsen memorandum entitled "Irrigated acreage estimates - Republican River Basin in Colorado" dated October 8, 2002.

Table 2 - Acres Irrigated by Surface Water Diversions

County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)									Total
Year	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
2001	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763

Source: The only counties with surface water diversions are Kit Carson and Yuma Counties. For Kit Carson and Yuma the surface water acres are estimated to be the 1940 values in Helton & Williamsen memorandum entitled "Irrigated acreage estimates - Republican River Basin in Colorado" dated October 8, 2002.

Table 3 - Acres Irrigated by Groundwater Pumping

County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)									Total
Year	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
2001	11,378	163,904	1,482	5,104	67,652	22,921	36,641	260,255	569,337

Calculated as Total Irrigated Acres minus Surface Water Irrigated Acres (Table 1 minus Table 2)

Table 4 - Efficiency Factors for Estimating Pumping In Colorado

Year	Percent of CIR Met by Pumping (%)	Sprinkler Irrigation			Flood/Gated Pipe/Furrow Irrigation			Net Pumping to Deep Percolation (%)
		Maximum Spray Loss (%)	Pumping Lost to Deep Percolation (%)	Pumping to Farm	Maximum Efficiency (%)	Surface Runoff (%)	Pumping to Farm (%)	
		(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	
2001	75%	80%	3%	17%	65%	5%	30%	

Source:

(2) Data from "150 Well Water Right Change Study" (See Table 5 of Helton & Williamsen memorandum entitled)

(3) Estimated

(4) Estimated

(5) Calculated as 100% - Column(3) - Column(4)

(6) Estimated

(7) Initial surface water runoff is estimated to be 10%. Estimated that 5% deep percolates back into aquifer after it leaves the end of the field and 5% returns to the stream or is consumed.

(8) Calculated as 100% - Column(6) - Column(7)

Table 6 - Percent of Irrigated Land Served by Sprinkler Irrigation

Year	County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)								Weighted Average Using Acres in Table 3
	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	
2001	91.5%	92.8%	66.5%	98.0%	90.4%	98.0%	85.7%	99.8%	95.4%

Source: <http://www.dola.state.co.us/PropertyTax/Publications/PublisIntro.htm> - Agricultural Section of Annual Report

Since the majority of Logan and Sedgwick Counties serve lands that are located in the South Platte Basin, the percentage was based on discussions with staff of the County Assessor Office in the respective counties in 2000.

Table B**Table 7 - Crop Irrigation Requirement (units of inches)**

Year	County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)								Weighted Average Using Acres in Table 3
	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	
	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
2001	20.09	24.31	23.79	20.65	20.23	20.18	21.06	20.28	21.49

Sources:

Potential consumptive use estimated using the Hargreaves equation calibrated to the Penman-Monteith equation.

Effective rainfall estimated using procedure outlined in TR-21.

Crop mix from NASS data was used to weight the CIR for each county.

See memorandum by Helton & Williamsen entitled "Crop Consumptive Use Requirements - Republican River Basin in Colorado" dated November 19, 2002.

Table 8 - Gain in Soil Moisture from Winter and Spring Precipitation (units of inches)

Year	County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)								Total
	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	
	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
2001	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00

Source:

1) "Republican River Basin Water Management Study - Working Paper - Farm Water Management", Steven J. Vandus, US Bureau of Reclamation, March 1983

2) As a check on reasonableness

Average Monthly Precipitation for Yuma County in April and May = 4.8 inches

Average Monthly Consumptive Water Requirement for Corn Grain in Yuma County in April and May = 1.2 inches

Which results in 4.8" - 1.2" = 3.6" of precipitation that becomes surface water runoff, deep percolation, soil evaporation, or a gain to soil moisture storage.

Table 9 - Net Crop Irrigation Requirement (units in inches)

Year	County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)								Weighted Average Using Acres in Table 3
	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	
	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
2001	18.09	22.31	21.79	18.65	18.23	18.18	19.06	18.28	19.49

Sources:

Calculated as Table 7 minus Table 8

Table 10 - Irrigation Groundwater Pumping (acre-feet)

Year	County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)								Total
	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	
	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
2001	16,398	290,447	2,718	7,471	98,493	32,712	56,367	371,791	876,396

For each county pumping is calculated as

Gw Irrig Acres (Table 3) x % CIR (Table 4, column 2) x Net CIR/12 (Table 9)

multiplied by the quantity of

Pct Land Served by Sprinkler (Table 6) / Sprinkler Efficiency (Table 4, column 3) +

Pct Land Served by Flood (100 - Table 6) / Flood Efficiency (Table 4, column 6)

Table 11 - Recharge From Groundwater Pumping in Colorado (acre-feet)

