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Managing Water in the West

We Invite Your Comments!

Southern Delivery System Draft Environmental Impact Statement

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Would like your name and address withheld from public disclosure*? **YES** **NO**

Comments: I support Alternative 5 which would require participants to return water through a pipeline. Colorado Springs has a history of allowing untreated sewage to be part of this return flow, and it should not go into Fountain Creek which is already damaged by continuous flow of used water. It is said that treatment of wastewater is excluded from the EIS. This allows Colorado Springs to avoid payment for mitigation of impaired water quality downstream.

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