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Water Quality
Control Commission

Department of Public Health & Environment

NOTICE OF PUBLIC RULEMAKING HEARING BEFORE THE COLORADO WATER QUALITY CONTROL COMMISSION

SUBJECT:

For consideration of adoption of revisions to the following:

- Discharger-specific variances for the City of La Junta, City of Las Animas, and City of Pueblo, Arkansas River Basin, Regulation #32 (5 CCR 1002-32);
- Site-specific standards for Rio Grande Silver (Segments CORGRG04a and CORGRG07), Classifications and Numeric Standards for Rio Grande Basin, Regulation #36 (5 CCR 1002-36);
- Temporary modifications for arsenic, Regulations #32-38 (5 CCR 1002-32 through 5 CCR1002-38)

Proposed revisions and proposed Statement of Basis, Specific Statutory Authority and Purpose, have been submitted by the following:

- Exhibit 1 - Water Quality Control Division
- Exhibit 2 - City of La Junta
- Exhibit 3 - City of Las Animas
- Exhibit 4 - City of Pueblo
- Exhibit 5 - Rio Grande Silver, Inc.

In these attachments, proposed new language is shown with underlining and proposed deletions are shown with ~~strikeouts~~. Any alternative proposals related to the subject of this hearing will also be considered.

SCHEDULE OF IMPORTANT DATES

Proponent's prehearing statement due	8/30/2023	Additional information below.
Party Status requests due	9/6/2023	Additional information below.
Responsive prehearing statements due	9/20/2023	Additional information below.
Rulemaking Hearing	10/10/2023 9:00 am	Sabin Cleere Conference Room Department of Public Health and Environment 4300 Cherry Creek Drive South Denver, CO 80246 Or Remote Via Zoom





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HEARING SUBMITTALS:

For this hearing, the commission will receive all submittals electronically. Submittals must be provided as PDF documents, except for raw data exhibits which may be provided as Excel workbooks. Submittals may be emailed to cdphe.wqcc@state.co.us, provided via an FTP site or otherwise conveyed to the commission office to be received no later than the specified date.

PARTY STATUS:

Party status requests must be in writing and must provide:

- the organization's name,
- one contact person,
- a mailing address,
- a phone number, and
- email addresses of all individuals associated with the party who wish to be notified when new submittals are available on the commission's website for review.

In accordance with section 25-8-104(2)(d), C.R.S., any person who believes that the actions proposed in this notice have the potential to cause material injury to his or her water rights is requested to so indicate, along with an explanation of the alleged harm, in their party status request.

PREHEARING STATEMENTS:

Each party must submit a prehearing statement: parties that have proposed revisions attached as exhibits to the notice must submit a proponent's prehearing statement. All other parties must submit a responsive prehearing statement. Proponents may also submit responsive prehearing statements when there are multiple proposals attached to the notice.

Each prehearing statement must be provided as a separate PDF document from any accompanying written testimony or exhibits.

Following the responsive prehearing statement due date, no other written materials will be accepted from parties except for good cause shown.

Oral testimony at the hearing should primarily summarize written material previously submitted. The hearing will emphasize commission questioning of parties and other interested persons about their written prehearing submittals. Introduction of written material at the hearing by those with party status will not be permitted unless authorized by the commission.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION ENCOURAGED:



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The commission encourages input from non-parties, either orally at the hearing or in writing prior to the hearing. Written submissions should be emailed to cdphe.wqcc@state.co.us by October 6, 2023.

SPECIFIC STATUTORY AUTHORITY:

The provisions of sections 25-8-202(1)(a), (b), and (2); 25-8-203; 25-8-204; and 25-8-402, C.R.S., provide the specific statutory authority for consideration of the regulatory amendments proposed by this notice. Should the commission adopt the regulatory language as proposed in this notice or alternative amendments, it will also adopt, in compliance with section 24-4-103(4) C.R.S., an appropriate Statement of Basis, Specific Statutory Authority, and Purpose.

Dated this 9th day of July 2023 at Denver, Colorado.

WATER QUALITY CONTROL COMMISSION

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EXHIBIT 1

WATER QUALITY CONTROL DIVISION



32.71 STATEMENT OF BASIS, SPECIFIC STATUTORY AUTHORITY AND PURPOSE; OCTOBER 10, 2023 RULEMAKING; FINAL ACTION OCTOBER 10, 2023; EFFECTIVE DATE DECEMBER 31, 2023

The provisions of C.R.S. 25-8-202(1)(a), (b) and (2); 25-8-203; 25-8-204; and 25-8-402; provide the specific statutory authority for adoption of these regulatory amendments. The commission also adopted in compliance with 24-4-103(4) C.R.S. the following statement of basis and purpose.

BASIS AND PURPOSE

A. Discharger-specific Variances (DSVs)

The commission reviewed the basis, available information, and progress toward achieving the alternative effluent limits (AELs) and implementing Pollutant Minimization Programs (PMPs) for the three discharger-specific variances (DSVs) in Regulation No. 32.

Lower Arkansas River Segment 1a (COARLA01a): *[Placeholder: Statement of Basis and Purpose language to be provided by City of Pueblo]*

Lower Arkansas River Segment 1b (COARLA01b): *[Placeholder: Statement of Basis and Purpose language to be provided by City of La Junta]*

Lower Arkansas River Segment 1b (COARLA01b): *[Placeholder: Statement of Basis and Purpose language to be provided by City of Las Animas]*

B. Temporary Modifications

In April 2013 (32.51) and subsequent rulemaking hearings (32.58, 32.61, 32.65), the commission has adopted and extended temporary modifications for arsenic of “As(ch)=hybrid” (expiration date of 12/31/24) on many segments with the 0.02 µg/L Water + Fish numeric arsenic standard. The arsenic temporary modification recognizes existing and predicted compliance issues, instream nonattainment, and the uncertainty regarding the water quality standard necessary to protect current and/or future uses and the extent to which ambient concentrations of arsenic are natural or irreversible (31.7(3)). The division submitted a plan to resolve uncertainty in the 2019 Temporary Modifications rulemaking (32.63(B)).

The division plans to propose revised standards for arsenic as soon as possible following updated toxicological information from EPA’s Integrated Risk Information System (IRIS) and completion of ongoing studies to better understand arsenic conditions in Colorado. Furthermore, per the conditions of the revised and extended temporary modification at 32.6(2)(c) (effective 6/30/2020 and expires 12/31/2024), and based on the widespread need to make progress to understand sources of arsenic and set forth processes for lowering arsenic in discharges, additional permit Terms and Conditions (T&Cs) are being implemented for facilities benefitting from the “current condition” temporary modification. These T&Cs may include requirements for additional monitoring, source identification, and characterization of source control and treatment options for reducing arsenic concentrations in effluent. The commission recognizes the need to resolve the uncertainty in the arsenic standards and ensure that human health is adequately protected.

The commission identified segments where an arsenic temporary modification had previously been inadvertently omitted. The commission adopted arsenic temporary modifications on the following segments:

Upper Arkansas River: 14c (COARUA14c), 29 (COARUA29), 31 (COARUA31), 35 (COARUA35), and 38 (COARUA38)
Middle Arkansas River: 4c (COARMA04c), 14 (COARMA14), and 21 (COARMA21)
Fountain Creek: 7a (COARFO07a)
Lower Arkansas River: 4a (COARLA04a), 7 (COARLA07), and 10 (COARLA10)

To remain consistent with the commission's decisions regarding arsenic in section 32.51, all existing temporary modifications for arsenic of "As(ch)=hybrid" (expiration date of 12/31/24), with the exception of those listed below, were retained.

Where evidence indicated the requirements to qualify for a temporary modification were not met, temporary modifications were deleted. The commission deleted chronic arsenic temporary modifications (expiring 12/31/2024) on several segments due to a lack of evidence of a demonstrated or predicted water quality-based effluent limit compliance problem for these segments. These segments have all been designated as Outstanding Waters, have no CDPS permitted dischargers with WQBELs for arsenic, and are without dischargers on upstream segments who may receive WQBELs based on protection of downstream uses. Temporary modifications for arsenic were deleted from the following segments:

Fountain Creek: 1b (COARFO01b) and 3b (COARFO03b)

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WATER QUALITY CONTROL COMMISSION**

5 CCR 1002-32

**REGULATION NO. 32
CLASSIFICATIONS AND NUMERIC STANDARDS
FOR
ARKANSAS RIVER BASIN**

**APPENDIX 32-1
Stream Classifications and Water Quality Standards Tables**

Effective ~~06/14/2023~~12/31/2023

Abbreviations and Acronyms

Aq	=	Aquatic
°C	=	degrees Celsius
CL	=	cold lake temperature tier
CLL	=	cold large lake temperature tier
CS-I	=	cold stream temperature tier one
CS-II	=	cold stream temperature tier two
D.O.	=	dissolved oxygen
DM	=	daily maximum temperature
DUWS	=	direct use water supply
E. coli	=	<i>Escherichia coli</i>
EQ	=	existing quality
mg/L	=	milligrams per liter
mg/m ²	=	milligrams per square meter
mL	=	milliliter
MWAT	=	maximum weekly average temperature
OW	=	outstanding waters
SSE	=	site-specific equation
T	=	total recoverable
t	=	total
tr	=	trout
TVS	=	table value standard
µg/L	=	micrograms per liter
UP	=	use-protected
WS	=	water supply
WS-I	=	warm stream temperature tier one
WS-II	=	warm stream temperature tier two
WS-III	=	warm stream temperature tier three
WL	=	warm lake temperature tier

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14c. Mainstems of North and South Hardscrabble Creeks, including all tributaries and wetlands, from their sources to their confluences.						
COARUA14C	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	varies*	varies*	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Qualifiers: Other: <u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details. *Temperature = DM=CSI and MWAT=CSI from 11/1-5/31 DM= 22.1 and MWAT=17 from 6/1-10/31	Water Supply	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
	D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Chromium III	---	TVS
	pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III(T)	50	---
	chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
	E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Copper	TVS	TVS
	Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
	acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000	
	Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
	Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
	Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
	Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
	Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
	Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
	Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS	
Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	varies*	
			Zinc	TVS	TVS	

14d. All tributaries to the Arkansas River, including wetlands, which are not on National Forest lands, from immediately above the confluence of 6-mile Creek (38.405677, -105.122321) to the inlet to Pueblo Reservoir, except for specific listings in segments 14a, 14c, 14e, 14f, and 15-27.

COARUA14D	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 1	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic(T)	---	7.6
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	Beryllium(T)	---	100
Qualifiers: Other: *Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 32.5(4). *Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium(T)	---	10
	D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Chromium III(T)	---	100
	pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium VI(T)	---	100
	chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Copper(T)	---	200
	E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Iron	---	---
	Inorganic (mg/L)			Lead(T)	---	100
	acute	chronic	Manganese	---	---	
	Ammonia	---	---	Mercury(T)	---	---
	Boron	---	0.75	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
	Chloride	---	---	Nickel(T)	---	200
	Chlorine	---	---	Selenium(T)	---	20
	Cyanide	0.2	---	Silver	---	---
	Nitrate	100	---	Uranium	varies*	varies*
	Nitrite	10	---	Zinc(T)	---	2000
	Phosphorus	---	TVS*			
Sulfate	---	---				
Sulfide	---	---				

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 32.6 for further details on applied standards.

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Upper Arkansas River Basin

29. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the Arkansas River from the source to immediately below the confluence with Brown's Creek, except for specific listings in segments 28 and 30.							
COARUA29	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Reviewable		acute	chronic	Arsenic	340	---	
Qualifiers: Other: <u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Temperature °C	CL	CL	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
Nitrogen	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100		
Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS		
Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)		
Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	varies*		
			Zinc	TVS	TVS		

30. Turquoise Reservoir, Clear Creek Reservoir, Twin Lakes and Mt. Elbert Forebay.							
COARUA30	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply DUWS*		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Reviewable		acute	chronic	Arsenic	340	---	
Qualifiers: Other: *Classification: DUWS applies to Twin Lakes and Elbert Forebay. *Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details. *Temperature = DM and MWAT=CLL from 1/1-3/31 Turquoise Reservoir, Twin Lakes (Upper and Lower), Mt. Elbert Forebay DM=22.4 and MWAT=16.6 from 4/1-12/31 All others DM and MWAT=CLL from 4/1-12/31		Temperature °C	varies*	varies*	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	DUWS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Copper	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
			acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100		
Nitrogen	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS		
Phosphorus	---	TVS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)		
Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies*	varies*		
Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS	TVS		

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 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 32.6 for further details on applied standards.

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Upper Arkansas River Basin

31. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the Arkansas River which are on National Forest lands, from the confluence with Brown's Creek to the inlet to Pueblo Reservoir, except for specific listings in segments 32 and 34-40.							
COARUA31	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Reviewable		acute	chronic	Arsenic	340	---	
Qualifiers:		Temperature °C	CL	CL	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Other: <u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)		
Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	varies*		
			Zinc	TVS	TVS		

32. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the South Fork of the Arkansas from the source to the confluence with the Arkansas River.							
COARUA32	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Reviewable		acute	chronic	Arsenic	340	---	
Qualifiers:		Temperature °C	CL	CL	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Other: *Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)		
Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	varies*		
			Zinc	TVS	TVS		

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35. DeWeese Reservoir.							
COARUA35	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	varies*	varies*	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
Qualifiers: Other: <u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details. *Temperature = DM=CLL and MWAT=CLL from 1/1-3/31 DM= CLL and MWAT=21.3 from 4/1-12/31	Water Supply			D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	
				D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	
				pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	
				chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	
				E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	
			Inorganic (mg/L)				
			acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS
			Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---
			Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS
			Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50
			Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS
			Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---
			Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---
			Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS
			Nitrogen	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	
					Zinc	TVS	

36. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the mainstem of Currant Creek (Park County) from the source to the confluence with Tallahassee Creek, except lakes and reservoirs tributary to Cottonwood Creek (Fremont County) from a point immediately below the confluence with North Waugh Creek to the intersection with F6 Road. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the mainstem of Middle Tallahassee Creek from the source to the intersection with Road 23.

36. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the mainstem of Currant Creek (Park County) from the source to the confluence with Tallahassee Creek, except lakes and reservoirs tributary to Cottonwood Creek (Fremont County) from a point immediately below the confluence with North Waugh Creek to the intersection with F6 Road. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the mainstem of Middle Tallahassee Creek from the source to the intersection with Road 23.							
COARUA36	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	CL	CL	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
Qualifiers: Other: *Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.	Water Supply			D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	
				D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	
				pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	
				chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	
				E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	
			Inorganic (mg/L)				
			acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS
			Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---
			Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS
			Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50
			Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS
			Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---
			Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---
			Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS
			Nitrogen	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	
					Zinc	TVS	

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 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 32.6 for further details on applied standards.

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37. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the mainstem of Fourmile Creek from the source to the confluence with the Arkansas River. This segment includes Wrights Reservoir.							
COARUA37	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply DUWS*	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable		CL,CLL	CL,CLL	Arsenic	340	---	
		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	DUWS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Copper	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
*Classification: DUWS applies to Ott Reservoir.		acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000	
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies*	varies*
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS	TVS
38. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the mainstem of East and West Beaver Creeks from the source to the confluence with Beaver Creek. This segment includes Skagway and Bison Reservoirs.							
COARUA38	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply DUWS*	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable		CL,CLL	CL,CLL	Arsenic	340	---	
		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	DUWS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Copper	TVS	TVS
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
*Classification: DUWS applies to Bison Reservoir.		acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000	
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies*	varies*
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
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4b. Mainstem of Rock Creek, Salt Creek and Peck Creek from their sources to the confluence with the Arkansas River.						
COARMA04B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation			DM	MWAT		
UP	Agriculture Aq Life Warm 1 Recreation E	Temperature °C	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic	340
Qualifiers:			acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---
Other:		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	---
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS
			acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Manganese	TVS
		Chloride	---	---	Mercury(T)	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Molybdenum(T)	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Nickel	TVS
		Nitrate	100	---	Selenium	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Silver	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Uranium	varies*
		Sulfate	---	---	Zinc	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002		TVS
4c. Mainstem of Chico Creek, including all tributaries and wetlands, from the source to the confluence with the Arkansas River, except for specific listings in segment 4f.						
COARMA04C	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 1 Water Supply Recreation E	Temperature °C	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic	340
Qualifiers:			acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---
Other:		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS
			acute	chronic	Copper	TVS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Nickel	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS
					Silver	TVS
					Uranium	varies*
					Zinc	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
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13c. All tributaries and wetlands to the Cucharas and Huerfano Rivers not on forest service lands, except for specific listings in 13a and 13b.						
COARMA13C	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Warm 2 Recreation N Water Supply	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
UP		Temperature °C	WS-III	WS-III	Arsenic(T)	--- 0.02-10 ^A
		acute	chronic	Beryllium(T)	---	4.0
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0 ---
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---
Other:		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	---	Chromium III(T)	50 ---
*Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 32.5(4).		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	630	Chromium VI(T)	50 100
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper(T)	---
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS
		Ammonia	---	---	Lead(T)	50 100
		Boron	---	0.75	Manganese	---
		Chloride	---	250	Mercury(T)	2.0 ---
		Chlorine	---	---	Molybdenum(T)	---
		Cyanide	0.2	---	Nickel(T)	---
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel(T)	---
		Nitrite	1.0	---	Selenium(T)	---
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Silver(T)	---
		Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies* varies*
		Sulfide	---	0.05	Zinc(T)	---
						2000
14. Mainstem of the Cucharas River from the point of diversion for the Walsenburg public water supply to the outlet of Cucharas Reservoir.						
COARMA14	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Warm 1 Water Supply Recreation E	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
Reviewable		Temperature °C	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic	340 ---
		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0 ---
Other:		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---
E. Coli (per 100 mL)		---	126	---	Chromium III(T)	50 ---
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS TVS
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---
*Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 32.5(4).		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS TVS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50 ---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Nickel	TVS TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS TVS
					Silver	TVS TVS
					Uranium	varies* varies*
					Zinc	TVS TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
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20. Pueblo Reservoir.							
COARMA20	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	varies*	varies*	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
	DUWS	D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	5*	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (ug/L)		TVS	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Copper	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024					Iron	---	WS
*chlorophyll a (ug/L)(chronic) = See assessment location at 32.6(4). *Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details. *Temperature = DM=CLL and MWAT=CLL from 1/1-3/31 DM= CLL and MWAT=23.6 from 4/1-12/31		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron(T)	---	1000
		acute	chronic	Lead	TVS	TVS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead(T)	50	---
		Boron	---	0.75	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chloride	---	250	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Nitrogen	---	---	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Phosphorus	---	---	Uranium	varies*	varies*
		Sulfate	---	WS	Zinc	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002			

21. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to Chico Creek from the source to the confluence with the Arkansas River.							
COARMA21	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 1	Temperature °C	WL	WL	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
E. Coli (per 100 mL)			---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

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 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 32.6 for further details on applied standards.

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Fountain Creek Basin

1a. Mainstem of Fountain Creek, including all tributaries and wetlands, from the source to a point immediately above the confluence with Monument Creek, except for specific listings in segment 1b.						
COARFO01A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
Reviewable		acute	chronic			
		Temperature °C	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340 ---
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Arsenic(T)	--- 0.02
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium	TVS TVS
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0 ---
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	--- TVS
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50 ---
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024					Chromium VI	TVS TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.					Copper	TVS TVS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	--- WS
		acute	chronic		Iron(T)	--- 1000
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50 ---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	--- 0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	--- 150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	--- 100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS TVS(tr)
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies* varies*
					Zinc	TVS TVS
1b. Severy Creek and all tributaries from the source to a point just upstream of where US Forest Service Road 330 crosses the stream.						
COARFO01B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
OW		acute	chronic			
		Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340 ---
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Arsenic(T)	--- 0.02
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium	TVS TVS
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0 ---
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	--- TVS
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50 ---
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024					Chromium VI	TVS TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.					Copper	TVS TVS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	--- WS
		acute	chronic		Iron(T)	--- 1000
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50 ---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	--- 0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	--- 150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	--- 100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS TVS(tr)
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies* varies*
					Zinc	TVS TVS

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T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
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Fountain Creek Basin

3a. All tributaries to Fountain Creek which are within the boundaries of National Forest or Air Force Academy lands, including all wetlands, from a point immediately above the confluence with Monument Creek to the confluence with the Arkansas River, except for the mainstem of Monument Creek in the Air Force Academy lands and specific listings in segment 3b. Cheyenne Creek, including tributaries and wetlands from the source to the confluence with Fountain Creek. Bear Creek below Gold Camp Road to the confluence with Fountain Creek. Little Fountain Creek from the source to Highway 115. Rock Creek from the source to Highway 115. North Monument Creek from the source to the confluence with Monument Creek. Beaver Creek from the source to the confluence with Monument Creek.

COARFO03A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024					Copper	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.			acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

3b. Bear Creek, and all tributaries, from the source to a point immediately upstream of Gold Camp Road.

COARFO03B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
OW	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024					Copper	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.			acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
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7a. Pikeview Reservoir, Willow Springs Pond #1, and Willow Springs Pond #2.							
COARFO07A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation			DM	MWAT			
UP	Agriculture Aq Life Warm 2 Recreation E Water Supply	Temperature °C	WL	WL	Arsenic	340	---
Qualifiers:			acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Water + Fish Standards Apply		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.			acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

7b. Prospect Lake, Quail Lake, and Monument Lake.							
COARFO07B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation			DM	MWAT			
UP	Agriculture Aq Life Warm 2 Recreation E	Temperature °C	WL	WL	Arsenic	340	---
Qualifiers:			acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	7.6
Fish Ingestion Standards Apply		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	---	100
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Manganese	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrate	100	---	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Silver	TVS	TVS
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Uranium	varies*	varies*
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Zinc	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	---			
		Sulfide	---	0.002			

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 32.6 for further details on applied standards.

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Lower Arkansas River Basin

4a. Mainstem of the Apishapa River from I-25 to the confluence with the Arkansas River. Mainstem of Timpas Creek from the source to the Arkansas River.							
COARLA04A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Warm 1 Recreation E Water Supply		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
UP			Temperature °C	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic	340
			acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>			acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1805
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

4b. Mainstem of Lorencito Canyon, from the source to the confluence with the Purgatoire River.							
COARLA04B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Warm 2 Recreation E		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
UP			Temperature °C	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic	340
			acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	100
Qualifiers:		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	TVS	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	---	100
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Boron	---	4.0	Manganese	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrate	100	---	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Silver	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Uranium	varies*	varies*
		Sulfate	---	---	Zinc	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002			

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 32.6 for further details on applied standards.