Year	County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)								Total
	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	
	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
2001	3,006	52,667	597	1,294	18,224	5,665	10,831	63,323	155,608

For each county recharge is calculated as

Sprinkler Pump x Recharge Sprinkler + Flood Pumping x Rech Flood

Which is equal to

Gw Irrig Acres (Table 3) x % CIR (Table 4, column 2) x Net CIR/12 (Table 9)

multiplied by the quantity of

Rech Sprinkler (Table 4, column 5) x Pct Land Sprinkler (Table 6) / Sprinkler Eff (Table 4, column 3) +

Rech Flood (Table 4, column 8) x Pct Land Served by Flood (100 - Table 6) / Flood Eff (Table 4, column 6)

Table C**Table 1 - Total Acres**

Year	County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)								Total
	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	
	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
2002	11,378	165,880	1,482	5,104	67,100	22,921	36,641	263,706	574,212

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	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	
	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
2002	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763

Source: The only counties with surface water diversions are Kit Carson and Yuma Counties. For Kit Carson and Yuma the surface water acres are estimated to be the 1940 values in Helton & Williamsen memorandum entitled "Irrigated acreage estimates - Republican River Basin in Colorado" dated October 8, 2002.

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	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	
	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
2002	11,378	164,019	1,482	5,104	67,100	22,921	36,641	260,804	569,449

Calculated as Total Irrigated Acres minus Surface Water Irrigated Acres (Table 1 minus Table 2)

Table 4 - Efficiency Factors for Estimating Pumping In Colorado

Year	Percent of CIR Met by Pumping (%)	Sprinkler Irrigation			Flood/Gated Pipe/Furrow Irrigation			Net Pumping to Deep Percolation (%)
		Maximum Efficiency	Pumping Spray Loss (%)	Pumping to Lost to Deep Percolation (%)	Maximum Efficiency	Surface Water Runoff (%)	Pumping to Deep Percolation (%)	
		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	
2002	75%	80%	3%	17%	65%	5%	30%	

Source:

(2) Data from "150 Well Water Right Change Study" (See Table 5 of Helton & Williamsen memorandum entitled)

(3) Estimated

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	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	
	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	
2002	91.1%	92.9%	69.8%	98.0%	92.3%	98.0%	85.8%	99.6%	95.6%

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Table C

Table 7 - Crop Irrigation Requirement (units of inches)

Year	County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)								Weighted Average Using Acres in Table 3
	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
2002	23.15	25.25	26.37	22.05	22.26	22.18	25.16	19.69	22.15

Sources:

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Year	County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)								Total	
	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
2002	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00

Source:

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Year	County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)								Weighted Average Using Acres in Table 3
	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
2002	21.15	23.25	24.37	20.05	20.26	20.18	23.16	17.69	20.15

Sources:

Calculated as Table 7 minus Table 8

Table 10 - Irrigation Groundwater Pumping (acre-feet)

Year	County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)								Total
	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
2002	19,186	302,795	3,019	8,031	108,084	36,307	68,473	360,736	906,631

For each county pumping is calculated as

Gw Irrig Acres (Table 3) x % CIR (Table 4, column 2) x Net CIR/12 (Table 9)

multiplied by the quantity of

Pct Land Served by Sprinkler (Table 6) / Sprinkler Efficiency (Table 4, column 3) +

Pct Land Served by Flood (100 - Table 6) / Flood Efficiency (Table 4, column 6)

Table 11 - Recharge From Groundwater Pumping in Colorado (acre-feet)

Year	County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)								Total
	Cheyenne	Kit Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
2002	3,529	54,859	650	1,391	19,683	6,288	13,147	61,556	161,102

For each county recharge is calculated as

Sprinkler Pump x Recharge Sprinkler + Flood Pumping x Rech Flood

Which is equal to

Gw Irrig Acres (Table 3) x % CIR (Table 4, column 2) x Net CIR/12 (Table 9)

multiplied by the quantity of

Rech Sprinkler (Table 4, column 5) x Pct Land Sprinkler (Table 5) / Sprinkler Eff (Table 4, column 3) +

Rech Flood (Table 4, column 8) x Pct Land Served by Flood (100 - Table 6) / Flood Eff (Table 4, column 6)

Table 2
Acres Irrigated by Surface Water Diversions

Data for 1940-2002

(acres)

