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BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

October 24, 2008

Mr. John Fredell  
Southern Delivery System Project Director  
Colorado Springs Utilities  
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3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
121 S. Tejon. MC 930  
Colorado Springs, CO 80947

**RE: DETERMINATION OF COMPLETENESS OF THE APPLICATION FOR A  
PUEBLO COUNTY 1041 PERMIT NO. 2008-002: SOUTHERN DELIVERY  
SYSTEM PROJECT ("SDS")**

Dear Mr. Fredell:

We have reviewed the application referenced above as originally submitted on August 19, 2008, and, thereafter, as supplemented with additional information, including the information transmitted to Pueblo County staff and consultants at our meeting in Colorado Springs on October 22, 2008. The purpose of this letter is to notify you of my determination that the application, as supplemented by the additional information transmitted through today's date, is complete. I am making this determination as Pueblo County Land Use Administrator under Pueblo County's Regulations for Areas and Activities of State and Local Interest under Title 17, Division II of the Pueblo County Code.

Please be advised that my determination of completeness means only that information has been submitted in accordance with the submittal requirements contained in Pueblo County's Regulations, including Chapters 17.148.240, 17.164.020, 17.172.110, and 17.172.120. Please be further advised that the determination of completeness does not mean that the application will be approved by Pueblo County. Further, the determination of completeness does not mean that the information submitted with the application forms a sufficient basis upon which a determination could be made that the project meets the approval criteria which will serve as the basis for the ultimate determination by the Board of County Commissioners on whether the permit will be approved, approved with conditions, or denied. Finally, the determination of completeness does not prevent a request that the applicant supply additional information related to the project in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 17.172.120(I). The Board of County Commissioners may also request additional

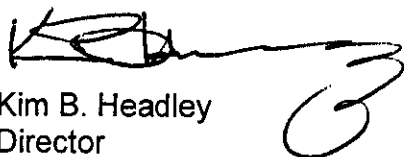


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information based upon staff's final review of the application and/or as a result of matters learned or questions raised in the comments received by the public or by numerous agencies to which the application has been submitted for review and comment.

The determination of completeness has been made on the day and date set forth above. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kim B. Headley', with a large, stylized flourish at the end.

Kim B. Headley  
Director

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Ray Petros, Special Counsel  
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