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Lower Arkansas River Basin

6b. Wet Canyon and all tributaries, including wetlands, from the source to the confluence with the Purgatoire River.							
COARLA06B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 2 Recreation E Water Supply	DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
UP		CS-II	CS-II	Temperature °C	---	0.02-10 ^A	
		acute	chronic				
		---	6.0	D.O. (mg/L)	TVS	TVS	
		---	7.0	D.O. (spawning)	5.0	---	
		6.5 - 9.0	---	pH	---	TVS	
		---	TVS	chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	50	---	
		---	126	E. Coli (per 100 mL)	TVS	TVS	
		Inorganic (mg/L)					
		acute	chronic				
		TVS	TVS	Ammonia	---	1000	
		---	2.0	Boron	TVS	TVS	
		---	250	Chloride	50	---	
		0.019	0.011	Chlorine	TVS	TVS/WS	
		0.005	---	Cyanide	---	0.01	
		10	---	Nitrate	---	150	
		---	0.5	Nitrite	TVS	TVS	
		---	---	Phosphorus	---	100	
		---	WS	Sulfate	TVS	TVS	
		---	0.002	Sulfide	varies*	varies*	
				Zinc	TVS	TVS	
7. Mainstem of the Purgatoire River from Interstate 25 to the confluence with the Arkansas River.							
COARLA07	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Warm 1 Water Supply Recreation E	DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
Reviewable		WS-II	WS-II	Temperature °C	340	---	
		acute	chronic				
		---	5.0	D.O. (mg/L)	---	0.02	
		6.5 - 9.0	---	pH	TVS	TVS	
		---	TVS	chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	50	---	
		---	126	E. Coli (per 100 mL)	TVS	TVS	
		Inorganic (mg/L)					
		acute	chronic				
		TVS	TVS	Ammonia	---	WS	
		---	0.75	Boron	---	1000	
		---	250	Chloride	TVS	TVS	
		0.019	0.011	Chlorine	50	---	
		0.005	---	Cyanide	TVS	TVS/WS	
		10	---	Nitrate	---	0.01	
		---	0.5	Nitrite	---	150	
		---	---	Phosphorus	TVS	TVS	
		---	WS	Sulfate	---	100	
		---	0.002	Sulfide	TVS	TVS	
				Silver	TVS	TVS	
				Uranium	varies*	varies*	
				Zinc	TVS	TVS	

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 32.6 for further details on applied standards.

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Lower Arkansas River Basin

9b. Mainstem of Apache Creek from the source to the confluence with the North Rush Creek. Mainstem of Breckenridge Creek from the source to the confluence with Horse Creek. Mainstem of Little Horse Creek from the source to the confluence with Horse Creek. Mainstem of Bob Creek from the source to Meredith Reservoir. Mainstem of Big Sandy Creek within Prowers County. Mainstem of Rule Creek from the Bent/Las Animas county line to John Martin Reservoir. Mainstem of Muddy Creek from the south boundary of the Setchfield State Wildlife Area to the confluence with Rule Creek. Mainstem of Caddoa Creek from CC Road to the confluence with the Arkansas River. Mainstem of Cat Creek from the source to the confluence with Clay Creek. Mainstem of Mustang Creek from the source to the confluence with Apishapa River. Mainstem of Chicosa Creek from the source to the Arkansas River. Mainstem of Smith Canyon from the Otero/Las Animas county line to the confluence with the Purgatoire River. Mainstem of Mud Creek from V Road to the confluence with the Arkansas River. Mainstems of Frijole Creek and Luning Arroyo from their sources to their confluences with the Purgatoire River. Mainstem of Blackwell Arroyo from its source to the confluence with Luning Arroyo. Mainstem of San Isidro Creek from the source to the confluence with San Francisco Creek.

COARLA09B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
UP	Aq Life Warm 2	Temperature °C	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Water + Fish Standards Apply		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Temporary Modification(s):		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid			acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

10. Two Buttes Reservoir, Two Buttes Pond, Hasty Lake, Holbrook Reservoir, Burchfield Lake, Nee-Skah (Queens) Reservoir, Adobe Creek Reservoir, Neeso Pah Reservoir, Nee Noshe Reservoir; Nee Gronda Reservoir.

COARLA10	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 1	Temperature °C	WL	WL	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024			acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrogen	---	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 32.6 for further details on applied standards.

STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS – FOOTNOTES

- (A) Whenever a range of standards is listed and referenced to this footnote, the first number in the range is a strictly health-based value, based on the Commission's established methodology for human health-based standards. The second number in the range is a maximum contaminant level, established under the federal Safe Drinking Water Act that has been determined to be an acceptable level of this chemical in public water supplies, taking treatability and laboratory detection limits into account. Control requirements, such as discharge permit effluent limitations, shall be established using the first number in the range as the ambient water quality target, provided that no effluent limitation shall require an "end-of-pipe" discharge level more restrictive than the second number in the range. Water bodies will be considered in attainment of this standard, and not included on the Section 303(d) List, so long as the existing ambient quality does not exceed the second number in the range.
- (B) *Reserved.*
- (C) *Reserved.*

33.70 STATEMENT OF BASIS, SPECIFIC STATUTORY AUTHORITY AND PURPOSE; OCTOBER 10, 2023 RULEMAKING; FINAL ACTION OCTOBER 10, 2023; EFFECTIVE DATE DECEMBER 31, 2023

The provisions of C.R.S. 25-8-202(1)(a), (b) and (2); 25-8-203; 25-8-204; and 25-8-402; provide the specific statutory authority for adoption of these regulatory amendments. The commission also adopted in compliance with 24-4-103(4) C.R.S. the following statement of basis and purpose.

BASIS AND PURPOSE

In April 2013 (33.50) and subsequent rulemaking hearings (33.52, 33.57, 33.59, 33.62, 33.63), the commission has adopted and extended temporary modifications for arsenic of “As(ch)=hybrid” (expiration date of 12/31/24) on many segments with the 0.02 µg/L Water + Fish numeric arsenic standard. The arsenic temporary modification recognizes existing and predicted compliance issues, instream nonattainment, and the uncertainty regarding the water quality standard necessary to protect current and/or future uses and the extent to which ambient concentrations of arsenic are natural or irreversible (31.7(3)). The division submitted a plan to resolve uncertainty in the 2019 Temporary Modifications rulemaking (33.63(B)).

The division plans to propose revised standards for arsenic as soon as possible following updated toxicological information from EPA’s Integrated Risk Information System (IRIS) and completion of ongoing studies to better understand arsenic conditions in Colorado. Furthermore, per the conditions of the revised and extended temporary modification at 33.6(2)(c) (effective 6/30/2020 and expires 12/31/2024), and based on the widespread need to make progress to understand sources of arsenic and set forth processes for lowering arsenic in discharges, additional permit Terms and Conditions (T&Cs) are being implemented for facilities benefitting from the “current condition” temporary modification. These T&Cs may include requirements for additional monitoring, source identification, and characterization of source control and treatment options for reducing arsenic concentrations in effluent. The commission recognizes the need to resolve the uncertainty in the arsenic standards and ensure that human health is adequately protected.

The commission identified segments where an arsenic temporary modification had previously been inadvertently omitted. The commission adopted arsenic temporary modifications on the following segments:

- Upper Colorado River: 7c (COUCUC07c), 7d (COUCUC07d), 12 (COUCUC12), and 13 (COUCUC13)
- Blue River: 15 (COUCBL15) and 23 (COUCBL23)
- Eagle River: 4 (COUCEA04) and 5a (COUCEA05a)
- Roaring Fork River: 5 (COUCRF05) and 7 (COUCRF07)
- North Platte River: 3 (COUCNP03)
- Yampa River: 18 (COUCYA18), 19 (COUCYA19), and 22 (COUCYA22)

To remain consistent with the commission’s decisions regarding arsenic in section 33.50, all existing temporary modifications for arsenic of “As(ch)=hybrid” (expiration date of 12/31/24), with the exception of those listed below, were retained.

Where evidence indicated the requirements to qualify for a temporary modification were not met, temporary modifications were deleted. The commission deleted chronic arsenic temporary modifications (expiring 12/31/2024) on several segments due to a lack of evidence of a demonstrated or predicted water quality-based effluent limit compliance problem for these segments. These segments have all been designated as Outstanding Waters, have no CDPS permitted dischargers with WQBELs for arsenic, and

are without dischargers on upstream segments who may receive WQBELs based on protection of downstream uses. Temporary modifications for arsenic were deleted from the following segments:

Upper Colorado River: 1 (COUCUC01)
Eagle River: 10b (COUCEA10b)

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WATER QUALITY CONTROL COMMISSION**

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**REGULATION NO. 33
CLASSIFICATIONS AND NUMERIC STANDARDS
FOR
UPPER COLORADO RIVER BASIN AND
NORTH PLATTE RIVER (PLANNING REGION 12)**

**APPENDIX 33-1
Stream Classifications and Water Quality Standards Tables**

Effective ~~06/14/2023~~12/31/2023

Abbreviations and Acronyms

Aq	=	Aquatic
°C	=	degrees Celsius
CL	=	cold lake temperature tier
CLL	=	cold large lake temperature tier
CS-I	=	cold stream temperature tier one
CS-II	=	cold stream temperature tier two
D.O.	=	dissolved oxygen
DM	=	daily maximum temperature
DUWS	=	direct use water supply
E. coli	=	<i>Escherichia coli</i>
EQ	=	existing quality
mg/L	=	milligrams per liter
mg/m ²	=	milligrams per square meter
mL	=	milliliter
MWAT	=	maximum weekly average temperature
OW	=	outstanding waters
sc	=	sculpin
SSE	=	site-specific equation
T	=	total recoverable
t	=	total
tr	=	trout
TVS	=	table value standard
µg/L	=	micrograms per liter
UP	=	use-protected
WS	=	water supply
WS-I	=	warm stream temperature tier one
WS-II	=	warm stream temperature tier two
WS-III	=	warm stream temperature tier three
WL	=	warm lake temperature tier

REGULATION #33 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

Upper Colorado River Basin

7b. All tributaries to Muddy Creek, including all wetlands, from the inlet of Wolford Mountain Reservoir to the confluence with the Colorado River. Mainstems of Rock Creek, Deep Creek, Sheephorn Creek, Sweetwater Creek, Piney River and Blacktail Creek, including all tributaries and wetlands, from their sources to their confluences with the Colorado River, which are not on National Forest lands.

COUCUC07B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024					Copper	TVS	TVS
*Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 33.5(4).					Inorganic (mg/L)		
*Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details.					acute	chronic	
*Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS/TVS(sc)

7c. Mainstem of Muddy Creek from the source to a point immediately below the confluence with Eastern Gulch, except those waters on National Forest lands. All tributaries to Muddy Creek, including all wetlands, from the source to the inlet of Wolford Mountain Reservoir, except those waters on National Forest lands. The mainstems of Derby Creek, Cabin Creek, and Red Dirt Creeks (all tributary to the Colorado River), including all tributaries and wetlands, from their sources to their confluences with the Colorado River, except those waters on National Forest lands.

COUCUC07C	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation N		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	---	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	630	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024					Copper	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details.					Inorganic (mg/L)		
*Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.					acute	chronic	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS/TVS(sc)

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 33.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #33 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Upper Colorado River Basin

12. Lakes and reservoirs within Arapahoe National Recreation Area, including Grand Lake, Shadow Mountain Lake and Lake Granby.						
COUCUC12	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	varies*	varies* ^B	Arsenic	340 ---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	--- 0.02
	Water Supply	clarity	---	narrative*	Cadmium	TVS TVS
	DUWS*	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0 ---
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Chromium III	--- TVS
Goal Qualifier Grand Lake Clarity		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III(T)	50 ---
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	DUWS	Chromium VI	TVS TVS
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Copper	TVS TVS
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Iron	--- WS
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron(T)	--- 1000
*Goal Qualifier Grand Lake: 7/1-9/11, Clarity = 3.8 meter average and 2.5 meter minimum Secchi disk depth. *Classification: DUWS applies to Grand Lake. *Nitrogen(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 33.5(4). *Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 33.5(4). *Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details. *clarity(chronic) = For Grand Lake, the highest level of clarity attainable, consistent with the exercise of established water rights, the protection of aquatic life, and protection of water quality throughout the Three Lakes system. *Temperature = See 33.6(4) for temperature standards.			acute	chronic	Lead	TVS TVS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead(T)	50 ---
		Boron	---	0.75	Manganese	TVS TVS/WS
		Chloride	---	250	Mercury(T)	--- 0.01
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Molybdenum(T)	--- 150
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Nickel	TVS TVS
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel(T)	--- 100
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Selenium	TVS TVS
		Nitrogen	---	TVS*	Silver	TVS TVS(tr)
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Uranium	varies* varies*
		Sulfate	---	WS	Zinc	TVS TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002		

13. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the Colorado River from the boundary of Rocky Mountain National Park and Arapahoe National Recreation Area to a point immediately above the confluence with the Roaring Fork River, except for specific listings in Upper Colorado Segments 11 and 12 and the Blue River and Eagle River subbasins.						
COUCUC13	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	varies*	varies* ^B	Arsenic	340 ---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	--- 0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS TVS
	DUWS*	D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0 ---
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	--- TVS
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	DUWS	Chromium III(T)	50 ---
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium VI	TVS TVS
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Copper	TVS TVS
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	--- WS
*Classification: DUWS applies to Ute Creek Reservoir. *Nitrogen(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 33.5(4). *Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 33.5(4). *Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Temperature = See 33.6(4) for temperature standards.			acute	chronic	Iron(T)	--- 1000
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50 ---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	--- 0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	--- 150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	--- 100
		Nitrogen	---	TVS*	Selenium	TVS TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Silver	TVS TVS(tr)
		Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies* varies*
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 33.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #33 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Blue River Basin

15. Mainstem of Clinton Creek from the source to the confluence with Tenmile Creek.							
COUCBL15	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Water Supply		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
			acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	210
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

16. All tributaries to the Blue River, including all wetlands, within the Eagles Nest and Ptarmigan Peak Wilderness Areas.							
COUCBL16	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
OW	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Water Supply		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
*Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
			acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 33.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #33 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Blue River Basin

23. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the Blue River below Dillon Reservoir, except for specific listings in Segment 21.								
COUCBL23	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)			
Designation		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Agriculture							
	Aq Life Cold 1	varies*	varies*	Temperature °C	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E	acute	chronic		Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply			D.O. (mg/L)	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
Qualifiers: Other: <u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Nitrogen(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 33.5(4). *Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 33.5(4). *Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Temperature = DM and MWAT=CL/CLL from 1/1-3/31 Green Mountain Reservoir DM=22.4 and MWAT=16.6 from 4/1-12/31 All others DM and MWAT=CL/CLL from 4/1-12/31				D.O. (spawning)	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---	
					pH	Chromium III	---	TVS
					chlorophyll a (ug/L)	Chromium III(T)	50	---
					E. Coli (per 100 mL)	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
						Copper	TVS	TVS
						Iron	---	WS
						Iron(T)	---	1000
						Lead	TVS	TVS
						Lead(T)	50	---
						Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
						Mercury(T)	---	0.01
						Molybdenum(T)	---	150
						Nickel	TVS	TVS
						Nickel(T)	---	100
						Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
					Uranium	varies*	varies*	
					Zinc	TVS	TVS	

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 33.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #33 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Eagle River Basin

3. All tributaries to the Eagle River, including wetlands, from the source to above the compressor house bridge at Belden (39.526879, -106.394950), except for the specific listings in Segments 1 and 4.

COUCEA03	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable		acute	chronic				
		Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:	Temporary Modification(s): Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid Expiration Date of 12/31/2024 *Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.	chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
					Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
					Copper	TVS	TVS
					Iron	---	WS
					Iron(T)	---	1000
					Lead	TVS	TVS
					Lead(T)	50	---
					Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
					Mercury(T)	---	0.01
					Molybdenum(T)	---	150
					Nickel	TVS	TVS
					Nickel(T)	---	100
					Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
				Uranium	varies*	varies*	
				Zinc	TVS	TVS/TVS(sc)	

4. Mainstem of Homestake Creek from the confluence of the East Fork to the confluence with the Eagle River.

COUCEA04	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable		acute	chronic				
		Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:	<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.	chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
					Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
					Copper	TVS	TVS
					Iron	---	WS
					Iron(T)	---	1000
					Lead	TVS	TVS
					Lead(T)	50	---
					Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
					Mercury(T)	---	0.01
					Molybdenum(T)	---	150
					Nickel	TVS	TVS
					Nickel(T)	---	100
					Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
				Uranium	varies*	varies*	
				Zinc	TVS	TVS/TVS(sc)	

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 33.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #33 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Eagle River Basin

5a. Mainstem of the Eagle River from above the compressor house bridge at Belden (39.526879, -106.394950) to a point immediately above the Highway 24 Bridge near Tigiwon Road (39.554936, -106.401691).							
COUCEA05A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	Metals (ug/L)			
Reviewable*	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	acute	chronic	
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	acute	chronic	chronic	
Other:		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Arsenic	340	---
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium	TVS	SSE*
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III	---	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium III(T)	50	---
		acute	chronic	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Copper	---	SSE*
		Boron	---	0.75	Copper	SSE*	---
		Chloride	---	250	Iron	---	WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Nitrate	10	---	Lead(T)	50	---
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Phosphorus	---	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Sulfate	---	WS	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Nickel	TVS	TVS
					Nickel(T)	---	100
					Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	---	SSE*
					Zinc	SSE*	---
*Designation: 9/30/00 Baseline does not apply *Cadmium(chronic) = (1.101672-[ln(hardness)*0.041838])* e^(0.7998 [ln(hardness)]-3.1725) *Copper(acute) = 0.96*e^0.9801[ln(hardness)] - 1.1073 *Copper(chronic) = 0.96*e^0.5897[ln(hardness)] - 0.0053 *Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Zinc(acute) = 0.978*e^0.8537[ln(hardness)]+2.1302 *Zinc(chronic) = 0.986*e^0.8537[ln(hardness)]+1.9593							
5b. Mainstem of the Eagle River from a point immediately above the Highway 24 Bridge near Tigiwon Road (39.554936, -106.401691) to a point immediately above the confluence with Martin Creek.							

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 33.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #33 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Eagle River Basin

10a. All tributaries to the Eagle River, including all wetlands, from a point immediately below the confluence with Lake Creek to the confluence with the Colorado River, except for specific listings in Segments 10b, 11 and 12, and those waters included in Segment 1.							
COUCEA10A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
Reviewable	Agriculture						
	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E				Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024					Copper	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details.		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.			acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

10b. Abrams Creek, including all tributaries and wetlands, from the source to the eastern boundary of the United States Bureau of Land Management lands.							
COUCEA10B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
OW	Agriculture						
	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E				Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024					Copper	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details.		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.			acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout
sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 33.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #33 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Roaring Fork River Basin

4. Mainstem of Brush Creek from the source to the confluence with the Roaring Fork River.							
COUCRF04	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Qualifiers: Other: Temporary Modification(s): Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid Expiration Date of 12/31/2024 *Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 33.5(4). *Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Nickel(T)	---	100
	Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS	
	Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
				Uranium	varies*	varies*	
				Zinc	TVS	TVS	

5. Mainstem of the Fryingspan River from the source to the confluence with the North Fork Fryingspan River, except for the portion included in Segment 1.							
COUCRF05	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Qualifiers: Other: <u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
	Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS	
	Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
				Uranium	varies*	varies*	
				Zinc	TVS	TVS/TVS(sc)	

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 33.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #33 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Roaring Fork River Basin

6. Mainstem of the Fryingpan River from the confluence with the North Fork Fryingpan River to the confluence with the Roaring Fork River.							
COUCRF06	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Other:	Temporary Modification(s): Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid Expiration Date of 12/31/2024 *Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.	D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
pH		6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS	
chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)		---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---	
E. Coli (per 100 mL)		---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	
Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS		
acute		chronic	Iron	---	WS		
Ammonia		TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000	
Boron		---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS	
Chloride		---	250	Lead(T)	50	---	
Chlorine		0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS	
Cyanide		0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01	
Nitrate		10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150	
Nitrite		---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS	
Phosphorus		---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100	
Sulfate		---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS	
Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)		
			Uranium	varies*	varies*		
			Zinc	TVS	TVS/TVS(sc)		
7. All tributaries to the Fryingpan River, including all wetlands, from the source to the confluence with the Roaring Fork River, except for those tributaries included in Segment 1.							
COUCRF07	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Other:	<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.	D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
pH		6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS	
chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)		---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---	
E. Coli (per 100 mL)		---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	
Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS		
acute		chronic	Iron	---	WS		
Ammonia		TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000	
Boron		---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS	
Chloride		---	250	Lead(T)	50	---	
Chlorine		0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS	
Cyanide		0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01	
Nitrate		10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150	
Nitrite		---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS	
Phosphorus		---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100	
Sulfate		---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS	
Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)		
			Uranium	varies*	varies*		
			Zinc	TVS	TVS/TVS(sc)		

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 33.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #33 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS North Platte River Basin

3. Mainstem of the North Platte River from the confluence of Grizzly Creek and Little Grizzly Creek to the Colorado/Wyoming border.							
COUCNP03	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 33.5(4). *Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
			Zinc	TVS	TVS		

4a. All tributaries to the North Platte River, including all wetlands, from the source to the Colorado/Wyoming border, except for those tributaries included in Segments 1, 4b, 5a, 5b, 6, 7a and 7b.							
COUCNP04A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
			Zinc	TVS	TVS		

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
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17. Deleted.							
COUCYA17	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic				
Other:		Inorganic (mg/L)					
		acute	chronic				
18. South Fork Little Snake River and Middle Fork Little Snake River, including all tributaries and wetlands, from their sources to the confluence with the Little Snake River, which are not on National Forest lands. North Fork Little Snake River, including all tributaries and wetlands, from the Colorado/Wyoming border to the confluence with the Little Snake River.							
COUCYA18	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
Qualifiers:		---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---	
Other:		6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS	
		---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---	
		---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000	
		---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS	
		---	250	Lead(T)	50	---	
		0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS	
		0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01	
		10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150	
		---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS	
		---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100	
		---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS	
		---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
				Uranium	varies*	varies*	
				Zinc	TVS	TVS/TVS(sc)	

*Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details.
 *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.

Temporary Modification(s):
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 33.6 for further details on applied standards.