Year (1)	County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)								Total Surface Water Acres (10)
	Cheyenne (2)	Carson (3)	Lincoln (4)	Logan (5)	Phillips (6)	Sedgwick (7)	Washington (8)	Yuma (9)	
	Kit Cheyenne	Carson	Lincoln	Logan	Phillips	Sedgwick	Washington	Yuma	
1940	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1941	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1942	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1943	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1944	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1945	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1946	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1947	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1948	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1949	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1950	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1951	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1952	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1953	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1954	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1955	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1956	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1957	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1958	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1959	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1960	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1961	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1962	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1963	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1964	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1965	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1966	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1967	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1968	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1969	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1970	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1971	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1972	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1973	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1974	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1975	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1976	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1977	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1978	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1979	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1980	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1981	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1982	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1983	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1984	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1985	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1986	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1987	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1988	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1989	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1990	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1991	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1992	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1993	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1994	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1995	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1996	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1997	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1998	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
1999	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
2000	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
2001	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
2002	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
Avg	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763
93-02 Avg	0	1,861	0	0	0	0	0	2,902	4,763

Table 4
Efficiency Factors for Estimating Pumping in Colorado

Data for 1940-2002

Year (1)	Percent of CIR Met by Pumping (%) (2)	Sprinkler Irrigation			Flood/Gated Pipe/Furrow Irrigation		
		Maximum Farm Efficiency (%) (3)	Pumping Lost to Spray Loss (%) (4)	Pumping to Deep Percolation (%) (5)	Maximum Farm Efficiency (%) (6)	Pumping to Net Surface Water Runoff (%) (7)	Deep Percolation (%) (8)
1940	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1941	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1942	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1943	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1944	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1945	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1946	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1947	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1948	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1949	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1950	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1951	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1952	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1953	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1954	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1955	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1956	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1957	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1958	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1959	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1960	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1961	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1962	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1963	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1964	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1965	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1966	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1967	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1968	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1969	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1970	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1971	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1972	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1973	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1974	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1975	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1976	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1977	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1978	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1979	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1980	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1981	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1982	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1983	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1984	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1985	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1986	75%	75%	6%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1987	75%	76%	5%	19%	65%	5%	30%
1988	75%	77%	5%	18%	65%	5%	30%
1989	75%	78%	4%	18%	65%	5%	30%
1990	75%	79%	4%	17%	65%	5%	30%
1991	75%	80%	3%	17%	65%	5%	30%
1992	75%	80%	3%	17%	65%	5%	30%
1993	75%	80%	3%	17%	65%	5%	30%
1994	75%	80%	3%	17%	65%	5%	30%
1995	75%	80%	3%	17%	65%	5%	30%
1996	75%	80%	3%	17%	65%	5%	30%
1997	75%	80%	3%	17%	65%	5%	30%
1998	75%	80%	3%	17%	65%	5%	30%
1999	75%	80%	3%	17%	65%	5%	30%
2000	75%	80%	3%	17%	65%	5%	30%
2001	75%	80%	3%	17%	65%	5%	30%
2002	75%	80%	3%	17%	65%	5%	30%
Avg	75%	76%	5%	19%	65%	5%	30%
93-02 Avg	75%	80%	3%	17%	65%	5%	30%

Table 5

Procedure to Estimate Percentage of Crop Irrigation Requirement Met By Groundwater Pumping

Colorado has measured pumping for approximately 150 well water right changes as described in the memorandum entitled "Colorado procedures for change in water right applications" dated August 22, 2002. The supporting tables for this memorandum are in the file "pumpingrep1.xls" dated August 22, 2002. This investigation is commonly called the "150 Well Water Right Change Study".

The data from the "150 Well Water Right Change Study" is analyzed in the following equation

$$\text{Pumping} = \text{Factor}_{BC} \times \text{CIR}_{BC} \times \text{Acres} / \text{Farm Efficiency}$$

where

Pumping = Measured pumping from power records and a power coefficient

Factor_{BC} = Value calculated from other measured values

CIR_{BC} = Crop Irrigation Requirement calculated using the Modified Blaney Criddle Method and and the procedure to calculate effective precipitation as outlined in "Irrigation Water Requirements, Technical Release No. 21", USDA, April 1967.

Acres = Number of acres irrigated with the pumped water as determined from aerial photographs

Farm Efficiency= Amount of Applied Irrigation Water that is consumed

Using the average values from the "150 Well Water Right Change Study" in the above equation

$$\text{Pumping} = 260.51 \text{ (ac-ft/yr)}$$

$$\text{CIR}_{BC} \times \text{Acres} = 264.75 \text{ (ac-ft/yr)}$$

Farm Efficiency = 80% (vast majority of changes were sprinkler systems changed in the 1990's)

$$260.51 = \text{Factor}_{BC} \times 264.75 / 0.80$$

$$\text{Factor}_{BC} = 0.79$$

To determine factor when Hargreaves equation is utilized

$$\text{Pumping} = \text{Factor}_{HAR} \times \text{CIR}_{HAR} \times \text{Acres} / \text{Farm Efficiency}$$

or

$$\text{Pumping} = \text{Factor}_{BC} \times \text{CIR}_{BC} \times \text{Acres} / \text{Farm Efficiency}$$

which is equivalent to

$$\text{Factor}_{HAR} \times \text{CIR}_{HAR} \times \text{Acres} / \text{Farm Efficiency} = \text{Factor}_{BC} \times \text{CIR}_{BC} \times \text{Acres} / \text{Farm Efficiency}$$

solving the above equation results in

$$\text{Factor}_{HAR} = \text{Factor}_{BC} \times \text{CIR}_{BC} / \text{CIR}_{HAR}$$

