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Subject Pueblo City Council questions re: EIS for SDS

Mr. Fitzgerald,

I can answer the first three questions rather easily:

- 1.) All alternatives, when compared, have similar environmental effects. Alternative #2, however, also uses less energy.
- 2.) The seven alternatives and the scoping criteria are outlined in the Alternatives Analysis Report--available on-line at www.sdseis.com.
- 3.) Mitigations for flood hydrology and flood plains are discussed on page 266 of the Draft EIS. That is also available on www.sdseis.com. Choose the hyperlink to "[Chapter 3: Affected Environment and Environmental Consequences, part 2](#)". Then scroll down to page 266 in the pdf document that appears on your screen.

As for question #4, would you please clarify what you mean by "solved?" My guess is it is in reference to the eventual finalizing of the EIS and the issuing of a Record of Decision, but I wanted to be sure before I answered.

Thanks!

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>>> Doug Fitzgerald <Fitzgerald@pueblacity.gov> 03/25/08 3:58 PM >>>
Ms. Lamb:

The Pueblo City Council has the following questions regarding the Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) concerning the Southern Delivery System (SDS).

- 1). Which alternative (1-7) has the least amount of environmental impact?
- 2). Is there a document that identifies the 7 alternatives with regard to scoping issues?
- 3). Within the EIS, is there an issue addressing impacts on the flood plain and flood control?
- 4). Once the SDS issue is solved, how does this effect the Fountain Creek issue? The Kansas vs. Colorado water issue?

Thank you for your time and assistance with this request.

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- Abraham Lincoln

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