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Comments: The Upper Gunnison River Water Conservancy District (UGRWCD) has undertaken a watershed management planning effort. Our District boundary includes the area upstream of Blue Mesa Dam. The headwaters of our District are largely located on National Forest. We recognize the value of instream flow water rights in protecting water quality and quantity in our headwater streams. Please consider working closely with UGRWCD and CWCB in seeking enforcement of existing rights and in obtaining new or enlarged instream flow rights on the GMUG.