Using crop irrigation requirement weighted by the irrigated acres in the above equation

$$\text{Factor}_{BC} = 0.79$$

$$\text{CIR}_{BC} = 15.6 \text{ (1986-2000 average weighted CIR using the Modified Blaney Criddle Method)}$$

$$\text{CIR}_{HAR} = 16.5 \text{ (1986-2000 average NET weighted CIR shown in Table 9)}$$

$$\text{Factor}_{HAR} = 0.75$$

Table 6
Percent of Irrigated Land Served by Sprinkler Irrigation

Data for 1940-2002

Year (1)	County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)								Weighted Average Using Acres in Table 3 (10)	
	Kit		Wash- ington							
	Cheyenne (2)	Carson (3)	Lincoln (4)	Logan (5)	Phillips (6)	Sedgwick (7)	(8)	Yuma (9)		
1940	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1941	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1942	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1943	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1944	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1945	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1946	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1947	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1948	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1949	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1950	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1951	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1952	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1953	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1954	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1955	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1956	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1957	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1958	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1959	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1960	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
1961	9%	8%	7%	10%	7%	10%	9%	10%	9%	
1962	18%	17%	14%	20%	14%	20%	17%	20%	18%	
1963	28%	25%	22%	29%	22%	29%	26%	30%	26%	
1964	37%	33%	29%	39%	29%	39%	34%	40%	35%	
1965	46%	42%	36%	49%	36%	49%	43%	50%	44%	
1966	55%	50%	43%	59%	43%	59%	51%	60%	53%	
1967	64%	58%	50%	69%	50%	69%	60%	70%	62%	
1968	74%	66%	58%	78%	58%	78%	68%	80%	71%	
1969	83%	75%	65%	88%	65%	88%	77%	90%	81%	
1970	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	90%	
1971	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	90%	
1972	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	90%	
1973	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	90%	
1974	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	90%	
1975	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	90%	
1976	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	90%	
1977	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1978	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1979	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1980	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1981	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1982	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1983	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1984	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1985	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1986	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1987	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1988	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1989	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1990	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1991	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1992	92%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1993	91%	83%	72%	98%	72%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1994	91%	83%	68%	98%	75%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1995	91%	83%	68%	98%	76%	98%	85%	100%	91%	
1996	91%	83%	69%	98%	81%	98%	85%	100%	92%	
1997	91%	83%	69%	98%	82%	98%	85%	98%	91%	
1998	91%	84%	69%	98%	87%	98%	85%	99%	92%	
1999	91%	84%	69%	98%	89%	98%	86%	99%	92%	
2000	91%	93%	67%	98%	90%	98%	86%	98%	95%	
2001	91.5%	92.8%	66.5%	98.0%	90.4%	98.0%	85.7%	99.8%	95%	
2002	91.1%	92.9%	69.8%	98.0%	92.3%	98.0%	85.8%	99.6%	96%	
Avg	55%	50%	42%	58%	45%	58%	51%	59%	54%	
93-02 Avg	91%	86%	69%	98%	83%	98%	85%	99%	93%	

Table 8
Gain in Soil Moisture from Winter and Spring Precipitation
Data for 1940-2002
(units of inches)

Year (1)	County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)								Weighted Average Using Acres in Table 3 (10)	
	Kit		Wash- ington							
	Cheyenne (2)	Carson (3)	Lincoln (4)	Logan (5)	Phillips (6)	Sedgwick (7)	Yuma (9)			
1940	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1941	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1942	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1943	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1944	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1945	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1946	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1947	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1948	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1949	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1950	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1951	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1952	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1953	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1954	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1955	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1956	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1957	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1958	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1959	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1960	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1961	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1962	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1963	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1964	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1965	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1966	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1967	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1968	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1969	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1970	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1971	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1972	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1973	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1974	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1975	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1976	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1977	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1978	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1979	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1980	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1981	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1982	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1983	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1984	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1985	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1986	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1987	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1988	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1989	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1990	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1991	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1992	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1993	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1994	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1995	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1996	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1997	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1998	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
1999	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
2000	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
2001	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
2002	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
Avg	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	
93-02 Avg	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	

