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Environmental Resources Branch

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES:

The final Environmental Assessment (EA) for the Wide Hollow Water Supply Storage Facility (WSSF) Project, Escalante, Utah, is enclosed for your information. The Wide Hollow Water Conservancy District proposes to improve the WSSF by restoring the WSSF's original water storage capacity to help ensure a dependable supply of irrigation water. In addition, the project would bring the WSSF into compliance with current dam safety standards required by the State of Utah. The major work involves removing, reconstructing, and enlarging the earthen dam structure; reconstructing the spillway; and constructing a new emergency spillway. This final EA evaluates the potential effects of the project on the environmental resources in the area.

The public review period for the draft EA ended on December 23, 2009. All comments received on the draft document were considered and incorporated into the final EA, as appropriate. A comments and responses appendix is included in the final EA. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Lynne Stevenson, Environmental Manager at (916) 557-6774 or email: Lynne.L.Stevenson@usace.army.mil. Thank you for your interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Francis C. Piccola".

Francis C. Piccola
Chief, Planning Division

Enclosure