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19. All tributaries to the South Fork Little Snake River and Middle Fork Little Snake River, including all wetlands, which are on National Forest lands in Routt County.								
COUCYA19	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)			
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT		acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	CS-I	CS-I	Temperature °C	340	---		
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0		
Other:				D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0		
<p style="margin: 0;"><u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u></p> <p style="margin: 0;">*Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.</p>		Inorganic (mg/L)			pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	
					chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	
					E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	
					Ammonia	TVS	TVS	
					Boron	---	0.75	
					Chloride	---	250	
					Chlorine	0.019	0.011	
					Cyanide	0.005	---	
					Nitrate	10	---	
					Nitrite	---	0.05	
					Phosphorus	---	TVS	
					Sulfate	---	WS	
					Sulfide	---	0.002	
						Arsenic	340	---
						Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
				Cadmium	TVS	TVS		
				Cadmium(T)	5.0	---		
				Chromium III	---	TVS		
				Chromium III(T)	50	---		
				Chromium VI	TVS	TVS		
				Copper	TVS	TVS		
				Iron	---	WS		
				Iron(T)	---	1000		
				Lead	TVS	TVS		
				Lead(T)	50	---		
				Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS		
				Mercury(T)	---	0.01		
				Molybdenum(T)	---	150		
				Nickel	TVS	TVS		
				Nickel(T)	---	100		
				Selenium	TVS	TVS		
				Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)		
				Uranium	varies*	varies*		
				Zinc	TVS	TVS/TVS(sc)		

20a. All tributaries to the Yampa River, including all wetlands, from above the confluence with the Elk River to below the confluence with Elkhead Creek, which are on National Forest lands, except for specific listings in Segment 20b.								
COUCYA20A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)			
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT		acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	CS-I	CS-I	Temperature °C	340	---		
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0		
Other:				D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0		
<p style="margin: 0;">*Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.</p>		Inorganic (mg/L)			pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	
					chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	
					E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	
					Ammonia	TVS	TVS	
					Boron	---	0.75	
					Chloride	---	250	
					Chlorine	0.019	0.011	
					Cyanide	0.005	---	
					Nitrate	10	---	
					Nitrite	---	0.05	
					Phosphorus	---	TVS	
					Sulfate	---	WS	
					Sulfide	---	0.002	
						Arsenic	340	---
						Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
				Cadmium	TVS	TVS		
				Cadmium(T)	5.0	---		
				Chromium III	---	TVS		
				Chromium III(T)	50	---		
				Chromium VI	TVS	TVS		
				Copper	TVS	TVS		
				Iron	---	WS		
				Iron(T)	---	1000		
				Lead	TVS	TVS		
				Lead(T)	50	---		
				Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS		
				Mercury(T)	---	0.01		
				Molybdenum(T)	---	150		
				Nickel	TVS	TVS		
				Nickel(T)	---	100		
				Selenium	TVS	TVS		
				Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)		
				Uranium	varies*	varies*		
				Zinc	TVS	TVS		

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 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
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 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
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22. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the Yampa River from the source to the confluence with Elkhead Creek, except for those listed in Segment 21. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to Elkhead Creek from the source to the confluence with the Yampa River, except for specific listings in Segment 23. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the Little Snake River, including those on National Forest lands.

COUCYA22	Classifications	Physical and Biological		Metals (ug/L)			
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	varies*	varies* ^B	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
	DUWS*	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---	
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	---	TVS	
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	DUWS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Copper	TVS	TVS
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>		Inorganic (mg/L)		Iron	---	WS	
		acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Nitrogen	---	TVS*	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies*	varies*
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS	TVS

*Classification: DUWS applies to Stagecoach Reservoir, Steamboat Lake, and Yampa River Holding Pond.
 *Nitrogen(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 33.5(4).
 *Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 33.5(4).
 *Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details.
 *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.
 *Temperature = See 33.6(4) for temperature standards.

23. Elkhead Reservoir

COUCYA23	Classifications	Physical and Biological		Metals (ug/L)			
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 1	WL	WL	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
Qualifiers:		D.O. (mg/L)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Chromium III	---	TVS
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Copper	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)		Iron	---	WS	
		acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Silver	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies*	varies*
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS	TVS

*Uranium(acute) = See 33.5(3) for details.
 *Uranium(chronic) = See 33.5(3) for details.

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 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 33.6 for further details on applied standards.

STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS – FOOTNOTES

- (A) Whenever a range of standards is listed and referenced to this footnote, the first number in the range is a strictly health-based value, based on the Commission's established methodology for human health-based standards. The second number in the range is a maximum contaminant level, established under the federal Safe Drinking Water Act that has been determined to be an acceptable level of this chemical in public water supplies, taking treatability and laboratory detection limits into account. Control requirements, such as discharge permit effluent limitations, shall be established using the first number in the range as the ambient water quality target, provided that no effluent limitation shall require an "end-of-pipe" discharge level more restrictive than the second number in the range. Water bodies will be considered in attainment of this standard, and not included on the Section 303(d) List, so long as the existing ambient quality does not exceed the second number in the range.

- (B) Assessment of adequate refuge shall rely on the Cold Large Lake table value temperature criterion and applicable dissolved oxygen standard rather than the site-specific temperature standard.

34.57 STATEMENT OF BASIS, SPECIFIC STATUTORY AUTHORITY AND PURPOSE; OCTOBER 10, 2023 RULEMAKING; FINAL ACTION OCTOBER 10, 2023; EFFECTIVE DATE DECEMBER 31, 2023

The provisions of C.R.S. 25-8-202(1)(a), (b) and (2); 25-8-203; 25-8-204; and 25-8-402; provide the specific statutory authority for adoption of these regulatory amendments. The commission also adopted in compliance with 24-4-103(4) C.R.S. the following statement of basis and purpose.

BASIS AND PURPOSE

In April 2013 (34.41) and subsequent rulemaking hearings (34.47 and 34.48), the commission has adopted and extended temporary modifications for arsenic of “As(ch)=hybrid” (expiration date of 12/31/24) on many segments with the 0.02 µg/L Water + Fish numeric arsenic standard. The arsenic temporary modification recognizes existing and predicted compliance issues, instream nonattainment, and the uncertainty regarding the water quality standard necessary to protect current and/or future uses and the extent to which ambient concentrations of arsenic are natural or irreversible (31.7(3)). The division submitted a plan to resolve uncertainty in the 2019 Temporary Modifications rulemaking (34.50(B)).

The division plans to propose revised standards for arsenic as soon as possible following updated toxicological information from EPA’s Integrated Risk Information System (IRIS) and completion of ongoing studies to better understand arsenic conditions in Colorado. Furthermore, per the conditions of the revised and extended temporary modification at 34.6(2)(c) (effective 6/30/2020 and expires 12/31/2024), and based on the widespread need to make progress to understand sources of arsenic and set forth processes for lowering arsenic in discharges, additional permit Terms and Conditions (T&Cs) are being implemented for facilities benefitting from the “current condition” temporary modification. These T&Cs may include requirements for additional monitoring, source identification, and characterization of source control and treatment options for reducing arsenic concentrations in effluent. The commission recognizes the need to resolve the uncertainty in the arsenic standards and ensure that human health is adequately protected.

The commission identified segments where an arsenic temporary modification had previously been inadvertently omitted. The commission adopted arsenic temporary modifications on the following segments:

- San Juan River: 6b (COSJSJ06b) and 8 (COSJSJ08)
- Los Pinos River: 1 (COSJPN01), 3 (COSJPN03), and 9 (COSJPN09)
- Animas and Florida Rivers: 21 (COSJAF21)
- La Plata River, Mancos River, McElmo Creek and San Juan River in Montezuma County and Dolores County Rivers: 3b (COSJLP03b), 4c (COSJLP04c), 7b (COSJLP07b)
- Dolores River: 11b (COSJDO11b)

To remain consistent with the commission’s decisions regarding arsenic in section 34.41, all existing temporary modifications for arsenic of “As(ch)=hybrid” (expiration date of 12/31/24) were retained.

**COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT
WATER QUALITY CONTROL COMMISSION**

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**REGULATION NO. 34
CLASSIFICATIONS AND NUMERIC STANDARDS
FOR
SAN JUAN RIVER AND DOLORES RIVER BASINS**

**APPENDIX 34-1
Stream Classifications and Water Quality Standards Tables**

Effective ~~06/14/2023~~ 12/31/2023

Abbreviations and Acronyms

Aq	=	Aquatic
°C	=	degrees Celsius
CL	=	cold lake temperature tier
CLL	=	cold large lake temperature tier
CS-I	=	cold stream temperature tier one
CS-II	=	cold stream temperature tier two
D.O.	=	dissolved oxygen
DM	=	daily maximum temperature
DUWS	=	direct use water supply
E. coli	=	<i>Escherichia coli</i>
EQ	=	existing quality
mg/L	=	milligrams per liter
mg/m ²	=	milligrams per square meter
mL	=	milliliter
MWAT	=	maximum weekly average temperature
OW	=	outstanding waters
sc	=	sculpin
SSE	=	site-specific equation
T	=	total recoverable
t	=	total
tr	=	trout
TVS	=	table value standard
µg/L	=	micrograms per liter
UP	=	use-protected
WS	=	water supply
WS-I	=	warm stream temperature tier one
WS-II	=	warm stream temperature tier two
WS-III	=	warm stream temperature tier three
WL	=	warm lake temperature tier

REGULATION #34 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS San Juan River Basin

7. Mainstem of the Rio Blanco, including all tributaries and wetlands, from the boundary of the South San Juan Wilderness Area to below the confluence with Leche Creek.							
COSJSJ07	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 34.5(3) for details.		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
*Uranium(chronic) = See 34.5(3) for details.		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic		Iron	---	WS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS(sc)

8. Navajo Reservoir. Echo Canyon Reservoir.							
COSJSJ08	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 1	Temperature °C	WL	WL	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic		Copper	TVS	TVS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrogen	---	TVS*	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr=trout
sc=sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 34.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #34 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Los Pinos River Basin

2d. Mainstem of the Los Pinos River from above the confluence with Dry Creek to New Mexico state line. Mainstems of Dry Creek, Ute Creek, Spring Creek and Rock Creek, including wetlands, from the boundary of the Southern Ute Indian Reservation to the confluence with the Los Pinos River.							
COSJPN02D	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	DM	MWAT	acute chronic			
Reviewable		acute	chronic	Arsenic	340	---	
Qualifiers:		Temperature °C	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Other: *Southern Ute Indian Reservation *Uranium(acute) = See 34.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 34.5(3) for details.		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		acute chronic			Copper	TVS	TVS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100
Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS		
			Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)		
			Uranium	varies*	varies*		
			Zinc	TVS	TVS		

3. Vallecito Reservoir.							
COSJPN03	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	DM	MWAT	acute chronic			
Reviewable		acute	chronic	Arsenic	340	---	
Qualifiers:		Temperature °C	CLL	CLL	Arsenic	340	---
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Other: <u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Uranium(acute) = See 34.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 34.5(3) for details.		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		acute chronic			Copper	TVS	TVS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100
Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS		
			Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)		
			Uranium	varies*	varies*		
			Zinc	TVS	TVS		

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t = total
tr=trout
sc=sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
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9. Emerald Lake.								
COSJPN09	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)			
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT		acute	chronic		
OW	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CLL	CLL	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---	
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS	
<p><u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u></p> <p>*Uranium(acute) = See 34.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 34.5(3) for details.</p>		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---	
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	
		Inorganic (mg/L)				Copper	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic		Iron	---	WS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS		Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75		Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250		Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011		Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---		Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---		Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05		Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrogen	---	TVS		Nickel(T)	---	100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS		Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS		Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfide	---	0.002		Uranium	varies*	varies*
				Zinc	TVS	TVS		
10. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the Los Pinos River and Vallecito Reservoir from the boundary of the Weminuche Wilderness Area to a point immediately below the confluence with Bear Creek (T35N, R7W), except for the specific listing in Segment 3. This segment includes Lake Simpatico.								
COSJPN10	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)			
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT		acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CL	CL	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---	
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS	
<p>*Uranium(acute) = See 34.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 34.5(3) for details.</p>		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---	
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	
		Inorganic (mg/L)				Copper	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic		Iron	---	WS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS		Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75		Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250		Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011		Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---		Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---		Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05		Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrogen	---	TVS		Nickel(T)	---	100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS		Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS		Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfide	---	0.002		Uranium	varies*	varies*
				Zinc	TVS	TVS		

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 t = total
 tr=trout
 sc=sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 34.6 for further details on applied standards.

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Animas and Florida River Basins

20. All lakes and reservoirs on the east side of Mineral Creek from the source to a point immediately above the confluence with South Mineral Creek. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the Middle Fork of Mineral Creek from the source to the confluence with Mineral Creek except for the specific listings in Segment 18.

COSJAF20	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 2 Recreation E	Temperature °C	CL	CL	Arsenic	340	---
Qualifiers:			acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	100
Other:	*Uranium(acute) = See 34.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 34.5(3) for details.	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Chromium III	TVS	TVS
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III(T)	---	100
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Copper	TVS	TVS
					Iron(T)	---	1000
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Lead	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic	Manganese	TVS	TVS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Boron	---	0.75	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Chloride	---	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Nitrate	100	---	Uranium	varies*	varies*
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Zinc	TVS	TVS
		Nitrogen	---	TVS			
		Phosphorus	---	TVS			
		Sulfate	---	---			
		Sulfide	---	0.002			

21. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the Animas River from a point immediately above the confluence with Elk Creek to a point immediately below the confluence with Hermosa Creek except for the specific listing in Segment 22. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the Florida River from the source to the outlet of Lemon Reservoir, except the specific listings in Segments 12b and 16. This segment includes Little Molas Lake, Andrews Lake, Potato Lake, Scout Lake, Boyce Lake, Columbine Lake, Haviland Lake, Henderson Lake, Ruby Lake, Pear Lake, Webb Lake, Shalona Lake, Stratton Lake, and Wallace Lake.

COSJAF21	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	Temperature °C	CL	CL	Arsenic	340	---
Qualifiers:			acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Other:	*Uranium(acute) = See 34.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 34.5(3) for details.	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

Temporary Modification(s):
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024

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t = total
tr=trout
sc=sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
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REGULATION #34 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS
La Plata River, Mancos River, McElmo Creek and San Juan River in Montezuma County and Dolores County

3b. All tributaries to the La Plata River, including all wetlands, from the boundary of the Southern Ute Indian Reservation to the Colorado/New Mexico border.

COSJLP03B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 2	Temperature °C	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation N		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Water + Fish Standards		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	630	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS	
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
*Southern Ute Indian Reservation		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
*Uranium(acute) = See 34.5(3) for details.		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 34.5(3) for details.		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

3c. Cherry Creek, including all tributaries and wetlands, from the source to the boundary of the Southern Ute Indian Reservation boundary.

COSJLP03C	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
*Uranium(acute) = See 34.5(3) for details.		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 34.5(3) for details.					Copper	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
		acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS(sc)

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La Plata River, Mancos River, McElmo Creek and San Juan River in Montezuma County and Dolores County

4c. Mainstem of the Mancos River, including tributaries and wetlands, from below the San Juan National Forest Boundary to Hwy 160. Chicken Creek, including tributaries and wetlands, from its source to the confluence with the Mancos River.							
COSJLP04C	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E 5/1 - 10/31	acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Recreation N 11/1 - 4/30	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
	Water Supply	D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		E. Coli (per 100 mL) 5/1 - 10/31	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		E. Coli (per 100 mL) 11/1 - 4/30	---	630	Copper	TVS	TVS
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(acute) = See 34.5(3) for details.		acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000	
*Uranium(chronic) = See 34.5(3) for details.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS
5. Mainstem of the Mancos River from Hwy 160 to the boundary of the Ute Mountain Indian Reservation and mainstem of Weber Canyon, including wetlands, from source to boundary of the Ute Mountain Ute Indian Reservation.							
COSJLP05	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 1	Temperature °C	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E 5/1 - 10/31	acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Recreation N 11/1 - 4/30	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
	Water Supply	pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Qualifiers:		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:		E. Coli (per 100 mL) 5/1 - 10/31	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		E. Coli (per 100 mL) 11/1 - 4/30	---	630	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
*Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 34.5(5).		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
*Uranium(acute) = See 34.5(3) for details.		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 34.5(3) for details.		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr=trout
sc=sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 34.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #34 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS
La Plata River, Mancos River, McElmo Creek and San Juan River in Montezuma County and Dolores County

7b. Mainstem of McElmo Creek from the confluence with Alkali Canyon to the Colorado/Utah border, except portion within the Ute Mountain Indian Reservation.

COSJLP07B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
			DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Designation	Agriculture						
	Aq Life Warm 1	Temperature °C	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Reviewable	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:	Other:	E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	---	100
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Uranium(acute) = See 34.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 34.5(3) for details.			acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	2200
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

8. All tributaries to McElmo Creek, including wetlands, from the source to the Colorado/Utah border, except for the portions within the Ute Mountain Indian Reservation and except for specific listings in Segments 7a and 9.

COSJLP08	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
			DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Designation	Agriculture						
	Aq Life Warm 2	Temperature °C	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02-10 ^A
UP	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:	Other:	E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
*Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 34.5(5). *Uranium(acute) = See 34.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 34.5(3) for details.			acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr=trout
 sc=sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 34.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #34 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Dolores River Basin

11b. All tributaries to the Dolores River, including all wetlands, from a point immediately below the confluence of the West Dolores River to the inlet of McPhee Reservoir, except for the specific listing in Segments 4a and 11a.

COSJDO11B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 2	Temperature °C	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Water + Fish Standards		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>					Copper	TVS	TVS
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>					Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(acute) = See 34.5(3) for details.					Iron(T)	---	1000
*Uranium(chronic) = See 34.5(3) for details.					Lead	TVS	TVS
					Lead(T)	50	---
					Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
					Mercury(T)	---	0.01
					Molybdenum(T)	---	150
					Nickel	TVS	TVS
					Nickel(T)	---	100
					Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS(sc)

11c. All tributaries to McPhee Reservoir, including wetlands, except for the specific listings in Segments 4a and 11b. All tributaries to the Dolores River, including wetlands, from the outlet of McPhee Reservoir to the bridge at Bradfield Ranch (Forest Route 505, near Montezuma/Dolores County Line). Beaver Creek and Plateau Creek, including tributaries and wetlands, from their sources to their confluences with the Dolores River.

COSJDO11C	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 1	Temperature °C	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>					Copper	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 34.5(3) for details.					Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 34.5(3) for details.					Iron(T)	---	1000
					Lead	TVS	TVS
					Lead(T)	50	---
					Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
					Mercury(T)	---	0.01
					Molybdenum(T)	---	150
					Nickel	TVS	TVS
					Nickel(T)	---	100
					Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr=trout
sc=sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 34.6 for further details on applied standards.

STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS – FOOTNOTES

- (A) Whenever a range of standards is listed and referenced to this footnote, the first number in the range is a strictly health-based value, based on the Commission's established methodology for human health-based standards. The second number in the range is a maximum contaminant level, established under the federal Safe Drinking Water Act that has been determined to be an acceptable level of this chemical in public water supplies, taking treatability and laboratory detection limits into account. Control requirements, such as discharge permit effluent limitations, shall be established using the first number in the range as the ambient water quality target, provided that no effluent limitation shall require an "end-of-pipe" discharge level more restrictive than the second number in the range. Water bodies will be considered in attainment of this standard, and not included on the Section 303(d) List, so long as the existing ambient quality does not exceed the second number in the range.
- (B) Assessment of adequate refuge shall rely on the Cold Large Lake table value temperature criterion and applicable dissolved oxygen standard rather than the site-specific temperature standard.
- (C) For certain site-specific temperature standards, the temperature excursions listed in Table I - Footnote 5(c) of 31.16 do not apply. Assessment of ambient-based temperature standards should be conducted in a way that represents similar conditions to those under which the criteria were developed (i.e., air, low flow, and warming event excursions should not apply). Similarly, where site-specific adjustments to the winter shoulder season have been adopted, the winter shoulder season excursion does not apply.

35.53 STATEMENT OF BASIS, SPECIFIC STATUTORY AUTHORITY AND PURPOSE; OCTOBER 10, 2023 RULEMAKING; FINAL ACTION OCTOBER 10, 2023; EFFECTIVE DATE DECEMBER 31, 2023

The provisions of C.R.S. 25-8-202(1)(a), (b) and (2); 25-8-203; 25-8-204; and 25-8-402; provide the specific statutory authority for adoption of these regulatory amendments. The commission also adopted in compliance with 24-4-103(4) C.R.S. the following statement of basis and purpose.

BASIS AND PURPOSE

In April 2013 (35.56) and subsequent rulemaking hearings (35.39, 35.40, 35.44, and 35.45), the commission has adopted and extended temporary modifications for arsenic of “As(ch)=hybrid” (expiration date of 12/31/24) on many segments with the 0.02 µg/L Water + Fish numeric arsenic standard. The arsenic temporary modification recognizes existing and predicted compliance issues, instream nonattainment, and the uncertainty regarding the water quality standard necessary to protect current and/or future uses and the extent to which ambient concentrations of arsenic are natural or irreversible (31.7(3)). The division submitted a plan to resolve uncertainty in the 2019 Temporary Modifications rulemaking (35.47(B)).

The division plans to propose revised standards for arsenic as soon as possible following updated toxicological information from EPA’s Integrated Risk Information System (IRIS) and completion of ongoing studies to better understand arsenic conditions in Colorado. Furthermore, per the conditions of the revised and extended temporary modification at 35.6(2)(c) (effective 6/30/2020 and expires 12/31/2024), and based on the widespread need to make progress to understand sources of arsenic and set forth processes for lowering arsenic in discharges, additional permit Terms and Conditions (T&Cs) are being implemented for facilities benefitting from the “current condition” temporary modification. These T&Cs may include requirements for additional monitoring, source identification, and characterization of source control and treatment options for reducing arsenic concentrations in effluent. The commission recognizes the need to resolve the uncertainty in the arsenic standards and ensure that human health is adequately protected.

The commission identified segments where an arsenic temporary modification had previously been inadvertently omitted. The commission adopted arsenic temporary modifications on the following segments:

- Upper Gunnison River: 6c (COGUUG06c), 11 (COGUUG11), 17b (COGUUG17b), 25 (COGUUG25), 29b (COGUUG29b), and 36 (COGUUG36)
- North Fork of the Gunnison River: 9 (COGUNF09) and 10 (COGUNF10)
- Uncompahgre River: 3d (COGUUN03d) and 3e (COGUUN03e)
- Lower Gunnison River: 10 (COGULG10)
- San Miguel River: 4a (COGUSM04a) and 5a (COGUSM05a)

To remain consistent with the commission’s decisions regarding arsenic in section 35.56, all existing temporary modifications for arsenic of “As(ch)=hybrid” (expiration date of 12/31/24), with the exception of those listed below, were retained.