Table 11
Recharge From Groundwater Pumping in Colorado

Data for 1940-2002
 (acre-feet)

Year (1)	County (or portion of County in the Republican River Basin study area)								Total (10)	
	Kit		Wash-							
	Cheyenne (2)	Carson (3)	Lincoln (4)	Logan (5)	Phillips (6)	Sedgwick (7)	ington (8)	Yuma (9)		
1940	38	0	0	58	235	0	73	0	404	
1941	28	0	2	34	134	0	184	39	420	
1942	30	0	2	41	269	0	178	49	570	
1943	43	0	2	67	453	0	204	77	846	
1944	46	0	2	60	408	0	286	69	871	
1945	97	0	2	31	197	0	320	44	691	
1946	143	0	2	53	351	0	435	101	1,085	
1947	129	130	2	51	352	0	768	265	1,696	
1948	90	480	122	65	457	0	1,005	288	2,507	
1949	97	895	136	45	462	59	728	824	3,246	
1950	187	1,263	151	53	612	71	941	919	4,196	
1951	197	1,059	124	36	450	118	925	1,106	4,014	
1952	244	1,826	201	74	1,203	236	1,410	2,504	7,697	
1953	303	1,864	183	59	1,034	180	1,443	2,836	7,903	
1954	315	3,913	235	61	1,218	190	1,849	3,832	11,612	
1955	400	7,955	197	58	1,245	188	1,432	4,485	15,959	
1956	500	13,053	234	69	1,640	310	1,940	6,798	24,543	
1957	299	8,611	137	134	1,629	394	1,661	6,287	19,152	
1958	213	9,249	138	105	1,365	270	1,843	6,108	19,290	
1959	291	16,209	245	136	1,747	392	2,143	8,134	29,296	
1960	338	14,777	193	139	1,914	394	2,235	7,093	27,084	
1961	266	14,960	178	112	1,725	309	1,809	6,207	25,567	
1962	349	15,076	169	98	1,588	286	2,009	4,992	24,567	
1963	474	24,844	212	181	2,378	410	2,238	8,485	39,223	
1964	612	34,176	249	197	4,822	480	2,648	13,625	56,808	
1965	666	20,437	123	111	4,151	271	2,589	11,400	39,747	
1966	821	40,007	226	121	5,823	277	3,559	17,008	67,843	
1967	799	38,908	177	103	8,567	372	4,399	31,884	85,210	
1968	1,038	46,292	212	350	13,295	897	5,814	36,823	104,720	
1969	814	47,989	229	338	14,079	1,236	5,896	43,414	113,995	
1970	1,083	50,234	258	377	17,345	1,411	6,050	45,874	122,632	
1971	1,500	53,178	273	288	14,510	1,268	7,153	49,952	128,122	
1972	1,555	45,579	244	330	14,896	1,334	6,474	45,900	116,311	
1973	1,875	52,738	264	523	17,155	2,191	7,454	42,320	124,521	
1974	3,228	67,137	390	1,388	27,192	5,967	11,194	72,125	188,620	
1975	3,282	58,922	482	1,473	25,027	6,623	10,289	72,163	178,259	
1976	3,597	69,045	548	1,734	30,100	8,139	12,386	78,615	204,164	
1977	3,816	58,409	468	1,530	25,741	7,158	14,565	74,344	186,031	
1978	3,823	56,696	523	1,926	32,650	9,093	12,115	91,503	208,327	
1979	3,508	46,497	369	1,386	24,321	6,751	9,988	75,217	168,035	
1980	3,474	51,140	470	1,689	28,002	8,119	12,225	68,253	173,373	
1981	3,266	56,435	475	1,407	24,137	6,798	11,346	73,054	176,917	
1982	3,035	41,636	353	1,056	18,299	5,175	9,216	55,077	133,848	
1983	3,197	35,161	372	1,225	20,719	5,726	9,092	56,544	132,037	
1984	3,185	47,097	478	1,494	23,673	6,735	8,857	73,331	164,850	
1985	3,045	38,669	352	1,463	23,327	6,113	8,991	56,515	138,476	
1986	2,883	45,460	444	1,412	21,940	5,986	10,217	57,747	146,089	
1987	2,994	42,051	408	1,360	22,051	6,135	9,111	68,326	152,436	
1988	2,722	46,719	453	1,410	23,046	6,365	10,800	71,941	163,457	
1989	2,329	45,113	455	1,157	18,393	5,244	9,979	55,169	137,838	
1990	2,420	43,139	414	1,295	21,544	5,944	8,253	54,684	137,694	
1991	2,571	39,339	408	1,192	21,453	5,715	10,943	43,557	125,178	
1992	2,766	41,092	446	1,129	18,863	5,154	9,745	49,949	129,144	
1993	3,254	40,678	415	900	14,575	4,108	9,442	47,748	121,121	
1994	3,062	43,831	457	1,564	26,468	7,039	13,902	57,127	153,449	
1995	2,840	37,621	386	1,171	19,782	5,407	8,607	49,825	125,639	
1996	2,783	41,199	414	621	9,744	2,994	8,254	43,344	109,352	
1997	2,735	41,151	430	1,231	20,248	5,872	9,965	51,991	133,622	
1998	2,882	38,138	385	1,179	16,664	5,331	11,562	59,409	135,550	
1999	2,871	36,079	385	1,003	14,579	4,490	7,374	50,242	117,021	
2000	3,587	48,143	558	1,732	23,397	7,424	12,464	64,058	161,364	
2001	3,006	52,667	597	1,294	18,224	5,665	10,831	63,323	155,608	
2002	3,529	54,859	650	1,391	19,683	6,288	13,147	61,556	161,102	
Avg	1,676	30,632	288	688	12,247	3,033	6,110	35,023	89,698	
93-02 Avg	3,055	43,437	468	1,208	18,336	5,462	10,555	54,862	137,383	

