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RE: Wyoming -- Palisades Contract

Dear Rich:

Thank you for including me on your mailing list concerning the proposed Bureau of Reclamation contract with Wyoming as to the 33,000 A/F of Palisades Reservoir storage.

Before I comment on the proposed Agreement, I need some more information:

- 1. Is it contemplated that Wyoming can control the water through Palisades after the water would be released from Jackson Reservoir?
- 2. What happens if the Jackson space does not refill? Is the water then physically in Palisades stored to the credit of the space from which it physically came?
- 3. Will Wyoming pay O & M on the Palisades space?
- 4. In the event that Wyoming releases 33,000 A/F from Jackson, but both reservoirs thereafter refill, does Wyoming have anything? . . Or is the water available to other uses until the refill season would start on the following October 15?

I'll reserve my other comments until I can analyze your answers to the above questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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