



SOUTHEASTERN COLORADO

Water Conservancy District

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July 24, 2018

Briargate Church Assembly of God (petitioner)
Attention: Scott Bottoms
via email scott@cabag.org

Subject: Application for assent received regarding the Briargate Church Assembly of Good Annexation

Dear Mr. Bottoms:

According to Southeastern Colorado Water Conservancy District (Southeastern) formation decree, and repayment contract for the Fryingpan-Arkansas Project with the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation secretarial assent is needed for changes of lands to be included in Southeastern. The inclusion of lands into Southeastern makes those lands eligible to receive water from the Fryingpan-Arkansas Project facilities, subject to the decrees for the District and the Fryingpan-Arkansas Project.

The application for assent submitted to Southeastern for the annexation commonly known as *Briargate Church Assembly of God* has received Secretary's assent from the Department of Interior-Bureau of Reclamation (Great Plains Region) for inclusion into the Southeastern Colorado Water Conservancy District boundary, (attached).

Please provide the ordinance number annexing to the City of Colorado Springs that area known as the *Briargate Church Assembly of God* as received from Colorado Springs Planning & Community Development. This is the final step in allowing the Southeastern Colorado Water Conservancy District to annex this inclusion into the District boundaries.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance with working with Southeastern, and the Bureau of Reclamation for inclusion into Southeastern boundaries.

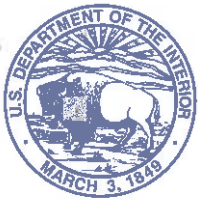
Best regards,

Garrett Markus, P.E.

Water Resources Engineer

Enclosed: Bureau of Reclamation Application for Assent

Cc: Colorado Springs Planning & Community Development Dept-via email: kcarleo@springsgov.com
James Broderick, Executive Director SECWCD



United States Department of the Interior

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IN REPLY REFER TO:

EC-1310

SOUTHEASTERN COLORADO WATER CONSERVANCY DISTRICT

WHEREAS, the Southeastern Colorado Water Conservancy District, organized and existing pursuant to the laws of the State of Colorado, has advised that petitions have been filed with the District Board of Directors as prescribed by the laws of the State of Colorado for changes in the boundaries of said District to include therein 8.26 acres for Briargate Church Assembly of God, within El Paso County, Colorado; and,


WHEREAS, the Southeastern Colorado Water Conservancy District has provided an annexation letter, dated April 05, 2018, on said petition for inclusion of lands and said petition specifically describes the lands to be considered for inclusion; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of its contract of January 21, 1965, with the United States, the Southeastern Colorado Water Conservancy District, by letter dated June 22, 2018 has requested the Secretary of the Interior to assent to the changes in the boundaries of said District as proposed in the petition aforementioned; and,

WHEREAS, lands associated with the inclusion continue to be subject to all applicable federal laws. Landowners are responsible for any future compliance associated with, including but not limited, to the Endangered Species Act, Clean Water Act, and Clean Air Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, having been fully advised in the premises and pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Secretary of the Interior and the Commissioner of the Bureau of Reclamation, I do hereby assent to the changes in the boundaries of the Southeastern Colorado Water Conservancy District to include the land described in the aforementioned petition, copies of which are attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Dated at Loveland, Colorado, this 19th day of July, 2018.



J. Signe Snortland
Area Manager
Eastern Colorado Area Office
Great Plains Region
Bureau of Reclamation

FIGURE 6