Table 12
Monthly Distribution of Pumping and Recharge

1986-2000 Average Monthly Crop Irrigation Requirement for Yuma County (inches)

Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Total
0.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.20	0.56	3.44	4.82	4.94	2.92	17.07

Crop Irrigation Requirement for Yuma County adjusted for 2" gain in soil moisture due to winter precipitation (inches)

(the small amount of crop irrigation requirement in October is moved into September since the majority of this is due to a crop irrigation requirement for winter wheat in a few drier years and farmers would typically rely on carry over soil moisture to make up for this deficit instead of pumping groundwater)

Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Total
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.22	4.82	4.94	3.09	15.07

Monthly Distribution (Percent of Annual Pumping or Annual Recharge)

Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Total
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	14.7	32.0	32.8	20.5	100.0

Figure 1
Republican River Basin - Irrigated Acreage in Colorado for 1940 to 2002

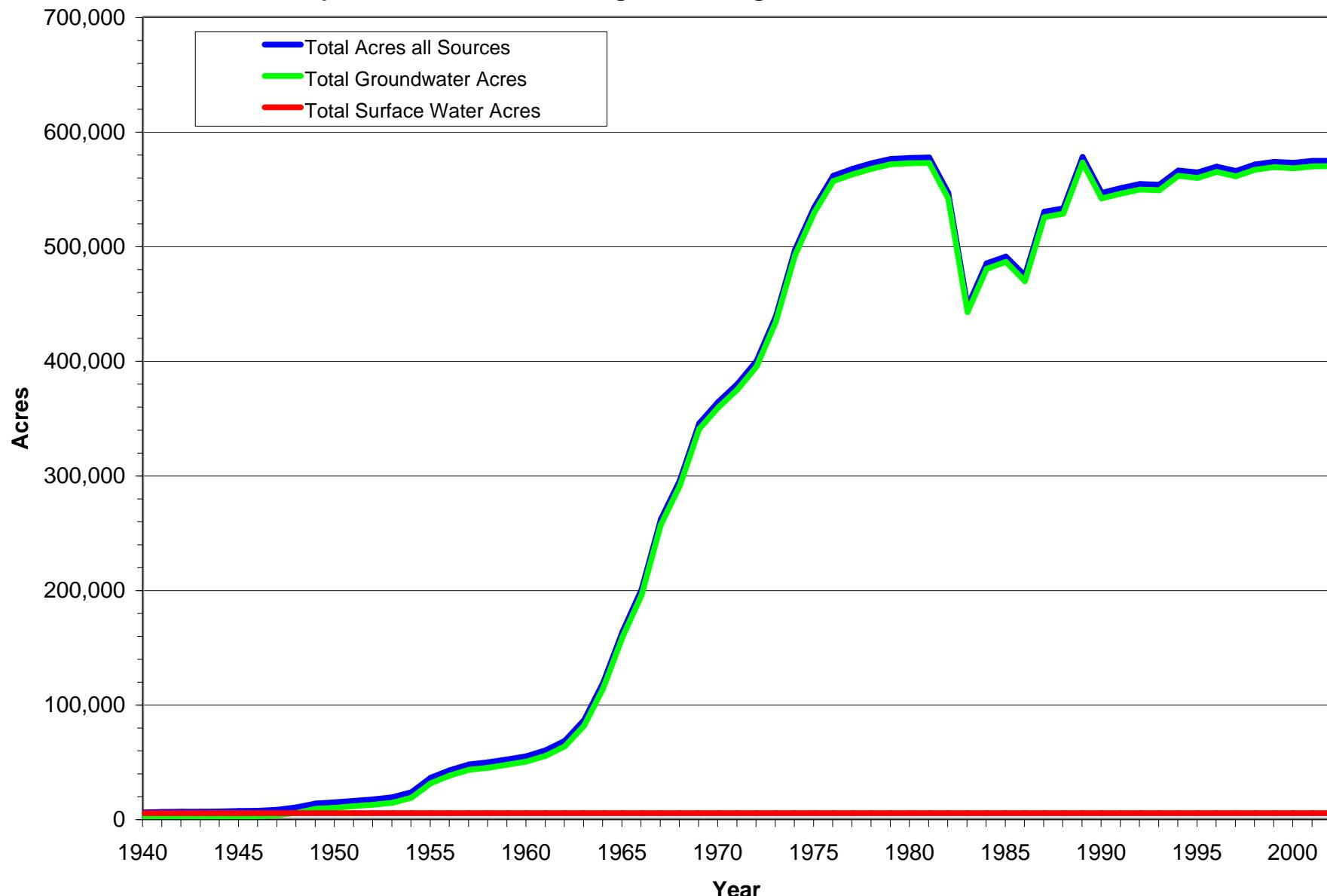
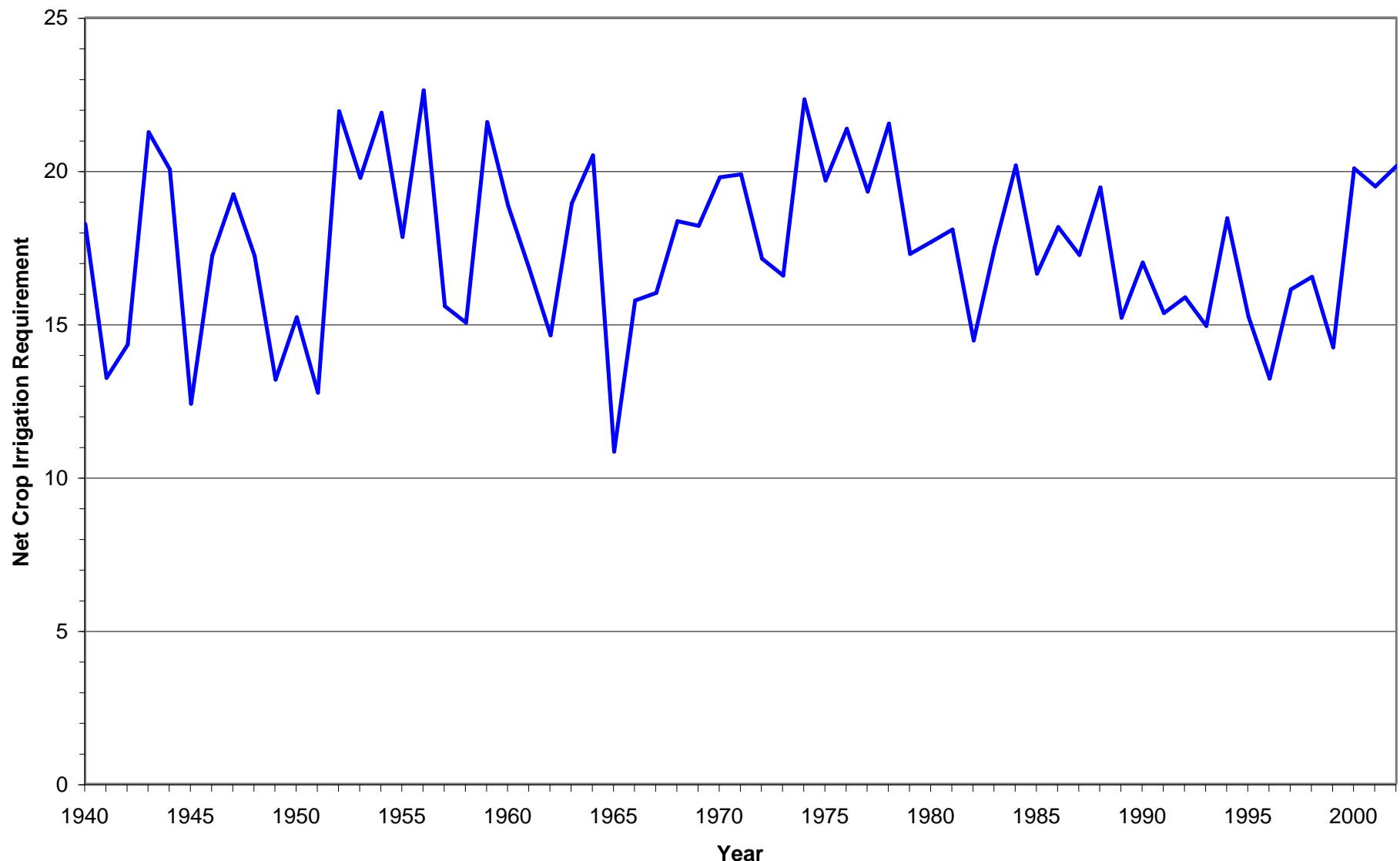