Where evidence indicated the requirements to qualify for a temporary modification were not met, temporary modifications were deleted. The commission deleted chronic arsenic temporary modifications (expiring 12/31/2024) on several segments due to a lack of evidence of a demonstrated or predicted water quality-based effluent limit compliance problem for these segments. These segments have all been designated as Outstanding Waters, have no CDPS permitted dischargers with WQBELs for arsenic, and are without dischargers on upstream segments who may receive WQBELs based on protection of downstream uses. Temporary modifications for arsenic were deleted from the following segments:

Upper Gunnison River: 2 (COGUUG02)
Uncompahgre River: 1 (COGUUN01)

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**REGULATION NO. 35
CLASSIFICATIONS AND NUMERIC STANDARDS
FOR
GUNNISON AND LOWER DOLORES RIVER BASINS**

**APPENDIX 35-1
Stream Classifications and Water Quality Standards Tables**

Effective ~~06/14/2023~~ 12/31/2023

Abbreviations and Acronyms

Aq	=	Aquatic
°C	=	degrees Celsius
CL	=	cold lake temperature tier
CLL	=	cold large lake temperature tier
CS-I	=	cold stream temperature tier one
CS-II	=	cold stream temperature tier two
D.O.	=	dissolved oxygen
DM	=	daily maximum temperature
DUWS	=	direct use water supply
E. coli	=	<i>Escherichia coli</i>
EQ	=	existing quality
mg/L	=	milligrams per liter
mg/m ²	=	milligrams per square meter
mL	=	milliliter
MWAT	=	maximum weekly average temperature
OW	=	outstanding waters
sc	=	sculpin
SSE	=	site-specific equation
T	=	total recoverable
t	=	total
tr	=	trout
TVS	=	table value standard
µg/L	=	micrograms per liter
UP	=	use-protected
WS	=	water supply
WS-I	=	warm stream temperature tier one
WS-II	=	warm stream temperature tier two
WS-III	=	warm stream temperature tier three
WL	=	warm lake temperature tier

REGULATION #35 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

Upper Gunnison River Basin

1. All tributaries and wetlands to the Gunnison River within the La Garita, Powderhorn, West Elk, Collegiate Peaks, Maroon Bells, Raggeds, Fossil Ridge, or Uncompahgre Wilderness Areas.								
COGUUG01	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)			
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
OW	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---	
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS	
*Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---	
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	
		Inorganic (mg/L)				Copper	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic		Iron	---	WS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS		Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75		Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250		Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011		Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---		Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---		Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.02		Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS		Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS		Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002		Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
						Uranium	varies*	varies*
				Zinc	TVS	TVS		
2. All tributaries and wetlands from Beaver Creek to Meyers Gulch, from the West Elk Wilderness boundary to their confluences with Blue Mesa Reservoir, Morrow Point Reservoir, or the Gunnison River, excluding Steuben Creek and their tributaries.								
COGUUG02	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)			
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
OW	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---	
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS	
Temporary Modification(s): Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid Expiration Date of 12/31/2024 *Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---	
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	
		Inorganic (mg/L)				Copper	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic		Iron	---	WS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS		Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75		Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250		Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011		Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---		Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---		Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.02		Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS		Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS		Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002		Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
						Uranium	varies*	varies*
				Zinc	TVS	TVS		

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 35.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #35 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

Upper Gunnison River Basin

6c. Cement Creek, including all tributaries and wetlands, from a point immediately above the confluence with Horse Basin Creek to the confluence with the East River.							
COGUUG06C	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---	
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
Other:		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	
<p style="margin: 0;"><u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u></p> <p style="margin: 0;">*Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.</p>		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)		
			Uranium	varies*	varies*		
			Zinc	TVS	TVS		
7. Mainstem of the Slate River from its source to a point immediately above the confluence with Coal Creek.							
COGUUG07	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---	
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
Other:		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	
<p style="margin: 0;">*Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.</p>		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)		
			Uranium	varies*	varies*		
			Zinc	TVS	TVS		

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 35.6 for further details on applied standards.

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Upper Gunnison River Basin

11. Mainstem of Coal Creek from a point immediately above the confluence with Elk Creek to a point immediately above the Keystone Mine discharge (38.867117, -107.023627). Elk Creek and its tributaries and wetlands from its source to its confluence with Coal Creek.

COGUUG11	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)			
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute		chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---	
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS	
<p><u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u></p> <p>*Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.</p>		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---	
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	
		Inorganic (mg/L)				Copper	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000	
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS	
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---	
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS	
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01	
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	210	
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS	
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100	
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS	
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
					Uranium	varies*	varies*	
			Zinc	TVS	TVS			

12. Mainstem of Coal Creek, including all tributaries and wetlands, from a point immediately above the Keystone Mine discharge (38.867117, -107.023627) to the confluence with the Slate River, with the exception of Wildcat Creek.

COGUUG12	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)			
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute		chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---	
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS	
<p><u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> Cadmium(ac/ch) = 3.5/2.79* 4/1 - 6/30 <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2027</u></p> <p>*Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details. *TempMod: Cadmium(4/1 - 6/30) = Coal Creek. Adopted 6/12/2017(ac) and 6/12/2006(ch).</p>		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---	
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	
		Inorganic (mg/L)				Copper	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000	
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS	
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---	
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/191	
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01	
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150	
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS	
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100	
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS	
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
					Uranium	varies*	varies*	
			Zinc	TVS	TVS			

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 35.6 for further details on applied standards.

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17a. West Antelope Creek, including all tributaries and wetlands, from the source to the confluence with Antelope Creek.							
COGUUG17A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute chronic			
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation U Water Supply	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---	
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
Other:		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS TVS	
*Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0 ---	
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute chronic			Iron	---	WS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
				Uranium	varies*	varies*	
				Zinc	TVS	TVS	
17b. Mainstem of Antelope Creek, including all tributaries and wetlands, from the source to the confluence with the Gunnison River, excluding the listings in Segment 17a.							
COGUUG17B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute chronic			
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation U Water Supply	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---	
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
Other:		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS TVS	
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid Expiration Date of 12/31/2024 *Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0 ---	
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute chronic			Iron	---	WS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
				Uranium	varies*	varies*	
				Zinc	TVS	TVS	

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 35.6 for further details on applied standards.

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Upper Gunnison River Basin

25. The segments of the Gunnison River which interconnect Blue Mesa Reservoir, Morrow Point Reservoir, and Crystal Reservoir.

COGUUG25	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Qualifiers: Other: <u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
					Copper	TVS	TVS
					Iron	---	WS
					Iron(T)	---	1000
					Lead	TVS	TVS
					Lead(T)	50	---
					Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
					Mercury(T)	---	0.01
					Molybdenum(T)	---	150
					Nickel	TVS	TVS
					Nickel(T)	---	100
				Selenium	TVS	TVS	
				Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
				Uranium	varies*	varies*	
				Zinc	TVS	TVS	

26. All tributaries, including wetlands, which are tributary to the Gunnison River from County Road 32 to the inlet of Blue Mesa Reservoir, Blue Mesa Reservoir, Morrow Point Reservoir, Crystal Reservoir, or the segments of the Gunnison River that interconnect those reservoirs, except for specific listings in Segments 1, 2, 29a, 29b, 30, 31, and 32.

COGUUG25	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation U		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Qualifiers: Other: Temporary Modification(s): Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid Expiration Date of 12/31/2024 *Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 35.5(4). *Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
					Copper	TVS	TVS
					Iron	---	WS
					Iron(T)	---	1000
					Lead	TVS	TVS
					Lead(T)	50	---
					Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
					Mercury(T)	---	0.01
					Molybdenum(T)	---	150
					Nickel	TVS	TVS
					Nickel(T)	---	100
				Selenium	TVS	TVS	
				Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
				Uranium	varies*	varies*	
				Zinc	TVS	TVS	

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 35.6 for further details on applied standards.

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Upper Gunnison River Basin

29a. Mainstem of the Lake Fork of the Gunnison including all tributaries and wetlands, from the source to a point immediately above the confluence with Eaton Creek. Cebolla Creek, including all tributaries and wetlands, from the source to the Hinsdale/Gunnison County line. Powderhorn Creek, including all tributaries and wetlands, from the source to the confluence with Cebolla Creek. This segment excludes the specific listings in Segments 1, 29b, 30, 31, and 32.

COGUUG29A		Classifications			Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic			
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---			
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02			
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS			
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---			
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS			
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---			
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS			
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024					Copper	TVS	TVS			
*Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 35.5(4).					Inorganic (mg/L)					
*Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details.						acute	chronic			
*Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS			
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000			
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS			
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---			
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS			
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01			
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Molybdenum(T)	---	150			
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Nickel	TVS	TVS			
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100			
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS			
					Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)			
					Uranium	varies*	varies*			
					Zinc	TVS	TVS			

29b. Mainstem of the Lake Fork of the Gunnison, including all tributaries and wetlands, from a point immediately above the confluence with Eaton Creek, to Blue Mesa Reservoir. Cebolla Creek, including all tributaries and wetlands, from the Hinsdale/Gunnison County line, to Blue Mesa Reservoir, excluding the listings in Segment 29a.

COGUUG29B		Classifications			Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic			
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---			
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02			
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS			
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---			
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS			
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---			
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS			
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024					Copper	TVS	TVS			
*Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 35.5(4).					Inorganic (mg/L)					
*Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details.						acute	chronic			
*Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS			
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000			
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS			
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---			
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS			
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01			
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Molybdenum(T)	---	150			
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Nickel	TVS	TVS			
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100			
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS			
					Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)			
					Uranium	varies*	varies*			
					Zinc	TVS	TVS			

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout
sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 35.6 for further details on applied standards.

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36. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the Gunnison River from its inception at the confluence of the Taylor and East Rivers, to the inlet of Blue Mesa Reservoir, excluding the listings in Segment 33. This segment includes Kenny Moore Reservoir, Hot Springs Reservoir, Needle Creek Reservoir, Vouga Reservoir, Moss Lake, Dome Lakes, and McDonough Reservoirs 1 and 2.

COGUUG36	Classifications	Physical and Biological		Metals (ug/L)				
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute		chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CL	CL	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---	
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS	
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---	
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS	
*Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.		acute		chronic	Iron	---	WS	
					Iron(T)	---	1000	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS	
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---	
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS	
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01	
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150	
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS	
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100	
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS	
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Silver	TVS	TVS	
		Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies*	varies*	
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS	TVS	

37. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to Blue Mesa Reservoir, Morrow Point Reservoir, Crystal Reservoir or the segments of the Gunnison River that interconnect them, excluding the listings in Segments 33 and 38. This segment includes Fish Creek Reservoirs 1 and 2, Hampton Lake, High Park Lake, Watson Lake, Butte Lake, Swanson Lake, Fitzpatrick Lake, Evergreen Lake (38.325447, -107.365786), Dry Lake, Devils Lake, Powderhorn Lakes, Soderquist Reservoir, Rainbow Lake, Cataract Lake, Castle Lakes, Crystal Lake, and Waterdog Lake.

COGUUG37	Classifications	Physical and Biological		Metals (ug/L)				
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute		chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CL	CL	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
	DUWS*	D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---	
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS	
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	DUWS	Chromium III(T)	50	---	
*Classification: DUWS applies to Evergreen Lake. *Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Copper	TVS	TVS	
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS	
					Iron(T)	---	1000	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS	
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---	
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS	
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01	
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150	
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS	
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100	
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS	
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
		Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies*	varies*	
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS	TVS	

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 35.6 for further details on applied standards.

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North Fork of the Gunnison River Basin

8. All lakes and reservoirs that are tributary to the North Fork of the Gunnison River and within the West Elk or Raggeds Wilderness areas.

COGUNF08	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
OW	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CL	CL	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other: *Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
					Copper	TVS	TVS
					Iron	---	WS
					Iron(T)	---	1000
					Lead	TVS	TVS
					Lead(T)	50	---
					Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
					Mercury(T)	---	0.01
					Molybdenum(T)	---	150
					Nickel	TVS	TVS
					Nickel(T)	---	100
					Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

9. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to Muddy Creek, Paonia Reservoir, or Anthracite Creek. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the North Fork of the Gunnison River from its inception at the confluence with Muddy Creek and Anthracite Creek to the confluence with the Gunnison River, and within national forest boundaries, excluding the specific listing in Segments 7 and 8. This segment includes Island Lake, Aspen Leaf Reservoir, Floating Lake, Tomahawk Reservoir, Dollar Lake, Lost Lake, Lost Lake Slough, Lake Irwin, Terror Creek Reservoir, Minnesota Reservoir, Beaver Reservoir, Lone Cabin Reservoir, Todd Reservoir, Holy Terror Reservoir (aka Eagle River Reservoir), Goodenough Reservoir, Dogfish Reservoir, Hilltop Reservoir, Willow Reservoir, Doughty Reservoir, Reynolds Reservoir, Hanson Reservoir, Bailey Reservoir, Owens Reservoir, Gray Reservoir, and Patterson Reservoirs.

COGUNF09	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CL	CL	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other: <u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Nitrogen(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 35.5(4). *Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 35.5(4). *Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
					Copper	TVS	TVS
					Iron	---	WS
					Iron(T)	---	1000
					Lead	TVS	TVS
					Lead(T)	50	---
					Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
					Mercury(T)	---	0.01
					Molybdenum(T)	---	150
					Nickel	TVS	TVS
					Nickel(T)	---	100
					Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout
sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 35.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #35 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

North Fork of the Gunnison River Basin

10. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to Roatcap Creek and Jay Creek from their sources to their confluences with the North Fork of the Gunnison River. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to Hubbard Creek, Terror Creek, Minnesota Creek, or Leroux Creek, and are not within national forest boundaries.							
COGUNF10	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation P Water Supply	Temperature °C	CL	CL	Arsenic	340	---
			acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	205	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>					Copper	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details.		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.			acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies*	varies*
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS	TVS

11. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the North Fork of the Gunnison River from its inception at the confluence of Muddy Creek and Anthracite Creek to the confluence with the Gunnison River, and not within national forest boundaries, except for the specific listings in Segments 7, 9, and 10. This segment includes Roeber Reservoir.							
COGUNF11	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
UP	Aq Life Warm 2 Recreation P Water Supply	Temperature °C	WL	WL	Arsenic	340	---
			acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Water + Fish Standards		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	205	Chromium III(T)	50	---
*Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details.		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.			acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 35.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #35 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

Uncompahgre River Basin

1. All tributaries to the Uncompahgre River, including all wetlands, which are within the Mt. Sheffels or Uncompahgre Wilderness Areas.							
COGUUN01	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
OW	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Qualifiers: Other: Temporary Modification(s): Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid Expiration Date of 12/31/2024 *Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
	Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS	
	Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
				Uranium	varies*	varies*	
				Zinc	TVS	TVS	

2. Mainstem of the Uncompahgre River from the source (Poughkeepsie Gulch) to a point immediately above the confluence with Red Mountain Creek.							
COGUUN02	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation P		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Qualifiers: Other: *Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	205	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
	Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS	
	Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
				Uranium	varies*	varies*	
				Zinc	TVS	TVS	

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 35.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #35 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

Uncompahgre River Basin

3c. Mainstem of the Uncompahgre River from a point immediately above the confluence with Dexter Creek to a point immediately below the confluence with Dallas Creek.							
COGUUN03C	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute		chronic	
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	Temperature °C	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Other:	Temporary Modification(s): Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid Expiration Date of 12/31/2024 *Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 35.5(4). *Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.	D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1793
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

3d. Mainstem of the Uncompahgre River from a point immediately below the confluence with Dallas Creek to the inlet of Ridgway Reservoir.							
COGUUN03D	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute		chronic	
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	Temperature °C	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Other:	Temporary Modification(s): Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid Expiration Date of 12/31/2024 *Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.	D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	2053
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout
sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 35.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #35 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

Uncompahgre River Basin

3e. Mainstem of the Uncompahgre River from the outlet of Ridgway Reservoir to a point immediately above the outlet of the South Canal near Uncompahgre.						
COGUUN03E	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT			
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	Temperature °C	CS-II*	CS-II* ^C	acute	chronic
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	Arsenic	340	---
Other:		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Arsenic(T)	---
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium	TVS
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50
					Chromium VI	TVS
					Copper	TVS
					Iron	---
					Iron(T)	---
					Lead	TVS
					Lead(T)	50
					Manganese	TVS
					Manganese(T)	TVS/WS
					Mercury(T)	---
					Mercury(T)	0.01
					Molybdenum(T)	---
					Molybdenum(T)	150
					Nickel	TVS
					Nickel(T)	---
					Nickel(T)	100
					Selenium	TVS
					Selenium	TVS
					Silver	TVS
					Silver	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*
					Uranium	varies*
					Zinc	TVS
					Zinc	TVS

3f. Mainstem of the Uncompahgre River from a point immediately above the outlet of the South Canal to a point immediately above the Highway 90 bridge in Montrose.						
COGUUN03F	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT			
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	Temperature °C	CS-II	CS-II	acute	chronic
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	Arsenic	340	---
Other:		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Arsenic(T)	---
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium	TVS
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50
					Chromium VI	TVS
					Copper	TVS
					Iron	---
					Iron(T)	---
					Lead	TVS
					Lead(T)	50
					Manganese	TVS
					Manganese	TVS/WS
					Mercury(T)	---
					Mercury(T)	0.01
					Molybdenum(T)	---
					Molybdenum(T)	150
					Nickel	TVS
					Nickel	TVS
					Nickel(T)	---
					Nickel(T)	100
					Selenium	TVS
					Selenium	TVS
					Silver	TVS
					Silver	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*
					Uranium	varies*
					Zinc	TVS
					Zinc	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout
sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 35.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #35 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Lower Gunnison Basin

10. Mainstem of the Smith Fork from the confluence of the North Smith Fork and South Smith Fork to the confluence with the Gunnison River.							
COGULG10	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS/TVS(sc)
*Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details.							
*Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.							
<p><u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u></p>							

11a. All tributaries to the Smith Fork, including all wetlands, which are within national forest boundaries except for specific listings in Segment 11b; Doug Creek from the source to the confluence with Muddy Creek.							
COGULG11A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details.							
*Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.							

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout
sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 35.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #35 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

San Miguel River Basin

4a. Mainstem of the San Miguel River from a point immediately above the confluence of the South Fork of the San Miguel River to a point immediately below the CC ditch.							
COGUSM04A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---	
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
Other:	<p style="color: red; margin: 0;">Temporary Modification(s):</p> <p style="color: red; margin: 0;">Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</p> <p style="color: red; margin: 0;">Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</p> <p style="margin: 0;">*Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details.</p> <p style="margin: 0;">*Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.</p>	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	
		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel(T)	---	
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	
					Uranium	varies*	
					Zinc	TVS	
						varies*	
4b. Mainstem of the San Miguel River from a point immediately below the CC ditch to a point immediately below the confluence of Naturita Creek.							
COGUSM04B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 1 Recreation E Water Supply	varies*	varies*	Arsenic	340	---	
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
Other:	<p style="margin: 0;">Temporary Modification(s):</p> <p style="margin: 0;">Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</p> <p style="margin: 0;">Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</p> <p style="margin: 0;">*Uranium(acute) = See 35.5(3) for details.</p> <p style="margin: 0;">*Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.</p> <p style="margin: 0;">*Temperature =</p> <p style="margin: 0;">DM=13 and MWAT=9 from 11/1-2/29</p> <p style="margin: 0;">DM=30.9 and MWAT=23.3 from 3/1-10/31</p>	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---	
		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel	TVS	
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	
					Silver	TVS	
					Uranium	varies*	
					Zinc	TVS	
						varies*	

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout
sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 35.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #35 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS San Miguel River Basin

5a. Mainstem of the San Miguel River from a point immediately below the confluence of Naturita Creek to a point immediately below the confluence of Coal Canyon.						
COGUSM05A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Warm 1 Recreation E Water Supply	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
Reviewable		acute	chronic			
Qualifiers:						
		Temperature °C	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic	340 ---
					Arsenic(T)	--- 0.02
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS TVS
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0 ---
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	TVS TVS
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	--- 100
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS TVS
		acute	chronic		Copper	TVS TVS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	--- WS
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	--- 1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50 ---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	--- 0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	--- 150
		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel	TVS TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	--- 100
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS TVS
					Silver	TVS TVS
					Uranium	TVS varies*
					Uranium(T)	--- 16.8-30 ^A
					Zinc	TVS TVS

Temporary Modification(s):
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024
 *Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.

5b. Mainstem of the San Miguel River from a point immediately below the confluence of Coal Canyon to its confluence with the Dolores River.						
COGUSM05B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Warm 1 Recreation E	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
Reviewable		acute	chronic			
Qualifiers:						
		Temperature °C	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic	340 ---
					Arsenic(T)	--- 7.6
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS TVS
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	TVS TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	--- 100
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS TVS
		acute	chronic		Iron(T)	--- 1000
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Manganese	TVS TVS
		Chloride	---	---	Mercury(T)	--- 0.01
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Molybdenum(T)	--- 150
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Nickel	TVS TVS
		Nitrate	100	---	Selenium	TVS TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Silver	TVS TVS
		Phosphorus	---	---	Uranium	TVS varies*
		Sulfate	---	---	Uranium(T)	--- 16.8-30 ^A
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS TVS

*Uranium(chronic) = See 35.5(3) for details.

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 35.6 for further details on applied standards.

STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS – FOOTNOTES

- (A) Whenever a range of standards is listed and referenced to this footnote, the first number in the range is a strictly health-based value, based on the Commission's established methodology for human health-based standards. The second number in the range is a maximum contaminant level, established under the federal Safe Drinking Water Act that has been determined to be an acceptable level of this chemical in public water supplies, taking treatability and laboratory detection limits into account. Control requirements, such as discharge permit effluent limitations, shall be established using the first number in the range as the ambient water quality target, provided that no effluent limitation shall require an "end-of-pipe" discharge level more restrictive than the second number in the range. Water bodies will be considered in attainment of this standard, and not included on the Section 303(d) List, so long as the existing ambient quality does not exceed the second number in the range.
- (B) Reserved.
- (C) For certain site-specific temperature standards, the temperature excursions listed in Table I - Footnote 5(c) of 31.16 do not apply. Assessment of ambient-based temperature standards should be conducted in a way that represents similar conditions to those under which the criteria were developed (i.e., air, low flow, and warming event excursions should not apply). Similarly, where site-specific adjustments to the winter shoulder season have been adopted, the winter shoulder season excursion does not apply.

