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Prooject EIS

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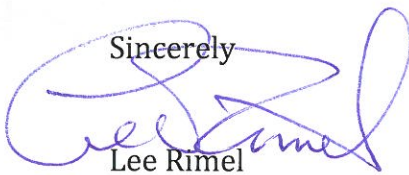
Dear Scott Fitzwilliams:

This letter is to support this project. I had the honor of serving on the Collaborative Group enjoying the process of many diverse groups and individuals agreeing on a recommendation to the Forest Service. I look forward to an expeditious EIS analysis that supports the recommendations to restore and manage the Camp Hale/Upper Eagle River habitat in a manner that enhances the quality of life experienced by all forms of natural life that inhabit or may re-inhabit the area.

The Valley originally called Eagle Park became Camp Hale in 1942 when some 300 acres of wetlands were obliterated, a street grid created, and the Eagle River yoked into a three-mile long ditch. It is time to restore and enhance these lands while protecting the cultural values in the Camp Hale area.

Thank you.

Sincerely



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