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April 6, 2012

Mr. Dave Benbow

Pueblo County Department of Engineering & Public Works

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Dear Mr. Benbow,

I am writing in response to the phone conversation we had this past Wednesday regarding extended work hours to complete the SDS S2 pipeline crossings at both Purcell Blvd and East Platteville Blvd. I appreciate your proactive recommendation to extend work hours to complete these road crossings in a more efficient and timely manner. This idea will help minimize the impact of the pipeline construction work on the residents of Pueblo County and Pueblo West. In regard to the extended work hours for Purcell Blvd and East Platteville Blvd, allowing our contractor to have slightly later hours Monday through Friday, as well as allowing them to work weekends, would provide them with the flexibility to complete these road crossings in a more timely and efficient manner, and allow them to move through these areas more expeditiously than they would if they had to leave the road crossings halfway completed over a weekend and return to finish them the following week.

As we discussed, these extended work hours would be 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Monday through Friday as well as from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. These extended work hours would only apply to work being performed on Purcell Blvd and East Platteville Blvd, which are currently planned to start on April 13, 2012 and April 27, 2012, respectively. Each crossing is expected to require approximately four days.

Colorado Springs Utilities intends to provide a letter to residences within 500 feet of these crossings notifying the residents of the potential extended work hours. This notice will be sent at least 48 hours in advance of initial commencement of work outside of these hours. In addition, traffic message boards will be erected one week in advance to give drivers of these routes notice of the road work and potential delays to come.

We would greatly appreciate your consideration of the extension of work hours related to these activities. Thank you in advance and we look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

Joseph Rasmussen

Project Manager, SDS RW S2

Southern Delivery System

Reply Requested:

Yes ☒ No ☐

Date Required: April 12, 2012

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