36.50 STATEMENT OF BASIS, SPECIFIC STATUTORY AUTHORITY AND PURPOSE; OCTOBER 10, 2023 RULEMAKING; FINAL ACTION OCTOBER 10, 2023; EFFECTIVE DATE DECEMBER 31, 2023

The provisions of C.R.S. 25-8-202(1)(a), (b) and (2); 25-8-203; 25-8-204; and 25-8-402; provide the specific statutory authority for adoption of these regulatory amendments. The commission also adopted in compliance with 24-4-103(4) C.R.S. the following statement of basis and purpose.

BASIS AND PURPOSE

A. Site-specific Standards

[Placeholder: Statement of Basis and Purpose language to be provided by Rio Grande Silver]

B. Temporary Modifications

In April 2013 (36.33) and subsequent rulemaking hearings (36.39 and 36.42), the commission has adopted and extended temporary modifications for arsenic of “As(ch)=hybrid” (expiration date of 12/31/24) on many segments with the 0.02 µg/L Water + Fish numeric arsenic standard. The arsenic temporary modification recognizes existing and predicted compliance issues, instream nonattainment, and the uncertainty regarding the water quality standard necessary to protect current and/or future uses and the extent to which ambient concentrations of arsenic are natural or irreversible (31.7(3)). The division submitted a plan to resolve uncertainty in the 2019 Temporary Modifications rulemaking (36.44).

The division plans to propose revised standards for arsenic as soon as possible following updated toxicological information from EPA’s Integrated Risk Information System (IRIS) and completion of ongoing studies to better understand arsenic conditions in Colorado. Furthermore, per the conditions of the revised and extended temporary modification at 36.6(2)(c) (effective 6/30/2020 and expires 12/31/2024), and based on the widespread need to make progress to understand sources of arsenic and set forth processes for lowering arsenic in discharges, additional permit Terms and Conditions (T&Cs) are being implemented for facilities benefitting from the “current condition” temporary modification. These T&Cs may include requirements for additional monitoring, source identification, and characterization of source control and treatment options for reducing arsenic concentrations in effluent. The commission recognizes the need to resolve the uncertainty in the arsenic standards and ensure that human health is adequately protected.

The commission identified segments where an arsenic temporary modification had previously been inadvertently omitted. The commission adopted arsenic temporary modifications on the following segments:

Alamosa River/La Jara Creek/Conejos River: 12 (CORGal12)
Closed Basin-San Luis Valley River Basin: 13 (CORGCB13)

To remain consistent with the commission’s decisions regarding arsenic in section 36.33, all existing temporary modifications for arsenic of “As(ch)=hybrid” (expiration date of 12/31/24), with the exception of those listed below, were retained.

Where evidence indicated the requirements to qualify for a temporary modification were not met, temporary modifications were deleted. The commission deleted chronic arsenic temporary modifications (expiring 12/31/2024) on several segments due to a lack of evidence of a demonstrated or predicted water quality-based effluent limit compliance problem for these segments. These segments have all been designated as Outstanding Waters, have no CDPS permitted dischargers with WQBELs for arsenic, and

are without dischargers on upstream segments who may receive WQBELs based on protection of downstream uses. Temporary modifications for arsenic were deleted from the following segments:

Rio Grande: 1 (CORGRG01)

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**REGULATION NO. 36
CLASSIFICATIONS AND NUMERIC STANDARDS
FOR
RIO GRANDE BASIN**

**APPENDIX 36-1
Stream Classifications and Water Quality Standards Tables**

Effective ~~06/14/2023~~ 12/31/2023

Abbreviations and Acronyms

Aq	=	Aquatic
°C	=	degrees Celsius
CL	=	cold lake temperature tier
CLL	=	cold large lake temperature tier
CS-I	=	cold stream temperature tier one
CS-II	=	cold stream temperature tier two
D.O.	=	dissolved oxygen
DM	=	daily maximum temperature
DUWS	=	direct use water supply
E. coli	=	<i>Escherichia coli</i>
EQ	=	existing quality
mg/L	=	milligrams per liter
mg/m ²	=	milligrams per square meter
mL	=	milliliter
MWAT	=	maximum weekly average temperature
OW	=	outstanding waters
SSE	=	site-specific equation
T	=	total recoverable
t	=	total
tr	=	trout
TVS	=	table value standard
µg/L	=	micrograms per liter
UP	=	use-protected
WS	=	water supply
WS-I	=	warm stream temperature tier one
WS-II	=	warm stream temperature tier two
WS-III	=	warm stream temperature tier three
WL	=	warm lake temperature tier

REGULATION #36 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

Rio Grande Basin

1. All tributaries to the Rio Grande, including all wetlands, within the Weminuche Wilderness Area.							
CORGRG01	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
OW	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
*Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 36.5(4).		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
*Uranium(acute) = See 36.5(3) for details.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
*Uranium(chronic) = See 36.5(3) for details.		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

2. Mainstem of the Rio Grande, including all tributaries and wetlands, from the source to a point immediately above the confluence with Willow Creek, excluding the listings in segments 1 and 3.							
CORGRG02	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
*Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 36.5(4).		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
*Uranium(acute) = See 36.5(3) for details.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
*Uranium(chronic) = See 36.5(3) for details.		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 36.6 for further details on applied standards.

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Alamosa River/La Jara Creek/Conejos River Basins

12. Mainstem of La Jara Creek from immediately above the confluence with Hot Creek to the confluence with the Rio Grande.							
CORGAL12	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute chronic			
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 2 Water Supply Recreation E	WS-II	WS-II	Temperature °C	Arsenic	340	---
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	D.O. (mg/L)	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Water + Fish Standards Apply		---	5.0	pH	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Other:		6.5 - 9.0	---	chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Temporary Modification(s):		---	TVS	E. coli (per 100 mL)	Chromium III	---	TVS
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium III(T)	50	---
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024		acute	chronic	Ammonia	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Discharger Specific Variance(s):		TVS	TVS	Boron	Copper	TVS	TVS
Nitrate(acute) = See Section 36.6(6)		---	0.75	Chloride	Iron	---	WS
for details on the variance for the Town		---	250	Chlorine	Iron(T)	---	1000
of La Jara.		0.019	0.011	Cyanide	Lead	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2025		0.005	---	Nitrate	Lead(T)	50	---
*Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the		10	---	Nitrite	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
facilities listed at 36.5(4).		---	0.05	Phosphorus	Manganese(T)	---	200
Uranium(acute) = See 36.5(3) for details.		---	TVS	Sulfate	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
*Uranium(chronic) = See 36.5(3) for details.		---	WS	Sulfide	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		---	0.002		Nickel	TVS	TVS
		---	0.002		Nickel(T)	---	100
		---	0.002		Selenium	TVS	TVS
		---	0.002		Silver	TVS	TVS
		---	0.002		Uranium	varies*	varies*
		---	0.002		Zinc	TVS	TVS

13. Mainstem of Hot Creek from the source to the confluence with La Jara Creek.							
CORGAL13	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute chronic			
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	CS-II	CS-II	Temperature °C	Arsenic	340	---
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	D.O. (mg/L)	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Other:		---	6.0	D.O. (spawning)	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		---	7.0	pH	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		6.5 - 9.0	---	chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	Chromium III	---	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024		---	TVS	E. coli (per 100 mL)	Chromium III(T)	50	---
*Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the		---	126		Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
facilities listed at 36.5(4).		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 36.5(3) for details.		acute	chronic	Ammonia	Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 36.5(3) for details.		TVS	TVS	Boron	Iron(T)	---	1000
		---	0.75	Chloride	Lead	TVS	TVS
		---	250	Chlorine	Lead(T)	50	---
		0.019	0.011	Cyanide	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		0.005	---	Nitrate	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		10	---	Nitrite	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		---	0.05	Phosphorus	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		---	TVS*	Sulfate	Nickel(T)	---	100
		---	WS	Sulfide	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		---	0.002		Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		---	0.002		Uranium	varies*	varies*
		---	0.002		Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 36.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #36 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

Closed Basin-San Luis Valley River Basin

12c. Mainstem of Saguache Creek, including all tributaries and wetlands, from a point just below the confluence with Ford Creek to Hwy 285.							
CORGCB12C	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	Temperature °C	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---
			acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:	Temporary Modification(s): Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid Expiration Date of 12/31/2024 *Uranium(acute) = See 36.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 36.5(3) for details.	pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
			Inorganic (mg/L)		Copper	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

13. Mainstem of Saguache Creek from Hwy 285 to the confluence with San Luis Creek. Mainstem of Russell Creek from its source at Russell Springs to the confluence with La Garita Creek. Mainstem of Cottonwood Creek downstream of the Rio Grande National Forest Boundary.

CORGCB13	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
UP	Aq Life Warm 2 Recreation E Water Supply	Temperature °C	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic	340	---
			acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Water + Fish Standards Apply		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:	<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Uranium(acute) = See 36.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 36.5(3) for details.	E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
			Inorganic (mg/L)		Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 36.6 for further details on applied standards.

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- (A) Whenever a range of standards is listed and referenced to this footnote, the first number in the range is a strictly health-based value, based on the Commission's established methodology for human health-based standards. The second number in the range is a maximum contaminant level, established under the federal Safe Drinking Water Act that has been determined to be an acceptable level of this chemical in public water supplies, taking treatability and laboratory detection limits into account. Control requirements, such as discharge permit effluent limitations, shall be established using the first number in the range as the ambient water quality target, provided that no effluent limitation shall require an "end-of-pipe" discharge level more restrictive than the second number in the range. Water bodies will be considered in attainment of this standard, and not included on the Section 303(d) List, so long as the existing ambient quality does not exceed the second number in the range.
- (B) Reserved.
- (C) For certain site-specific temperature standards, the temperature excursions listed in Table I - Footnote 5(c) of 31.16 do not apply. Assessment of ambient-based temperature standards should be conducted in a way that represents similar conditions to those under which the criteria were developed (i.e., air, low flow, and warming event excursions should not apply). Similarly, where site-specific adjustments to the winter shoulder season have been adopted, the winter shoulder season excursion does not apply.

37.47 STATEMENT OF BASIS, SPECIFIC STATUTORY AUTHORITY AND PURPOSE; OCTOBER 10, 2023 RULEMAKING; FINAL ACTION OCTOBER 10, 2023; EFFECTIVE DATE DECEMBER 31, 2023

The provisions of C.R.S. 25-8-202(1)(a), (b) and (2); 25-8-203; 25-8-204; and 25-8-402; provide the specific statutory authority for adoption of these regulatory amendments. The commission also adopted in compliance with 24-4-103(4) C.R.S. the following statement of basis and purpose.

BASIS AND PURPOSE

In April 2013 (37.31) and subsequent rulemaking hearings (37.33, 37.37, and 37.40), the commission has adopted and extended temporary modifications for arsenic of “As(ch)=hybrid” (expiration date of 12/31/24) on many segments with the 0.02 µg/L Water + Fish numeric arsenic standard. The arsenic temporary modification recognizes existing and predicted compliance issues, instream nonattainment, and the uncertainty regarding the water quality standard necessary to protect current and/or future uses and the extent to which ambient concentrations of arsenic are natural or irreversible (31.7(3)). The division submitted a plan to resolve uncertainty in the 2019 Temporary Modifications rulemaking (37.41(B)).

The division plans to propose revised standards for arsenic as soon as possible following updated toxicological information from EPA’s Integrated Risk Information System (IRIS) and completion of ongoing studies to better understand arsenic conditions in Colorado. Furthermore, per the conditions of the revised and extended temporary modification at 37.6(2)(c) (effective 6/30/2020 and expires 12/31/2024), and based on the widespread need to make progress to understand sources of arsenic and set forth processes for lowering arsenic in discharges, additional permit Terms and Conditions (T&Cs) are being implemented for facilities benefitting from the “current condition” temporary modification. These T&Cs may include requirements for additional monitoring, source identification, and characterization of source control and treatment options for reducing arsenic concentrations in effluent. The commission recognizes the need to resolve the uncertainty in the arsenic standards and ensure that human health is adequately protected.

The commission identified segments where an arsenic temporary modification had previously been inadvertently omitted. The commission adopted arsenic temporary modifications on the following segments:

Lower Yampa River/Green River: 19a (COLCYA19a) and 27 (COLCLY27)
White River: 3 (COLCWH03), 6 (COLCWH06), and 11 (COLCWH11)
Lower Colorado River: 20 (COLCLC20)

To remain consistent with the commission’s decisions regarding arsenic in section 37.31, all existing temporary modifications for arsenic of “As(ch)=hybrid” (expiration date of 12/31/24), with the exception of those listed below, were retained.

Where evidence indicated the requirements to qualify for a temporary modification were not met, temporary modifications were deleted. The commission deleted chronic arsenic temporary modifications (expiring 12/31/2024) on several segments due to a lack of evidence of a demonstrated or predicted water quality-based effluent limit compliance problem for these segments. These segments have all been designated as Outstanding Waters, have no CDPS permitted dischargers with WQBELs for arsenic, and are without dischargers on upstream segments who may receive WQBELs based on protection of downstream uses. Temporary modifications for arsenic were deleted from the following segments:

Lower Yampa River/Green River: 12c (COLCYA12c)
White River: 4b (COLCWH04b)

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FOR
LOWER COLORADO RIVER BASIN**

**APPENDIX 37-1
Stream Classifications and Water Quality Standards Tables**

Effective ~~06/14/2023~~12/31/2023

Abbreviations and Acronyms

Aq	=	Aquatic
°C	=	degrees Celsius
CL	=	cold lake temperature tier
CLL	=	cold large lake temperature tier
CS-I	=	cold stream temperature tier one
CS-II	=	cold stream temperature tier two
D.O.	=	dissolved oxygen
DM	=	daily maximum temperature
DUWS	=	direct use water supply
E. coli	=	<i>Escherichia coli</i>
mg/L	=	milligrams per liter
mg/m ²	=	milligrams per square meter
mL	=	milliliter
MWAT	=	maximum weekly average temperature
OW	=	outstanding waters
sc	=	sculpin
SSE	=	site-specific equation
T	=	total recoverable
t	=	total
tr	=	trout
TVS	=	table value standard
µg/L	=	micrograms per liter
UP	=	use-protected
WS	=	water supply
WS-I	=	warm stream temperature tier one
WS-II	=	warm stream temperature tier two
WS-III	=	warm stream temperature tier three
WL	=	warm lake temperature tier

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Lower Yampa/Green River

12c. Mainstem of Beaver Creek, including all wetlands and tributaries, which are within the Routt National Forest.					
COLCLY12C	Classifications	Physical and Biological		Metals (ug/L)	
Designation		DM	MWAT	acute	chronic
OW	Agriculture				
	Aq Life Cold 1	CS-I	CS-I	340	---
	Recreation P	acute	chronic	---	0.02
	Water Supply	---	6.0	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		---	7.0	5.0	---
Other:		6.5 - 9.0	---	---	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		---	TVS	50	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		---	205	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024				TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 37.5(3) for details.		Inorganic (mg/L)		---	WS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 37.5(3) for details.		acute	chronic	---	1000
	Ammonia	TVS	TVS	TVS	TVS
	Boron	---	0.75	50	---
	Chloride	---	250	TVS	TVS/WS
	Chlorine	0.019	0.011	---	0.01
	Cyanide	0.005	---	---	150
	Nitrate	10	---	TVS	TVS
	Nitrite	---	0.05	---	100
	Phosphorus	---	TVS	TVS	TVS
	Sulfate	---	WS	TVS	TVS(tr)
	Sulfide	---	0.002	varies*	varies*
				TVS	TVS

13a. Mainstem of the Williams Fork River from the confluence of the East Fork and South Fork to below the confluence with Morapos Creek.					
COLCLY13A	Classifications	Physical and Biological		Metals (ug/L)	
Designation		DM	MWAT	acute	chronic
Reviewable	Agriculture				
	Aq Life Cold 2	CS-II	CS-II	340	---
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	---	0.02-10 ^A
	Water Supply	---	6.0	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		---	7.0	5.0	---
Other:		6.5 - 9.0	---	---	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		---	TVS	50	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		---	126	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024				TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 37.5(3) for details.		Inorganic (mg/L)		---	WS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 37.5(3) for details.		acute	chronic	---	1000
	Ammonia	TVS	TVS	TVS	TVS
	Boron	---	0.75	50	---
	Chloride	---	250	TVS	TVS/WS
	Chlorine	0.019	0.011	---	0.01
	Cyanide	0.005	---	---	150
	Nitrate	10	---	TVS	TVS
	Nitrite	---	0.05	---	100
	Phosphorus	---	TVS	TVS	TVS
	Sulfate	---	WS	TVS	TVS(tr)
	Sulfide	---	0.002	varies*	varies*
				TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout
sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 37.6 for further details on applied standards.

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Lower Yampa/Green River

19a. Mainstem of the Green River within Colorado (Moffat County) from its entry at the Utah/Colorado border to a point just above the confluence with the Yampa River.							
COLCLY19A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Water Supply		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<p><u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u></p> <p>*Uranium(acute) = See 37.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 37.5(3) for details.</p>		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

19b. Mainstem of the Green River within Colorado (Moffat County) from a point just above the confluence with the Yampa River to its exit at the Utah/Colorado border.							
COLCLY19B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 1	Temperature °C	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Water Supply		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Qualifiers:		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<p>*Uranium(acute) = See 37.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 37.5(3) for details.</p>		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 37.6 for further details on applied standards.

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27. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to Milk Creek from Thornburgh (County Rd 15) to the confluence with the Yampa River, including Wilson Reservoir.							
COLCLY27	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Warm 1 Recreation U Water Supply	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable		WL	WL	Arsenic	340	---	
		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS	
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 37.5(3) for details.							
*Uranium(chronic) = See 37.5(3) for details.							

28. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the East Fork of the Williams Fork River, within the boundaries of the Flat Tops Wilderness Area.							
COLCLY28	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
OW		CL	CL	Arsenic	340	---	
		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout
sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 37.6 for further details on applied standards.

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White River

3. Mainstem of the North Fork of the White River and mainstem of the White River from the Flat Tops Wilderness Area boundary to a point immediately above the confluence with Miller Creek.						
COLCWH03	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
Reviewable		acute	chronic	acute	chronic	
		Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340 ---
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Arsenic(T)	--- 0.02
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium	TVS TVS
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0 ---
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Uranium(acute) = See 37.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 37.5(3) for details.		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	--- TVS
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50 ---
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS TVS
					Copper	TVS TVS
					Iron	--- WS
					Iron(T)	--- 1000
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50 ---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	--- 0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	--- 150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	--- 100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS TVS(tr)
	Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies* varies*	
				Zinc	TVS TVS/TVS(sc)	

4a. All tributaries to the North Fork White River, including all wetlands, from the Flat Tops Wilderness Area boundary to the confluence with the South Fork White River, except for listings in Segment 1 and 4b.						
COLCWH04A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
Reviewable		acute	chronic	acute	chronic	
		Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340 ---
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Arsenic(T)	--- 0.02
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium	TVS TVS
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0 ---
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *Uranium(acute) = See 37.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 37.5(3) for details.		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	--- TVS
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50 ---
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS TVS
					Copper	TVS TVS
					Iron	--- WS
					Iron(T)	--- 1000
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50 ---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	--- 0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	--- 150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	--- 100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS TVS(tr)
	Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies* varies*	
				Zinc	TVS TVS	

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout
 sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 37.6 for further details on applied standards.

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White River

4b. Lost Creek, including tributaries and wetlands, from the source to the confluence with the North Fork White River. Snell Creek, including all wetlands and tributaries, from the source to the confluence with the North Fork White River.

COLCWH04B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)						
Designation		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic					
OW	Agriculture										
	Aq Life Cold 1	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---					
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02					
	Water Supply			Cadmium	TVS	TVS					
Qualifiers:				D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0					
Other:				D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0					
<p style="color: red; margin: 0;">Temporary Modification(s):</p> <p style="color: red; margin: 0;">Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</p> <p style="color: red; margin: 0;">Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</p> <p style="margin: 0;">*Uranium(acute) = See 37.5(3) for details.</p> <p style="margin: 0;">*Uranium(chronic) = See 37.5(3) for details.</p>				pH	6.5 - 9.0	---					
				chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS		
				E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---		
		Inorganic (mg/L)					Chromium VI	TVS	TVS		
							Copper	TVS	TVS		
							Iron	---	WS		
							Iron(T)	---	1000		
						Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
						Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
						Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
						Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
						Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
						Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
						Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
						Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
				Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)		
				Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	varies*		
							Zinc	TVS	TVS		

5. Deleted.

COLCWH05	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
Qualifiers:					acute	chronic	
Other:							
				Inorganic (mg/L)			
					acute	chronic	

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout
sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 37.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #37 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS White River

6. Mainstem of the South Fork White River, including all tributaries and wetlands, that is not within the boundary of the Flat Tops Wilderness to the confluence with the North Fork White River.						
COLCWH06	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Other:		---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)		Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS
		TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
				Uranium	varies*	varies*
				Zinc	TVS	TVS/TVS(sc)
*Uranium(acute) = See 37.5(3) for details.						
*Uranium(chronic) = See 37.5(3) for details.						
<p style="color: red; margin: 0;">Temporary Modification(s):</p> <p style="color: red; margin: 0;">Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</p> <p style="color: red; margin: 0;">Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</p>						

7. Mainstem of the White River from a point immediately above the confluence with Miller Creek to a point immediately above the confluence with Piceance Creek.						
COLCWH07	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Recreation P Water Supply	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Other:		---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		3/2 - 11/30	---	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		12/1 - 3/1	---	205	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)		Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS
		TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		---	TVS*	Nickel(T)	---	100
		---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
				Uranium	varies*	varies*
				Zinc	TVS	TVS
*Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 37.5(4).						
*Uranium(acute) = See 37.5(3) for details.						
*Uranium(chronic) = See 37.5(3) for details.						
<p style="margin: 0;">Temporary Modification(s):</p> <p style="margin: 0;">Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</p> <p style="margin: 0;">Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</p>						

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout
sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 37.6 for further details on applied standards.