Figure 2
Republican River Basin - Average Net Crop Irrigation Requirement in Colorado



Includes a reduction in calculated crop irrigation requirement of 2 inches per year to account for Gain in Soil Moisture from Winter and Spring Precipitation

Figure 3
Republican River Basin - Total Agricultural Pumping and Associated Recharge in Colorado

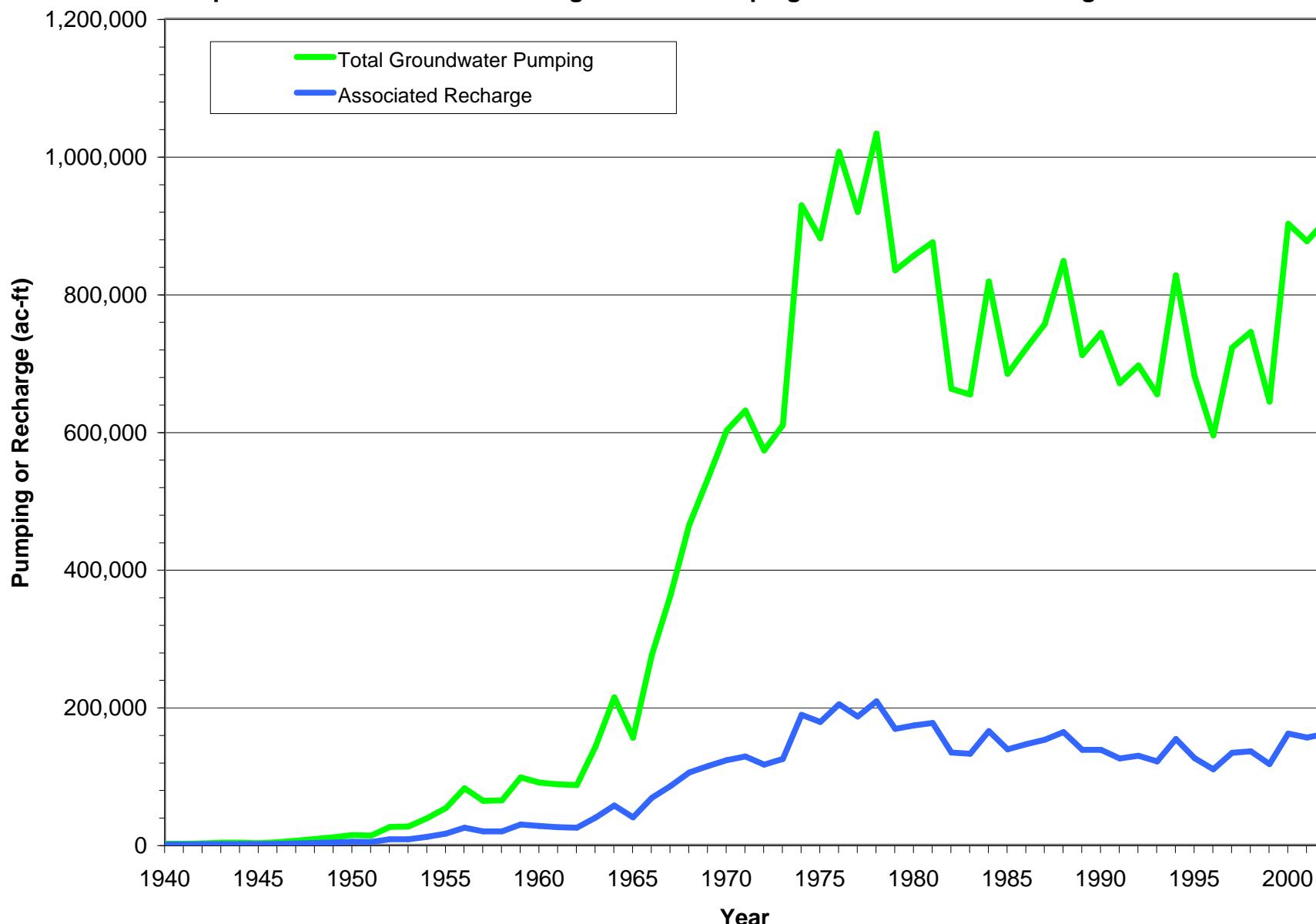


Figure 4
Republican River Basin - Applied Groundwater Pumping in Colorado

