

Castaneda, Pam, NMENV

From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Esther Armijo <earmijo@zianet.com>
Sent: Monday, April 29, 2013 8:13 AM
To: Castaneda, Pam, NMENV
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N.M. Water Quality Control Commission co Pam Castaneda Santa Fe, NM 87501

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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Ruth Maayan <rmaayan@msn.com>
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Mary Jo McIlhon
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Nan Blake
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Santa Fe, NM 87505-4926
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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Debaura James <debauraperu@gmail.com>
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Carol Bellows
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Trina Hall
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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Leslie Byrnes <ldb46@hotmail.com>
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J Martinez
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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Mary Yardley <yardleymary@yahoo.com>
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Linda Simpson
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Cloudcroft, NM 88317-9318
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To co Pam Castaneda,

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Furthermore, it concerns me that this is the first I am hearing about this, and need to time to learn more about the actual facts and details.

At the very least, I think an extension of time is needed, and merited, for a more thorough evaluation and understanding of what is actually happening here with this, or what needs to happen, for all parties involved.

We can not risk the security of the water resource.

Sincerely,

Linda Butler
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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Isabel Cummings <izbel60@aol.com>
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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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Castaneda, Pam, NMENV

From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of JAne Ervin <jervin@cybermesa.com>
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Sincerely,

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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Kelley Hestir <khestir@nmsu.edu>
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Our water and groundwater is irreplaceable. Period. It must be protected. Period. The decrease or loss of any industry/business can always be recovered - water can NEVER be.

The Water Quality Control Commission is required to adopt regulations "to prevent or abate water pollution in the state." Do your job.

Sincerely,

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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Marnie Nixon <marnienixon@hotmail.com>
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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Anne Petrokubi <celery_nm@yahoo.com>
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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Joel Hoffman <jhoffm@nmsu.edu>
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Joel Hoffman
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From: Sierra Club <riogrande.chapter@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Peter Terry <pterry@schroedersales.com>
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Thank you for your consideration.

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