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White River

10b. Mainstem of Big Beaver Creek, Miller Creek, and North Elk Creek, including their tributaries and wetlands, from their boundary with National Forest lands to their confluences with the White River. Mainstem of Coal Creek, including all tributaries and wetlands, from the source to the confluence with the White River.											
COLCWH10B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)						
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute chronic							
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation P Water Supply	acute	chronic	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---		
Qualifiers:	D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02		
Other:	pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS		
Temporary Modification(s): Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid Expiration Date of 12/31/2024	E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	205	Chromium III(T)	50	---	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS		
*Uranium(acute) = See 37.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 37.5(3) for details.	Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS		
	acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000	Lead	TVS	TVS	Lead(T)	50	---
	Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS	Mercury(T)	---	0.01		
	Boron	---	0.75	Molybdenum(T)	---	150	Nickel	TVS	TVS		
	Chloride	---	250	Nickel(T)	---	100	Selenium	TVS	TVS		
	Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	Uranium	varies*	varies*		
	Cyanide	0.005	---	Sulfate	---	WS	Zinc	TVS	TVS		
	Nitrate	10	---	Sulfide	---	0.002					
	Nitrite	---	0.05								
	Phosphorus	---	TVS								
	Sulfate	---	WS								
	Sulfide	---	0.002								

11. Rio Blanco Lake and Taylor Draw Reservoir (a.k.a. Kenney Reservoir).											
COLCWH11	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)						
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute chronic							
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 1 Recreation E Water Supply DUWS*	acute	chronic	Temperature °C	WL	WL	Arsenic	340	---		
Qualifiers:	pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02		
Other:	chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	DUWS	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS		
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>	chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---		
*Classification: DUWS applies to Kenney Reservoir. *Uranium(acute) = See 37.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 37.5(3) for details.	Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium III	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---		
	acute	chronic	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	Copper	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
	Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000	Lead	TVS	TVS		
	Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS		
	Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS	Mercury(T)	---	0.01		
	Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01	Molybdenum(T)	---	150		
	Cyanide	0.005	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100		
	Nitrate	10	---	Nickel(T)	---	100	Selenium	TVS	TVS		
	Nitrite	---	0.05	Selenium	TVS	TVS	Silver	TVS	TVS		
	Nitrogen	---	TVS	Silver	TVS	TVS	Uranium	varies*	varies*		
	Phosphorus	---	TVS	Sulfate	---	WS	Zinc	TVS	TVS		
	Sulfate	---	WS	Sulfide	---	0.002					
	Sulfide	---	0.002								

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout
sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
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Lower Colorado River

20. Rifle Gap Reservoir, Harvey Gap Reservoir, and Vega Reservoir.							
COLCLC20	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	Metals (ug/L)			
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	varies*	varies* ^B	acute	chronic		
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	Arsenic	340	---	
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

21. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to Roan Creek from the source to a point just below the confluence with Clear Creek. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to Rapid Creek from the source to the confluence with the Colorado River. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the Little Dolores River from the source to a point immediately below the confluence with Hay Press Creek. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to Plateau Creek and within the Grand Mesa National Forest.

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COLCLC21	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	Metals (ug/L)			
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	CL	CL	acute	chronic		
	Recreation U	acute	chronic	Arsenic	340	---	
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	DUWS*	D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	DUWS	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout
sc = sculpin

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 37.6 for further details on applied standards.

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- (A) Whenever a range of standards is listed and referenced to this footnote, the first number in the range is a strictly health-based value, based on the Commission's established methodology for human health-based standards. The second number in the range is a maximum contaminant level, established under the federal Safe Drinking Water Act that has been determined to be an acceptable level of this chemical in public water supplies, taking treatability and laboratory detection limits into account. Control requirements, such as discharge permit effluent limitations, shall be established using the first number in the range as the ambient water quality target, provided that no effluent limitation shall require an "end-of-pipe" discharge level more restrictive than the second number in the range. Water bodies will be considered in attainment of this standard, and not included on the Section 303(d) List, so long as the existing ambient quality does not exceed the second number in the range.

- (B) Assessment of adequate refuge shall rely on the Cold Large Lake table value temperature criterion and applicable dissolved oxygen standard rather than the site-specific temperature standard.

38.107 STATEMENT OF BASIS, SPECIFIC STATUTORY AUTHORITY AND PURPOSE; OCTOBER 10, 2023 RULEMAKING; FINAL ACTION OCTOBER 10, 2023; EFFECTIVE DATE DECEMBER 31, 2023

The provisions of C.R.S. 25-8-202(1)(a), (b) and (2); 25-8-203; 25-8-204; and 25-8-402; provide the specific statutory authority for adoption of these regulatory amendments. The commission also adopted in compliance with 24-4-103(4) C.R.S. the following statement of basis and purpose.

BASIS AND PURPOSE

In April 2013 (38.85) and subsequent rulemaking hearings (38.90, 38.94, 38.95, 38.97, and 38.101), the commission has adopted and extended temporary modifications for arsenic of “As(ch)=hybrid” (expiration date of 12/31/24) on many segments with the 0.02 µg/L Water + Fish numeric arsenic standard. The arsenic temporary modification recognizes existing and predicted compliance issues, instream nonattainment, and the uncertainty regarding the water quality standard necessary to protect current and/or future uses and the extent to which ambient concentrations of arsenic are natural or irreversible (31.7(3)). The division submitted a plan to resolve uncertainty in the 2019 Temporary Modifications rulemaking (38.99(B)).

The division plans to propose revised standards for arsenic as soon as possible following updated toxicological information from EPA’s Integrated Risk Information System (IRIS) and completion of ongoing studies to better understand arsenic conditions in Colorado. Furthermore, per the conditions of the revised and extended temporary modification at 38.6(2)(c) (effective 6/30/2020 and expires 12/31/2024), and based on the widespread need to make progress to understand sources of arsenic and set forth processes for lowering arsenic in discharges, additional permit Terms and Conditions (T&Cs) are being implemented for facilities benefitting from the “current condition” temporary modification. These T&Cs may include requirements for additional monitoring, source identification, and characterization of source control and treatment options for reducing arsenic concentrations in effluent. The commission recognizes the need to resolve the uncertainty in the arsenic standards and ensure that human health is adequately protected.

The commission identified segments where an arsenic temporary modification had previously been inadvertently omitted. The commission adopted arsenic temporary modifications on the following segments:

- Upper South Platte River: 6b (COSPUS06b)
- Bear Creek: 1d (COSPBE01d) and 9 (COSPBE09)
- Clear Creek: 9b (COSPCL09b), 17a (COSPCL17a), and 23 (COSPCL23)
- Big Dry Creek: 7 (COSPBD07)
- St. Vrain Creek: 11 (COSPSV11)
- Middle South Platte River: 8 (COSPMS08)
- Big Thompson River: 19 (COSPBT19)
- Cache La Poudre River: 14 (COSPCP14), 15 (COSPCP15), 19 (COSPCP19), and 20 (COSPCP20)
- Lower South Platte River: 4 (COSPLS04)
- Republican River: 8 (COSPRE08)

To remain consistent with the commission’s decisions regarding arsenic in section 38.85, all existing temporary modifications for arsenic of “As(ch)=hybrid” (expiration date of 12/31/24), with the exception of those listed below, were retained.

Where evidence indicated the requirements to qualify for a temporary modification were not met, temporary modifications were deleted. The commission deleted chronic arsenic temporary modifications

(expiring 12/31/2024) on several segments due to a lack of evidence of a demonstrated or predicted water quality-based effluent limit compliance problem for these segments. These segments have all been designated as Outstanding Waters, have no CDPS permitted dischargers with WQBELs for arsenic, and are without dischargers on upstream segments who may receive WQBELs based on protection of downstream uses. Temporary modifications for arsenic were deleted from the following segments:

Boulder Creek: 1 (COSPBO01)
St. Vrain Creek: 1 (COSPSV01)
Laramie River: 1 (COSPLA01)

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FOR
SOUTH PLATTE RIVER BASIN, LARAMIE RIVER BASIN
REPUBLICAN RIVER BASIN, SMOKY HILL RIVER BASIN**

**APPENDIX 38-1
Stream Classifications and Water Quality Standards Tables**

Effective ~~06/14/2023~~ 12/31/2023

Abbreviations and Acronyms

Aq	=	Aquatic
°C	=	degrees Celsius
CL	=	cold lake temperature tier
CLL	=	cold large lake temperature tier
CS-I	=	cold stream temperature tier one
CS-II	=	cold stream temperature tier two
D.O.	=	dissolved oxygen
DM	=	daily maximum temperature
DUWS	=	direct use water supply
E. coli	=	<i>Escherichia coli</i>
EQ	=	existing quality
mg/L	=	milligrams per liter
mg/m ²	=	milligrams per square meter
mL	=	milliliter
MWAT	=	maximum weekly average temperature
OW	=	outstanding waters
SSE	=	site-specific equation
T	=	total recoverable
t	=	total
tr	=	trout
TVS	=	table value standard
µg/L	=	micrograms per liter
UP	=	use-protected
WS	=	water supply
WS-I	=	warm stream temperature tier one
WS-II	=	warm stream temperature tier two
WS-III	=	warm stream temperature tier three
WL	=	warm lake temperature tier

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Upper South Platte River Basin

6b. Chatfield Reservoir						
COSPUS06B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	Metals (ug/L)		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	acute	chronic	acute	chronic	
Qualifiers: Other: <u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> <u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u> <u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u> *chlorophyll a (ug/L)(chronic) = measured through samples that are representative of the mixed layer during July-Sept, with an allowable exceedance frequency of 1in 5 yrs. See section 38.6(4) for assessment thresholds. *Phosphorus(chronic) = See section 38.6(4) for assessment thresholds. *Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details. *Temperature = DM=CLL and MWAT=CLL from 1/1-3/31 DM=CLL and MWAT=23.5 from 4/1-12/31	Temperature °C	varies*	varies*	Arsenic	340	---
	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
	pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
	chlorophyll a (ug/L) 7/1 - 9/30	---	10*	Chromium III	---	TVS
	E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
	Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
				Copper	TVS	TVS
				Iron	---	WS
				Iron(T)	---	1000
				Lead	TVS	TVS
				Lead(T)	50	---
				Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
				Mercury(T)	---	0.01
				Molybdenum(T)	---	150
			Nickel	TVS	TVS	
			Nickel(T)	---	100	
			Selenium	TVS	TVS	
			Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
			Uranium	varies*	varies*	
			Zinc	TVS	TVS	

7. All tributaries to the South Platte River, including all wetlands from a point immediately below the confluence with the North Fork of the South Platte River to the outlet of Chatfield Reservoir except for listings in Segments 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13.

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COSPUS07	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	Metals (ug/L)		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 2 Recreation E Water Supply	acute	chronic	acute	chronic	
Qualifiers: Other: *Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.	Temperature °C	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---
	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02-10 ^A
	D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
	pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
	chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
	E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
	Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
				Copper	TVS	TVS
				Iron	---	WS
				Iron(T)	---	1000
				Lead	TVS	TVS
				Lead(T)	50	---
				Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
				Mercury(T)	---	0.01
				Molybdenum(T)	---	150
			Nickel	TVS	TVS	
			Nickel(T)	---	100	
			Selenium	TVS	TVS	
			Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
			Uranium	varies*	varies*	
			Zinc	TVS	TVS	

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
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 t = total
 tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
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Bear Creek Basin

1c. Bear Creek Reservoir.								
COSPBE01C	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)			
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	varies*	varies*	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---	
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS	
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	7/1 - 9/30	---	12.2*	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS	
			acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS	
*chlorophyll a (ug/L)(chronic) = mean concentration measured through collection of samples that are representative of the mixed layer during summer months (July, August, September) and with an exceedance frequency of once in five years.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000	
*Phosphorus(chronic) = mean concentration measured through collection of samples that are representative of the mixed layer during summer months (July, August, September) and with an exceedance frequency of once in five years.		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS	
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---	
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS	
*Temperature =		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01	
DM=CLL and MWAT=CLL from 1/1-3/31		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150	
DM=CLL and MWAT= 23.3 from 4/1-12/31		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS	
		Phosphorus	7/1 - 9/30	---	22.2*	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS	
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
					Uranium	varies*	varies*	
					Zinc	TVS	TVS	
1d. Evergreen Lake.								
COSPBE01D	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)			
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CLL	CLL	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
	DUWS	D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---	
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS	
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	DUWS	Chromium III(T)	50	---	
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Copper	TVS	TVS	
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS	
			acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000	
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS	
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---	
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS	
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01	
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150	
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS	
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100	
		Nitrogen	---	---	Selenium	TVS	TVS	
		Phosphorus	---	---	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
		Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies*	varies*	
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS	TVS	

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 38.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #38 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Bear Creek Basin

8. Lakes and reservoirs in the Bear Creek system from the sources to the boundary of the Mt. Evans Wilderness area.							
COSPBE08	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
OW		CL	CL	Temperature °C	340	---	
		acute	chronic				
		---	6.0	D.O. (mg/L)	TVS	TVS	
		---	7.0	D.O. (spawning)	5.0	---	
		6.5 - 9.0	---	pH	---	TVS	
		---	TVS	chlorophyll a (ug/L)	50	---	
		---	126	E. coli (per 100 mL)	TVS	TVS	
		Inorganic (mg/L)					
		acute	chronic				
		TVS	TVS	Ammonia	---	1000	
		---	0.75	Boron	TVS	TVS	
		---	250	Chloride	50	---	
		0.019	0.011	Chlorine	TVS	TVS/WS	
		0.005	---	Cyanide	---	0.01	
		10	---	Nitrate	---	150	
		---	0.05	Nitrite	TVS	TVS	
		---	TVS	Nitrogen	---	100	
		---	TVS	Phosphorus	TVS	TVS	
		---	WS	Sulfate	varies*	varies*	
		---	0.002	Sulfide	TVS	TVS	
				Copper	TVS	TVS	
				Iron	---	WS	
				Iron(T)	---	1000	
				Lead	TVS	TVS	
				Lead(T)	50	---	
				Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS	
				Mercury(T)	---	0.01	
				Molybdenum(T)	---	150	
				Nickel	TVS	TVS	
				Nickel(T)	---	100	
				Selenium	TVS	TVS	
				Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
				Uranium	varies*	varies*	
				Zinc	TVS	TVS	

9. Lakes and reservoirs in the Bear Creek system from the boundary of the Mt. Evans Wilderness area to the inlet of Evergreen Lake; includes Summit Lake.							
COSPBE09	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
Reviewable		CL	CL	Temperature °C	340	---	
		acute	chronic				
		---	6.0	D.O. (mg/L)	---	0.02	
		---	7.0	D.O. (spawning)	TVS	TVS	
		6.5 - 9.0	---	pH	5.0	---	
		---	TVS	chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	
		---	126	E. coli (per 100 mL)	TVS	TVS	
		Inorganic (mg/L)					
		acute	chronic				
		TVS	TVS	Ammonia	---	1000	
		---	0.75	Boron	TVS	TVS	
		---	250	Chloride	50	---	
		0.019	0.011	Chlorine	TVS	TVS/WS	
		0.005	---	Cyanide	---	0.01	
		10	---	Nitrate	---	150	
		---	0.05	Nitrite	TVS	TVS	
		---	TVS*	Nitrogen	---	100	
		---	TVS*	Phosphorus	TVS	TVS	
		---	WS	Sulfate	varies*	varies*	
		---	0.002	Sulfide	TVS	TVS	
				Copper	TVS	TVS	
				Iron	---	WS	
				Iron(T)	---	1000	
				Lead	TVS	TVS	
				Lead(T)	50	---	
				Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS	
				Mercury(T)	---	0.01	
				Molybdenum(T)	---	150	
				Nickel	TVS	TVS	
				Nickel(T)	---	100	
				Selenium	TVS	TVS	
				Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
				Uranium	varies*	varies*	
				Zinc	TVS	TVS	

Qualifiers:

Other:

*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.
 *Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.

Temporary Modification(s):
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024

*Nitrogen(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 38.5(4).
 *Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 38.5(4).
 *Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.
 *Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 38.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #38 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

Clear Creek Basin

9a. Mainstem of Fall River, including all tributaries and wetlands, from the source to the confluence with Clear Creek.						
COSPCL09A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation Agriculture Reviewable* Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply			DM	MWAT		
		Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I		
Qualifiers:			acute	chronic		
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0		
Other:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0		
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---		
Temporary Modification(s): Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid Expiration Date of 12/31/2024 *Designation: 9/30/00 Baseline does not apply *Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 38.5(4). *Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS		
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126		
		Inorganic (mg/L)				
			acute	chronic		
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS		
		Boron	---	0.75		
		Chloride	---	250		
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011		
		Cyanide	0.005	---		
		Nitrate	10	---		
		Nitrite	---	0.05		
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*		
		Sulfate	---	WS		
		Sulfide	---	0.002		
					Iron	WS
					Iron(T)	1000
					Lead	TVS
					Lead(T)	---
					Manganese	TVS/WS
					Mercury(T)	---
					Mercury(T)	0.01
					Molybdenum(T)	150
					Nickel	TVS
					Nickel(T)	100
					Selenium	TVS
					Silver	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*
					Zinc	TVS

9b. Mainstem of Trail Creek, including all tributaries and wetlands from the source to the confluence with Clear Creek.						
COSPCL09B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation Agriculture Reviewable* Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply			DM	MWAT		
		Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I		
Qualifiers:			acute	chronic		
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0		
Other:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0		
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---		
Temporary Modification(s): Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid Expiration Date of 12/31/2024 *Designation: 9/30/00 Baseline does not apply *Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS		
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126		
		Inorganic (mg/L)				
			acute	chronic		
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS		
		Boron	---	0.75		
		Chloride	---	250		
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011		
		Cyanide	0.005	---		
		Nitrate	10	---		
		Nitrite	---	0.05		
		Phosphorus	---	TVS		
		Sulfate	---	WS		
		Sulfide	---	0.002		
					Iron	WS
					Iron(T)	1000
					Lead	TVS
					Lead(T)	---
					Manganese	TVS/WS
					Mercury(T)	---
					Mercury(T)	0.01
					Molybdenum(T)	150
					Nickel	TVS
					Nickel(T)	100
					Selenium	TVS
					Silver	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*
					Zinc	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 38.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #38 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

Clear Creek Basin

16b. All tributaries to Clear Creek from the Farmers Highline Canal diversion in Golden, Colorado to the confluence with the South Platte River, except for listings in Segments 16a, 17b, 18a and 18b.

COSPCL16B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
UP	Aq Life Warm 2 Recreation E	Temperature °C	WS-II WS-II	Arsenic	340	---	
			acute chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	100	
Qualifiers:		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	TVS	TVS
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	---	100
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
			acute chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Manganese	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrate	100	---	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Silver	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Uranium	varies*	varies*
		Sulfate	---	---	Zinc	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002			

*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.

17a. Arvada Reservoir.

COSPCL17A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
UP	Aq Life Cold 2 Recreation E Water Supply DUWS	Temperature °C	CLL CLL	Arsenic	340	---	
			acute chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
Qualifiers:		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Water + Fish Standards		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	DUWS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Copper	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
			acute chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000	
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies*	varies*
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS	TVS

Temporary Modification(s):
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 38.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #38 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Clear Creek Basin

22. Lakes and reservoirs in the North Clear Creek drainage from a point just below the confluence with Chase Gulch to the confluence with Clear Creek.							
COSPCL22	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable*	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E	CL	CL	Arsenic	340	---	
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	7.6	
Other:	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
*Designation: 9/30/00 Baseline does not apply	D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Chromium III	TVS	TVS	
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.	pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III(T)	---	100	
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.	chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	
	E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Copper	TVS	TVS	
	Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron(T)	---	1000	
	acute	chronic	Lead	TVS	TVS		
	Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Manganese	TVS	TVS	
	Boron	---	0.75	Mercury(T)	---	0.01	
	Chloride	---	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150	
	Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Nickel	TVS	TVS	
	Cyanide	0.005	---	Selenium	TVS	TVS	
	Nitrate	100	---	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
	Nitrite	---	0.05	Uranium	varies*	varies*	
	Nitrogen	---	TVS	Zinc	TVS	TVS	
	Phosphorus	---	TVS				
	Sulfate	---	---				
	Sulfide	---	0.002				
23. Ralston Reservoir							
COSPCL23	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 2 Recreation U Water Supply DUWS	CLL	CLL	Arsenic	340	---	
Qualifiers:		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
Water + Fish Standards		D.O. (mg/L)	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
Other:		D.O. (spawning)	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---	
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		pH	6.5 - 9.0	Chromium III	---	TVS	
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	DUWS	Chromium III(T)	50	---	
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	TVS	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.		E. coli (per 100 mL)	126	Copper	TVS	TVS	
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
	acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000		
	Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS	
	Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---	
	Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS	
	Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01	
	Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150	
	Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS	
	Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100	
	Nitrogen	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS	
	Phosphorus	---	TVS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)	
	Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies*	varies*	
	Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS	TVS	

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 38.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #38 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

Big Dry Creek Basin

7. Lakes and reservoirs in the Big Dry Creek system from the source to the confluence with the South Platte River, except for listings in Segments 2, 3, and 5b.							
COSPBD07	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT				
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 2	WL	WL	acute	chronic		
		acute	chronic				
		Temperature °C	---	---	Arsenic	340	---
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Beryllium(T)	---	100
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	DUWS	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	205	Chromium III	---	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium III(T)	50	---
					Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
					Copper	TVS	TVS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrogen	---	TVS*	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

Qualifiers:
Water + Fish Standards

Other:

Temporary Modification(s):
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024

*Classification: DUWS applies to Welton Reservoir.
 *Nitrogen(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 38.5(4).
 *Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 38.5(4).
 *Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.
 *Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 38.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #38 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Boulder Creek Basin

1. All tributaries to Boulder Creek, including all wetlands, within the Indian Peaks and James Peak Wilderness Areas.

COSPBO01	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
		DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Designation	Agriculture						
	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
OW	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024					Copper	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.					Inorganic (mg/L)		
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.						acute	chronic
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

2a. Mainstem of Boulder Creek, including all tributaries and wetlands, from the boundary of the Indian Peaks Wilderness Area to a point immediately below the confluence with North Boulder Creek, except for the specific listings in Segment 3.

COSPBO02A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
		DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Designation	Agriculture						
	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
Reviewable	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024					Copper	TVS	TVS
*Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 38.5(4).					Inorganic (mg/L)		
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.						acute	chronic
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 38.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #38 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

St. Vrain Creek Basin

1. All tributaries to St. Vrain Creek, including all wetlands, which are within the Indian Peaks Wilderness Area and Rocky Mountain National Park.						
COSPSV01	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
OW	Aq Life Cold 1	CS-I	CS-I	340	---	Arsenic
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	---	0.02	Arsenic(T)
	Water Supply			TVS	TVS	Cadmium
Qualifiers:				5.0	---	Cadmium(T)
Other:				---	TVS	Chromium III
Temporary Modification(s):		6.5 - 9.0	---	---	---	Chromium III(T)
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid				50	---	Chromium VI
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024				TVS	TVS	Chromium VI
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.				TVS	TVS	Copper
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.				---	WS	Iron
		Inorganic (mg/L)		---	1000	Iron(T)
		acute	chronic	TVS	TVS	Lead
		TVS	TVS	TVS	TVS	Lead(T)
		---	0.75	50	---	Manganese
		---	250	TVS	TVS/WS	Manganese
		0.019	0.011	---	0.01	Mercury(T)
		0.005	---	---	150	Mercury(T)
		10	---	TVS	TVS	Molybdenum(T)
		---	0.05	---	100	Nickel
		---	TVS	TVS	TVS	Nickel(T)
		---	WS	TVS	TVS	Nickel(T)
		---	0.002	TVS	TVS(tr)	Selenium
				varies*	varies*	Selenium
				TVS	TVS	Silver
				---	---	Silver
				---	---	Uranium
				---	---	Uranium
				---	---	Zinc
				---	---	Zinc

2a. Mainstem of St. Vrain Creek, including all tributaries and wetlands, from the boundary of the Indian Peaks Wilderness Area and Rocky Mountain National Park to the eastern boundary of Roosevelt National Forest.						
COSPSV02A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	CS-I	CS-I	340	---	Arsenic
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	---	0.02	Arsenic(T)
	Water Supply			TVS	TVS	Cadmium
Qualifiers:				5.0	---	Cadmium(T)
Other:				---	TVS	Chromium III
Temporary Modification(s):		6.5 - 9.0	---	---	---	Chromium III(T)
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid				50	---	Chromium VI
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024				TVS	TVS	Chromium VI
*Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 38.5(4).				TVS	TVS	Copper
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.				---	WS	Iron
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.				---	1000	Iron(T)
		Inorganic (mg/L)		TVS	TVS	Lead
		acute	chronic	TVS	TVS	Lead(T)
		---	0.75	50	---	Manganese
		---	250	TVS	TVS/WS	Manganese
		0.019	0.011	---	0.01	Mercury(T)
		0.005	---	---	150	Mercury(T)
		10	---	TVS	TVS	Molybdenum(T)
		---	0.05	---	100	Nickel
		---	TVS*	TVS	TVS	Nickel(T)
		---	WS	TVS	TVS	Nickel(T)
		---	0.002	TVS	TVS(tr)	Selenium
				varies*	varies*	Selenium
				TVS	TVS	Silver
				---	---	Silver
				---	---	Uranium
				---	---	Uranium
				---	---	Zinc
				---	---	Zinc

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
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11. Barbour Ponds.							
COSPSV11	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 1	Temperature °C	WL	WL	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>			acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

12. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to Left Hand Creek from Highway 36 to the confluence with St. Vrain Creek, except as specified in Segment 7.							
COSPSV12	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 2	Temperature °C	WL	WL	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Water + Fish Standards		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>			acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 38.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #38 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

Middle South Platte River Basin

7. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the South Platte River from a point immediately below the confluence with Big Dry Creek to the Weld/Morgan County line, except for listings in the subbasins of the South Platte River, and in segments 4 and 8.

COSPMS07	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 2	Temperature °C	WL	WL	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Water + Fish Standards		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

8. Riverside Reservoir.

COSPMS08	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
UP	Aq Life Warm 1	Temperature °C	WL	WL	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 38.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #38 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Big Thompson River Basin

19. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the Little Thompson River from the Culver Ditch diversion (40.259242, -105.200029) to the confluence with the Big Thompson River, except for listings in segments 11 and 13.

COSPBT19	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 1	Temperature °C	WL	WL	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	TVS
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	---
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
			acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	WS
		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	1000
		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

Temporary Modification(s):

Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid

Expiration Date of 12/31/2024

*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.

*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 38.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #38 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Cache La Poudre River Basin

14. Horsetooth Reservoir.							
COSPCP14	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply DUWS	Temperature °C	varies*	varies* ^B	Arsenic	340	---
			acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	DUWS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Copper	TVS	TVS
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.			acute	chronic	Iron(T)	---	1000
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
*Temperature =		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
DM=CLL and MWAT=CLL from 1/1-3/31		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
DM=CLL and MWAT=22.8 from 4/1-12/31		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Nitrogen	---	---	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	---	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies*	varies*
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS	TVS

15. Watson Lake.							
COSPCP15	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1 Recreation E Water Supply	Temperature °C	CL	CL	Arsenic	340	---
			acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Other:		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		Inorganic (mg/L)			Copper	TVS	TVS
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>			acute	chronic	Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Chloride	---	250	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Nitrate	10	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Sulfate	---	WS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 38.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #38 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

Cache La Poudre River Basin

18. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the Cache La Poudre River from the boundaries of Rocky Mountain National Park and the Rawah, Neota, Comanche Peak, and Cache La Poudre Wilderness Areas to the Munroe Gravity Canal Headgate (also known as the North Poudre Supply Canal diversion; 40.691700, -105.255292).

COSPCP18	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	varies*	varies*	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
*Temperature = See 38.6(4) for temperature standards.					Copper	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
		acute	chronic		Iron(T)	---	1000
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Nitrogen	---	TVS	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies*	varies*
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS	TVS

19. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the North Fork of the Cache La Poudre River from the source to the inlet of Halligan Reservoir.

COSPCP19	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CL	CL	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u>		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
<u>Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid</u>		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
<u>Expiration Date of 12/31/2024</u>					Copper	TVS	TVS
*Nitrogen(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 38.5(4).		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
*Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 38.5(4).		acute	chronic		Iron(T)	---	1000
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Nitrogen	---	TVS*	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies*	varies*
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 38.6 for further details on applied standards.

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Cache La Poudre River Basin

20. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the North Fork of the Cache La Poudre River from the inlet of Halligan Reservoir to the confluence with the Cache La Poudre River. This segment includes Halligan Reservoir and Seaman Reservoir.						
COSPCP20	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 2 Recreation E Water Supply	Temperature °C	varies*	varies*	Arsenic	340 ---
Qualifiers:					Arsenic(T)	---
Water + Fish Standards		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS TVS
Other:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0 ---
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50 ---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS TVS
					Copper	TVS TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---
		acute	chronic		Iron(T)	---
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50 ---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---
		Nitrogen	---	TVS*	Selenium	TVS TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Silver	TVS TVS(tr)
		Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies* varies*
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS TVS
<p>*Nitrogen(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 38.5(4). *Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 38.5(4). *Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details. *Temperature = DM and MWAT=CL,CLL from 1/1-3/31 Seaman Reservoir DM=CLL and MWAT=22.5 from 4/1-12/31 All others DM and MWAT=CL,CLL from 4/1-12/31</p>						
21. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the Cache La Poudre River from the Munroe Gravity Canal Headgate (also known as the North Poudre Supply Canal diversion; 40.691700, -105.255292) to the confluence with the South Platte River, except for listings in segments 14, 15, 16, 19, 20, and 22.						
COSPCP21	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
Reviewable	Aq Life Warm 2 Recreation E Water Supply DUWS*	Temperature °C	WL	WL	Arsenic	340 ---
Qualifiers:					Arsenic(T)	---
Other:		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS TVS
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0 ---
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	DUWS	Chromium III	---
		chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50 ---
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS TVS
					Copper	TVS TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---
		acute	chronic		Iron(T)	---
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS TVS
		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50 ---
		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS TVS/WS
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---
		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Nickel(T)	---
		Nitrogen	---	TVS*	Selenium	TVS TVS
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Silver	TVS TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Uranium	varies* varies*
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 38.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #38 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

Laramie River Basin

1. All tributaries to the Laramie River, including all wetlands, which are within the Rawah Wilderness Area.

COSPLA01	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
		DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Designation	Agriculture						
	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
OW	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024					Copper	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.					Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.					Iron(T)	---	1000
					Lead	TVS	TVS
					Lead(T)	50	---
					Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
					Mercury(T)	---	0.01
					Molybdenum(T)	---	150
					Nickel	TVS	TVS
					Nickel(T)	---	100
					Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

2a. Mainstem of the Laramie River from the source to the National Forest boundary, and all tributaries and wetlands from the source to the Colorado/Wyoming border, except for listings in Segment 1.

COSPLA02A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
		DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Designation	Agriculture						
	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-I	CS-I	Arsenic	340	---
Reviewable	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024					Copper	TVS	TVS
*Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.					Iron	---	WS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.					Iron(T)	---	1000
					Lead	TVS	TVS
					Lead(T)	50	---
					Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
					Mercury(T)	---	0.01
					Molybdenum(T)	---	150
					Nickel	TVS	TVS
					Nickel(T)	---	100
					Selenium	TVS	TVS
					Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
					Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	TVS	TVS

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 38.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #38 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

Lower South Platte River Basin

4. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the South Platte River from the Weld/Morgan County line to the Colorado/Nebraska border, except for listings in Segment 3.

COSPLS04	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation		DM	MWAT		acute	chronic	
Reviewable	Agriculture						
	Aq Life Warm 2	WL	WL	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply			D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	
Qualifiers: Water + Fish Standards				pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	
				chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	
Other:				E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	
				Inorganic (mg/L)			
		acute	chronic	Chromium III	---	TVS	
				Chromium III(T)	50	---	
				Chromium VI	TVS	TVS	
				Ammonia	TVS	TVS	
				Boron	---	0.75	
				Chloride	---	250	
				Chlorine	0.019	0.011	
				Cyanide	0.005	---	
				Nitrate	10	---	
				Nitrite	---	0.5	
				Nitrogen	---	TVS*	
				Phosphorus	---	TVS*	
				Sulfate	---	WS	
				Sulfide	---	0.002	
				Selenium	TVS	TVS	
				Silver	TVS	TVS	
				Uranium	varies*	varies*	
				Zinc	TVS	TVS	

Temporary Modification(s):
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024
 *Nitrogen(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 38.5(4).
 *Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 38.5(4).
 *Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details.
 *Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 38.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #38 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Republican River Basin

7. Mainstem of the North Fork of the Smoky Hill River and mainstem of the Smoky Hill River, including all tributaries and wetlands, from the source to the Colorado/Kansas border.						
COSPRE07	Classifications	Physical and Biological		Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Warm 2 Recreation P	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
UP		Temperature °C	WS-III	WS-III	Arsenic	340
		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	
Qualifiers:	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Beryllium(T)	100	
Other:	pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium	TVS	
*Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 38.5(4). *Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.	chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	TVS	
	E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	205	Chromium III(T)	---	
		Inorganic (mg/L)		Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
		acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS
	Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron(T)	---	1000
	Boron	---	0.75	Lead	TVS	TVS
	Chloride	---	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS
	Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
	Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
	Nitrate	100	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
	Nitrite	---	0.5	Selenium	TVS	TVS
	Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Silver	TVS	TVS
	Sulfate	---	---	Uranium	varies*	varies*
	Sulfide	---	0.002	Zinc	TVS	TVS
	8. All lakes and reservoirs tributary to the Republican River and Smoky Hill River in Colorado.					
COSPRE08	Classifications	Physical and Biological		Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Warm 1 Recreation E Water Supply	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
Reviewable		Temperature °C	WL	WL	Arsenic	340
		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	
Qualifiers:	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Beryllium(T)	4.0	
Other:	pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium	TVS	
<u>Temporary Modification(s):</u> Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid Expiration Date of 12/31/2024 *Nitrogen(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 38.5(4). *Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 38.5(4). *Uranium(acute) = See 38.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 38.5(3) for details.	chlorophyll a (ug/L)	---	TVS	Cadmium(T)	5.0	
	E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III	---	
		Inorganic (mg/L)		Chromium III(T)	50	---
		acute	chronic	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
	Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Copper	TVS	TVS
	Boron	---	0.75	Iron	---	WS
	Chloride	---	250	Iron(T)	---	1000
	Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead	TVS	TVS
	Cyanide	0.005	---	Lead(T)	50	---
	Nitrate	10	---	Manganese	TVS	TVS/WS
	Nitrite	---	0.5	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
	Nitrogen	---	TVS*	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
	Phosphorus	---	TVS*	Nickel	TVS	TVS
	Sulfate	---	WS	Nickel(T)	---	100
	Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	TVS
			Silver	TVS	TVS	
			Uranium	varies*	varies*	
			Zinc	TVS	TVS	

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 38.6 for further details on applied standards.

STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS – FOOTNOTES

- (A) Whenever a range of standards is listed and referenced to this footnote, the first number in the range is a strictly health-based value, based on the Commission's established methodology for human health-based standards. The second number in the range is a maximum contaminant level, established under the federal Safe Drinking Water Act that has been determined to be an acceptable level of this chemical in public water supplies, taking treatability and laboratory detection limits into account. Control requirements, such as discharge permit effluent limitations, shall be established using the first number in the range as the ambient water quality target, provided that no effluent limitation shall require an "end-of-pipe" discharge level more restrictive than the second number in the range. Water bodies will be considered in attainment of this standard, and not included on the Section 303(d) List, so long as the existing ambient quality does not exceed the second number in the range.

- (B) Assessment of adequate refuge shall rely on the Cold Large Lake table value temperature criterion and applicable dissolved oxygen standard rather than the site-specific temperature standard.



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EXHIBIT 2

CITY OF LA JUNTA



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT

Water Quality Control Commission

REGULATION NO. 32 - CLASSIFICATIONS AND NUMERIC STANDARDS FOR ARKANSAS RIVER BASIN

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32.6 TABLES

(1) Introduction

The numeric standards for various parameters in this regulation and in the tables in Appendix 32-1 were assigned by the Commission after a careful analysis of the data presented on actual stream conditions and on actual and potential water uses. For each parameter listed in the tables in Appendix 32-1, only the most stringent standard is shown. Additional, less stringent standards may apply to protect additional uses and can be found in the tables in Regulation No. 31.

Numeric standards are not assigned for all parameters listed in the tables in Regulation No. 31. If additional numeric standards are found to be needed during future periodic reviews, they can be assigned by following the proper hearing procedures.

(2) Abbreviations

(a) The following abbreviations are used in this regulation and the tables in Appendix 32-1:

Ac	=	acute (1-day)
<u>AEL</u>	=	<u>alternative effluent limit</u>
°C	=	degrees Celsius
Ch	=	chronic (30-day)
CL	=	cold lake temperature tier
CLL	=	cold large lake temperature tier
CS-I	=	cold stream temperature tier one
CS-II	=	cold stream temperature tier two
D.O.	=	dissolved oxygen
DM	=	daily maximum temperature
DUWS	=	direct use water supply
<i>E. coli</i>	=	<i>Escherichia coli</i>
mg/L	=	milligrams per liter
MWAT	=	maximum weekly average temperature
OW	=	outstanding waters
sp	=	spawning
SSE	=	site-specific equation
T	=	total recoverable
t	=	total
tr	=	trout
TVS	=	table value standard
µg/L	=	micrograms per liter
UP	=	use-protected

WS	=	water supply
WS-I	=	warm stream temperature tier one
WS-II	=	warm stream temperature tier two
WS-III	=	warm stream temperature tier three
WL	=	warm lake temperature tier

(6) Discharger-Specific Variances

(a) Lower Arkansas Segment 1a (COARLA01a):

Discharger-Specific Variance, City of Pueblo James R. Dilorio Water Reclamation Facility (CO0026646): Adopted 6/12/2018.

Selenium (acute) = 19.1 µg/L: narrative; Selenium (chronic) = 14.1 µg/L: narrative;
Sulfate (chronic) = 329 mg/L: narrative. Expiration date: 12/31/2028.

Narrative alternative effluent limit: During the DSV term, Pueblo will be required to spend \$10 million to implement a comprehensive source control, sampling, analysis, and optimization adaptive management program to reduce selenium and sulfate concentrations in the effluent as much as feasible and to ensure that the discharge does not contribute to any lowering of the currently attained ambient water quality. The adaptive management program will include the following elements, in order of priority:

- Lining up to 175,000 ft² in the sewer collection system in Basins 2 and 3.
- Sealing up to 400 manholes in Basins 2 and 3.
- The amount of sewer lining and manhole sealing may be reduced by:
 - Repair of service taps in poor condition;
 - Repair of service lines in poor condition; or
 - Additional effort where epoxy sealing of manholes is insufficient to control I & I.
- A comprehensive long-term sampling and analysis program to identify source control projects and evaluate the effectiveness of implemented controls.
- Investigation of the contribution from sump pumps.
- Pilot testing to determine the feasibility of treatment optimization to reduce selenium, and implementation of feasible treatment optimization measures.

(b) Lower Arkansas Segment 1b (COARLA01b):

(i) Discharger-Specific Variance, City of La Junta (CO0021261): Adopted 10/11/2016.

Selenium (acute): ~~AEL~~ = ~~TVS~~: no limit;
Selenium (chronic): ~~AEL~~ = ~~TVS~~: 0.37 lbs/day as a 12-month rolling average.
Expiration date: 12/31/2026.

- (ii) Discharger-Specific Variance, City of Las Animas (CO0040690): Adopted 06/11/2018

Selenium (chronic) = TVS narrative. Effective Date: 12/30/2018; Expiration Date: 12/31/2025

Narrative alternative effluent limit: During the DSV term, Las Animas will implement a Pollutant Minimization Plan, which is expected to result in effluent concentrations between 0.8 – 28.4 µg/L. The following measures are required during the term of the variance to reduce selenium concentrations as much as feasible and to ensure the discharge does not contribute to any lowering of ambient in-stream water quality:

- Monitor selenium concentrations in each municipal water well and use the wells with the lowest selenium concentrations to meet water demand to the maximum extent feasible
- Initiate a water conservation program
- Locate and repair sources of water loss in the water distribution system.
- Maintain the ongoing sanitary sewer collection system replacement program to address groundwater infiltration
- Complete a wetland treatment pilot study by 12/31/2025, if compliance with water quality based effluent limits based upon the underlying standards remains infeasible after implementing the above measures.

32.7 – 32.9 RESERVED

32.71 STATEMENT OF BASIS, SPECIFIC STATUTORY AUTHORITY AND PURPOSE; OCTOBER 10, 2023 RULEMAKING; FINAL ACTION OCTOBER 10, 2023; EFFECTIVE DATE DECEMBER 31, 2023

The provisions of C.R.S. 25-8-202(1)(a), (b) and (2); 25-8-203; 25-8-204; and 25-8-402; provide the specific statutory authority for adoption of these regulatory amendments. The commission also adopted in compliance with 24-4-103(4) C.R.S. the following statement of basis and purpose.

BASIS AND PURPOSE

The commission reviewed the basis, available information, and progress toward achieving the alternative effluent limits (AELs) and implementing Pollutant Minimization Programs (PMPs) for the three discharger-specific variances (DSVs) in Regulation No. 32.

Lower Arkansas River Segment 1b (COARLA01b): There is currently a DSV for acute and chronic selenium, which applies to the City of La Junta (expires 12/31/2026). The plan for the City of La Junta was included in the division's Exhibit Y in the October 2016 Regulation No. 32 DSV rulemaking hearing. The commission reviewed the City of La Junta's progress toward achieving the AELs for selenium and determined that the AELs adopted in 2016 continue to represent the highest attainable water quality that is feasible for the facility to achieve. However, the commission adopted a PMP to include **[in progress]** to continue to improve water quality in the receiving segment. The PMP is included in the City of La Junta's Prehearing Statement (page X).

As part of its DSV requirements, the City of La Junta was required to implement a plan that included water conservation, increasing efficiency in the water treatment plant, and piloting treatment of the reverse osmosis concentrate utilizing the new wastewater treatment plant (WWTP). The City has continued its water conservation efforts, including residential, municipal, commercial, and industrial water restrictions; however, usage reductions have not been significant to date, and the City plans to propose new conservation and water restriction policies in 2023. The City completed construction of a new WWTP in 2019; the plant was designed for, and is successfully treating, biological oxygen demand (BOD), suspended solids, ammonia, total inorganic nitrogen, and current phosphorous limits. During construction of the WWTP, the City modified the design to include an inlet for the reverse osmosis (RO) concentrate to be introduced into the treatment process. Attempts at treating the RO concentrate at the WWTP have been unsuccessful so far, due to plant capacity issues (the permitted RO concentrate is 2.5 times the hydraulic capacity of the WWTP) and impacts to the treatment system. At this time, treating the RO concentrate at the WWTP is not feasible for the City due to cost. The City is currently prioritizing maintenance of its aged collection system to be proactive against increasing infiltration and inflow (I&I) issues.

Due to staffing changes at the City, as well as COVID-19 pandemic-related travel, illness, and supply chain problems, the City's progress on exploration of alternative treatment processes has been delayed. However, the City has made progress in its investigations. For example, the City is considering participating in the Arkansas Valley Conduit projects as a means of reducing its selenium discharge; however, costs related to this project may be infeasible for the City. The City is also exploring electrolysis as another alternative and is awaiting results of preliminary analyses. The economic feasibility of costs related to the startup, operation, and maintenance of any treatment processes remains a concern for the City.

Therefore, the commission determined that this DSV is still appropriate with the revisions to the PMP. The commission expects that the City of La Junta will submit annual reports to the division describing the progress made on PMP implementation until the end of the DSV.

The commission adopted non-substantive revisions to the format of these DSVs in Section 32.6(6) and the Appendix 32-1 tables to provide clarity and consistency. In addition, the acronym "AEL" was defined at 32.6(2)(a).

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**REGULATION NO. 32
CLASSIFICATIONS AND NUMERIC STANDARDS
FOR
ARKANSAS RIVER BASIN**

**APPENDIX 32-1
Stream Classifications and Water Quality Standards Tables**

Effective 0612/4431/2023

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
T = total recoverable
t = total
tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
DM = daily maximum
MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
See 32.6 for further details on applied standards.

Abbreviations and Acronyms

Aq	=	Aquatic
°C	=	degrees Celsius
CL	=	cold lake temperature tier
CLL	=	cold large lake temperature tier
CS-I	=	cold stream temperature tier one
CS-II	=	cold stream temperature tier two
D.O.	=	dissolved oxygen
DM	=	daily maximum temperature
DUWS	=	direct use water supply
E. coli	=	<i>Escherichia coli</i>
EQ	=	existing quality
mg/L	=	milligrams per liter
mg/m ²	=	milligrams per square meter
mL	=	milliliter
MWAT	=	maximum weekly average temperature
OW	=	outstanding waters
SSE	=	site-specific equation
T	=	total recoverable
t	=	total
tr	=	trout
TVS	=	table value standard
µg/L	=	micrograms per liter
UP	=	use-protected
WS	=	water supply
WS-I	=	warm stream temperature tier one
WS-II	=	warm stream temperature tier two
WS-III	=	warm stream temperature tier three
WL	=	warm lake temperature tier

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.

T = total recoverable

t = total

tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen

DM = daily maximum

MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature

See 32.6 for further details on applied standards.

REGULATION #32 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

Lower Arkansas River Basin

1a. Mainstem of the Arkansas River from a point immediately above the confluence with Fountain Creek to immediately above the Colorado Canal headgate near Avondale.						
COARLA01A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Warm 2 Recreation E Water Supply	DM	MWAT	acute chronic		
UP		acute	chronic	arsenic	340	---
		Temperature °C	varies*	varies*	Arsenic(T)	0.02-10 ^A
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0
Other:		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---
Discharger Specific Variance(s):		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50
Selenium(acute) = 19.1 µg/L: narrative		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS
Selenium(chronic) = 14.1 µg/L: narrative			acute	chronic	Copper	TVS
Sulfate(chronic) = 329 mg/L: narrative		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---
Expiration Date of 12/31/2028		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	2800
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50
*Temperature =		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS
DM=WS-II and MWAT=WS-II from 1/1-11/30		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---
DM= 21.5 and MWAT=20.7 from 12/1-12/31		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---
*Variance: Selenium = see 32.6(6)(c) for details on variance for City of Pueblo.		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel	TVS
*Variance: Sulfate = see 32.6(6)(c) for details on variance for City of Pueblo.		Sulfate	---	329	Nickel(T)	---
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	19.1
					Silver	TVS
					Uranium	varies*
					Zinc	TVS

1b. Mainstem of the Arkansas River from the Colorado Canal headgate to the inlet to John Martin Reservoir.						
COARLA01B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture Aq Life Warm 2 Recreation E Water Supply	DM	MWAT	acute chronic		
UP		acute	chronic	arsenic	340	---
		Temperature °C	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic(T)	0.02
		D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0
Water + Fish Standards Apply		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---
Other:		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50
Temporary Modification(s):		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid			acute	chronic	Copper	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---
Discharger Specific Variance(s):		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	1950
Selenium(chronic) = See Section 32.6(6)(d)(ii) for details on variance for the City of Las Animas.		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2025		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50
Selenium(ac/ch) = See Section 32.6(6) for details on the variance for the City of La Junta.		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2026		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel	TVS
		Sulfate	---	902	Nickel(T)	---
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS
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STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS – FOOTNOTES

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- (B) *Reserved.*
- (C) *Reserved.*



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EXHIBIT 3

CITY OF LAS ANIMAS



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT

Water Quality Control Commission

REGULATION NO. 32 - CLASSIFICATIONS AND NUMERIC STANDARDS FOR ARKANSAS RIVER BASIN

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32.6 TABLES

(1) Introduction

The numeric standards for various parameters in this regulation and in the tables in Appendix 32-1 were assigned by the Commission after a careful analysis of the data presented on actual stream conditions and on actual and potential water uses. For each parameter listed in the tables in Appendix 32-1, only the most stringent standard is shown. Additional, less stringent standards may apply to protect additional uses and can be found in the tables in Regulation No. 31.

Numeric standards are not assigned for all parameters listed in the tables in Regulation No. 31. If additional numeric standards are found to be needed during future periodic reviews, they can be assigned by following the proper hearing procedures.

(2) Abbreviations

(a) The following abbreviations are used in this regulation and the tables in Appendix 32-1:

Ac	=	acute (1-day)
<u>AEL</u>	=	<u>alternative effluent limit</u>
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CS-I	=	cold stream temperature tier one
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DUWS	=	direct use water supply
<i>E. coli</i>	=	<i>Escherichia coli</i>
mg/L	=	milligrams per liter
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WS-I	=	warm stream temperature tier one
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(6) Discharger-Specific Variances

(a) Lower Arkansas Segment 1a (COARLA01a):

Discharger-Specific Variance, City of Pueblo James R. Dilorio Water Reclamation Facility (CO0026646): Adopted 6/12/2018.

Selenium (acute) = 19.1 µg/L: narrative; Selenium (chronic) = 14.1 µg/L: narrative; Sulfate (chronic) = 329 mg/L: narrative. Expiration date: 12/31/2028.

Narrative alternative effluent limit: During the DSV term, Pueblo will be required to spend \$10 million to implement a comprehensive source control, sampling, analysis, and optimization adaptive management program to reduce selenium and sulfate concentrations in the effluent as much as feasible and to ensure that the discharge does not contribute to any lowering of the currently attained ambient water quality. The adaptive management program will include the following elements, in order of priority:

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- A comprehensive long-term sampling and analysis program to identify source control projects and evaluate the effectiveness of implemented controls.
- Investigation of the contribution from sump pumps.
- Pilot testing to determine the feasibility of treatment optimization to reduce selenium, and implementation of feasible treatment optimization measures.

(b) Lower Arkansas Segment 1b (COARLA01b):

(i) Discharger-Specific Variance, City of La Junta (CO0021261): Adopted 10/11/2016.

Selenium (acute) = TVS: no limit; Selenium (chronic) = TVS: 0.37 lbs/day as a 12-month rolling average. Expiration date: 12/31/2026.

(ii) Discharger-~~SS~~specific Variance, City of Las Animas (CO0040690)~~;~~ Adopted 06/11/2018

Selenium (chronic): ~~AEL = TVS~~-narrative. ~~Effective Date: 12/30/2018;~~
Expiration Date: 12/31/2025.

Narrative alternative effluent limit: During the DSV term, Las Animas will implement a Pollutant Minimization Plan, which is expected to result in effluent concentrations between 0.8 – 28.4 µg/L. The following measures are required during the term of the variance to reduce selenium concentrations as much as feasible and to ensure the discharge does not contribute to any lowering of ambient in-stream water quality:

- Monitor selenium concentrations in each municipal water well and use the wells with the lowest selenium concentrations to meet water demand to the maximum extent feasible
- Initiate a water conservation program
- Locate and repair sources of water loss in the water distribution system.
- Maintain the ongoing sanitary sewer collection system replacement program to address groundwater infiltration
- Complete a wetland treatment pilot study by 12/31/2025, if compliance with water quality based effluent limits based upon the underlying standards remains infeasible after implementing the above measures.

32.7 – 32.9 RESERVED

32.71 STATEMENT OF BASIS, SPECIFIC STATUTORY AUTHORITY AND PURPOSE; OCTOBER 10, 2023 RULEMAKING; FINAL ACTION OCTOBER 10, 2023; EFFECTIVE DATE DECEMBER 31, 2023

The provisions of C.R.S. 25-8-202(1)(a), (b) and (2); 25-8-203; 25-8-204; and 25-8-402; provide the specific statutory authority for adoption of these regulatory amendments. The commission also adopted in compliance with 24-4-103(4) C.R.S. the following statement of basis and purpose.

BASIS AND PURPOSE

The commission reviewed the basis, available information, and progress toward achieving the alternative effluent limits (AELs) and implementing Pollutant Minimization Programs (PMPs) for the three discharger-specific variances (DSVs) in Regulation No. 32.

Lower Arkansas River Segment 1b (COARLA01b): There is currently a DSV for chronic selenium, which applies to the City of Las Animas (expires 12/31/2025). The PMP for the City of Las Animas was included in Las Animas' Rebuttal Exhibit 2 in the June 2018 Regulation No. 32 rulemaking hearing. The commission reviewed the City of Las Animas' progress on the plans set forth in its PMP and determined that the AELs for selenium adopted in 2018 continue to represent the highest attainable water quality that is feasible for the facility to achieve under existing conditions. However, the commission revised the PMP to include additional milestones including continuing efforts to obtain new source water from the Arkansas Valley Conduit (AVC) and a revised timeline to continue to improve water quality in the receiving segment. The revised PMP is included in the City of Las Animas's Prehearing Statement (page XX).

As part of its DSV requirements, the City of Las Animas was required to work on source well optimization, conservation of potable water, reducing losses from the water distribution system, and reducing groundwater infiltration to the collection system. The City has completed and continues to implement a well source optimization plan to maximize use of wells with lower selenium concentrations, a water conservation plan was developed and supported starting in September 2021, and water main and service line replacements have been accomplished to reduce losses in the distribution system. In addition, several thousand feet of wastewater collection system pipelines have been either rehabilitated or replaced to minimize infiltration. Smoke testing of the collection system was accomplished to identify locations of inflow to the system and guide improvements to eliminate that source of extraneous flow to the collection system.

In developing the existing DSV adopted by the commission in 2018, it was concluded that the source of selenium was the source water in the City's water supply. The monitoring and analysis work of the City since that time has continued to verify that is the only significant source of selenium in the discharges from the City's system to segment 1b. The analysis in the development of the DSV adopted in 2018 also addressed the potential for a new source water from the AVC as a means to significantly decrease the selenium discharged to the Arkansas River. At that time there was little certainty as to the start of construction and the time at which a new source water could be delivered to the City. Since that time, there has been much progress with design, construction phase procurements and mobilization for construction of the AVC.

The City of Las Animas has found that implementation of a new source water supply is the most cost effective and beneficial means to control selenium discharges. The new source water has its own benefits to the City from a potable water supply standpoint, will significantly decrease the discharge of selenium from treatment of local source water with reverse osmosis processes and is a more sustainable means of selenium control than added end of pipe treatment processes and systems. In addition to reducing the discharge of selenium, the new source water will permit control of other constituents presently discharged and subject to compliance schedules for

attainment including manganese, uranium and sulfate. The City has made financial commitments to the AVC project through a participation agreement with the Southeastern Colorado Water Conservancy District and has funded its share of the design for the water transmission facilities between the AVC and the City's distribution system. The City is an active participant in the ongoing planning and implementation of the AVC project which is presently planned to reach the eastern terminus of the AVC at Lamar in 2033, or before. The commission determined that this DSV is still appropriate with the revisions to the PMP. The PMP was revised to redirect the City's efforts from the wetlands pilot project to continuation of its work related to the AVC. The City has determined the use of limited financial resources for support of delivery of the supplemental source water has greater benefit to the City than using those financial resources to construct a pilot or demonstration system which may not be of benefit to reduce selenium discharges to the Arkansas River. The commission expects that the facility will submit annual reports to the division describing the progress made on PMP implementation until the end of the DSV.

The commission adopted non-substantive revisions to the format of these DSVs in Section 32.6(6) and the Appendix 32-1 tables to provide clarity and consistency. In addition, the acronym "AEL" was defined at 32.6(2)(a).

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**REGULATION NO. 32
CLASSIFICATIONS AND NUMERIC STANDARDS
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**APPENDIX 32-1
Stream Classifications and Water Quality Standards Tables**

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MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
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Abbreviations and Acronyms

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°C	=	degrees Celsius
CL	=	cold lake temperature tier
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CS-I	=	cold stream temperature tier one
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DM	=	daily maximum temperature
DUWS	=	direct use water supply
E. coli	=	<i>Escherichia coli</i>
EQ	=	existing quality
mg/L	=	milligrams per liter
mg/m ²	=	milligrams per square meter
mL	=	milliliter
MWAT	=	maximum weekly average temperature
OW	=	outstanding waters
SSE	=	site-specific equation
T	=	total recoverable
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REGULATION #32 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

Lower Arkansas River Basin

1a. Mainstem of the Arkansas River from a point immediately above the confluence with Fountain Creek to immediately above the Colorado Canal headgate near Avondale.						
COARLA01A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute		chronic
UP	Aq Life Warm 2	varies*	varies*	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02-10 ^A
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0
Other:		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---
Discharger Specific Variance(s):		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50
Selenium(acute) = 19.1 µg/L: narrative		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS
Selenium(chronic) = 14.1 µg/L: narrative		acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS
Sulfate(chronic) = 329 mg/L: narrative		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---
Expiration Date of 12/31/2028		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50
*Temperature =		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS
DM=WS-II and MWAT=WS-II from 1/1-11/30		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---
DM= 21.5 and MWAT=20.7 from 12/1-12/31		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---
*Variance: Selenium = see 32.6(6)(c) for details on variance for City of Pueblo.		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel	TVS
*Variance: Sulfate = see 32.6(6)(c) for details on variance for City of Pueblo.		Sulfate	---	329	Nickel(T)	---
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	19.1
					Silver	TVS
					Uranium	varies*
					Zinc	TVS

1b. Mainstem of the Arkansas River from the Colorado Canal headgate to the inlet to John Martin Reservoir.						
COARLA01B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)	
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute		chronic
UP	Aq Life Warm 2	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0
Water + Fish Standards Apply		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---
Other:		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50
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Expiration Date of 12/31/2024		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---
Discharger Specific Variance(s):		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---
Selenium(chronic) = See Section 32.6(6)(d)(ii) for details on the variance for the City of Las Animas.		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2025		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50
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Expiration date: 12/31/2028.

Narrative alternative effluent limit: During the DSV term, Pueblo will be required to spend \$10 million to implement a comprehensive source control, sampling, analysis, and optimization adaptive management program to reduce selenium and sulfate concentrations in the effluent as much as feasible and to ensure that the discharge does not contribute to any lowering of the currently attained ambient water quality. The adaptive management program will include the following elements, in order of priority:

- Lining up to 175,000 ft² in the sewer collection system in Basins 2 and 3.
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- Monitor selenium concentrations in each municipal water well and use the wells with the lowest selenium concentrations to meet water demand to the maximum extent feasible
- Initiate a water conservation program
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32.7 – 32.9 RESERVED

32.71 STATEMENT OF BASIS, SPECIFIC STATUTORY AUTHORITY AND PURPOSE; OCTOBER 10, 2023 RULEMAKING; FINAL ACTION OCTOBER 10, 2023; EFFECTIVE DATE DECEMBER 31, 2023

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BASIS AND PURPOSE

The commission reviewed the basis, available information, and progress toward achieving the alternative effluent limits (AELs) and implementing Pollutant Minimization Programs (PMPs) for the three discharger-specific variances (DSVs) in Regulation No. 32.

Lower Arkansas River Segment 1a (COARLA01a): The Commission reviewed the discharger specific variance (DSV) for acute and chronic selenium, and chronic sulfate, adopted in the June 2018 Arkansas Basin Hearing for the City of Pueblo's James R. Dilorio Water Reclamation Facility (expires 12/31/2028). See Section 32.6(6)(c). The Commission reviewed Pueblo's progress toward achieving the narrative alternate limits (AELs) for selenium and sulfate, Pueblo's updated economic feasibility analysis, and updated alternatives analysis. The Commission determined that the narrative AELs continue to represent the highest attainable water quality that is feasible for Pueblo to achieve. Therefore, the Commission determined that the selenium and sulfate DSV is still appropriate and does not require revision at this time.

The commission adopted non-substantive revisions to the format of these DSVs in Section 32.6(6) and the Appendix 32-1 tables to provide clarity and consistency. In addition, the acronym "AEL" was defined at 32.6(2)(a).

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UP	Aq Life Warm 2	varies*	varies*	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02-10 ^A	
	Water Supply	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	
Other:		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	
Discharger Specific Variance(s):		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	
Selenium(ac/ch) = See Section 32.6(6) for details on the variance for the City of Pueblo.		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2028		acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS	
Sulfate(chronic) = See Section 32.6(6) for details on the variance for the City of Pueblo.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	
Selenium(acute) = 19.1 ug/L: narrative		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	
Selenium(chronic) = 14.1 ug/L: narrative		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	
Sulfate(chronic) = 329 mg/L: narrative		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	
Expiration Date of 12/31/2028		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---	
*Temperature =		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel	TVS	
DM=WS-II and MWAT=WS-II from 1/1-11/30		Sulfate	---	329	Nickel(T)	---	
DM= 21.5 and MWAT=20.7 from 12/1-12/31		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	19.1	
*Variance: Selenium = see 32.6(6)(c) for details on variance for City of Pueblo.					Silver	TVS	
Variance: Sulfate = see 32.6(6)(c) for details on variance for City of Pueblo.					Uranium	varies	
					Zinc	TVS	

1b. Mainstem of the Arkansas River from the Colorado Canal headgate to the inlet to John Martin Reservoir.							
COARLA01B	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
UP	Aq Life Warm 2	WS-II	WS-II	Arsenic	340	---	
	Recreation E	acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02	
	Water Supply	---	5.0	Cadmium	TVS	TVS	
Qualifiers:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Cadmium(T)	5.0	
Water + Fish Standards Apply		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III	---	
Other:		E. Coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium III(T)	50	
Temporary Modification(s):		Inorganic (mg/L)			Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		acute	chronic	Copper	TVS	TVS	
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Iron	---	
Discharger Specific Variance(s):		Boron	---	0.75	Iron(T)	---	
Selenium(chronic) = See Section 32.6(6)(d)(ii) for details on variance for the City of Las Animas.		Chloride	---	250	Lead	TVS	
Expiration Date of 12/31/2025		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Lead(T)	50	
*Uranium(acute) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Cyanide	0.005	---	Manganese	TVS	
*Uranium(chronic) = See 32.5(3) for details.		Nitrate	10	---	Mercury(T)	---	
		Nitrite	---	0.5	Molybdenum(T)	---	
		Phosphorus	---	---	Nickel	TVS	
		Sulfate	---	902	Nickel(T)	---	
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Selenium	TVS	
					Silver	TVS	
					Uranium	varies*	
					Zinc	TVS	

All metals are dissolved unless otherwise noted.
 T = total recoverable
 t = total
 tr = trout

D.O. = dissolved oxygen
 DM = daily maximum
 MWAT = maximum weekly average temperature
 See 32.6 for further details on applied standards.

STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS – FOOTNOTES

- (A) Whenever a range of standards is listed and referenced to this footnote, the first number in the range is a strictly health-based value, based on the Commission's established methodology for human health-based standards. The second number in the range is a maximum contaminant level, established under the federal Safe Drinking Water Act that has been determined to be an acceptable level of this chemical in public water supplies, taking treatability and laboratory detection limits into account. Control requirements, such as discharge permit effluent limitations, shall be established using the first number in the range as the ambient water quality target, provided that no effluent limitation shall require an "end-of-pipe" discharge level more restrictive than the second number in the range. Water bodies will be considered in attainment of this standard, and not included on the Section 303(d) List, so long as the existing ambient quality does not exceed the second number in the range.
- (B) *Reserved.*
- (C) *Reserved.*



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EXHIBIT 5

RIO GRANDE SILVER, INC.



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT

Water Quality Control Commission

REGULATION NO. 36 - CLASSIFICATIONS AND NUMERIC STANDARDS FOR RIO GRANDE BASIN

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[Editor's Notes follow the text of the rules at the end of this CCR Document.]

36.6 TABLES

(4) Site-Specific Standards, Assessment Locations, and Assessment Criteria

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(b) Site-specific standards and assessment locations for Rio Grande Segment 4a:

Standards effective through 12/31/~~2023~~2028

Low flow (August 1-March 31):

Cadmium(chronic)=0.50 µg/L

~~Manganese(chronic)=WS~~

Zinc(acute/chronic)=257 / 164 µg/L

High flow (April 1-July 31):

Cadmium(chronic)=0.42 µg/L

~~Manganese(chronic)=WS~~

Zinc(acute/chronic)=115 / 88 µg/L

Tier 1 standards effective 1/1/~~2024~~2029 through 12/31/~~2025~~2030

Low flow (August 1-March 31):

Cadmium(chronic)=~~0.49 µg/L~~TVS

~~Manganese(chronic)=81 µg/L~~

Zinc(acute/chronic)=253 / 162 µg/L

High flow (April 1-July 31):

Cadmium(chronic)=0.42 µg/L

~~Manganese(chronic)=WS~~

Zinc(acute/chronic)=115 / 88 µg/L

Tier 2 standards effective from 1/1/~~2026~~2031

Low flow (August 1-March 31):

Cadmium(chronic)=TVS

~~Manganese(chronic)=WS~~

Zinc(acute/chronic)=142 / 64 µg/L

High flow (April 1-July 31):

Cadmium(chronic)=TVS

~~Manganese(chronic)=WS~~

Zinc(acute/chronic)=51 µg/L / TVS

Assessment Locations: For assessing the standards on Segment 4a, data from the following three locations will be combined:

- Station RG-4: Rio Grande downstream of Highway 149 bridge near Wason Ranch (37.821943, -106.889589)
- Station RG-8: Rio Grande upstream of Highway 149 bridge near La Garita Ranch Drive (37.777672, -106.836631)

- Station RG-9: Rio Grande downstream of 4 UR/Goose Creek Road bridge (37.765798, -106.830305)

(c) Site-specific standards and assessment locations for Rio Grande Segment 7:

Standards effective through 12/31/~~2023~~2028

West Willow

Low flow (August 1-March 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=32.6 / 27.4 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Lead(acute/chronic)=108 / 102 µg/L
Manganese(acute/chronic)=3,320 / 2,425 µg/L
Zinc(acute/chronic)=11,960 / 9,360 µg/L

High flow (April 1-July 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=22.5 / 15.5 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=34.3 / 28.0 µg/L
Lead(acute/chronic)=TVS / 23.5 µg/L
Manganese(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Zinc(acute/chronic)=4,001 / 3,765 µg/L

Windy Gulch

Low flow (August 1-March 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=13.3 / 13.3 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Lead(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Manganese(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Zinc(acute/chronic)=3,584 / 3,492 µg/L

High flow (April 1-July 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=7.1 / 5.9 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Lead(acute/chronic)=TVS / 1.68 µg/L
Manganese(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Zinc(acute/chronic)=1,940 / 1,558 µg/L

Willow Creek

Low flow (August 1-March 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=20.9 / 16.9 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Lead(acute/chronic)=TVS / 24.4 µg/L
Manganese(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Zinc(acute/chronic)=5,861 / 5,427 µg/L

High flow (April 1-July 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=10.9 / 8.5 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=11.2 / 8.2 µg/L
Lead(acute/chronic)=TVS / 14.2 µg/L
Manganese(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Zinc(acute/chronic)=2,667 / 1,873 µg/L

Tier 1 standards effective 1/1/~~2024~~2029 through 12/31/~~2025~~2030

West Willow

Low flow (August 1-March 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=32.6 / 27.4 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Lead(acute/chronic)=108 / 102 µg/L
Manganese(acute/chronic)=3,320 / 2,425 µg/L
Zinc(acute/chronic)=11,960 / 9,360 µg/L

High flow (April 1-July 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=22.5 / 15.5 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=34.3 / 28.0 µg/L
Lead(acute/chronic)=TVS / 23.5 µg/L
Manganese(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Zinc(acute/chronic)=4,001 / 3,765 µg/L

Windy Gulch

Low flow (August 1-March 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=13.3 / 13.3 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Lead(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Manganese(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Zinc(acute/chronic)=3,584 / 3,492 µg/L

High flow (April 1-July 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=7.1 / 5.9 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Lead(acute/chronic)=TVS / 1.68 µg/L
Manganese(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Zinc(acute/chronic)=1,940 / 1,558 µg/L

Willow Creek

Low flow (August 1-March 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=14.4 / 11.6 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS

High flow (April 1-July 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=9.5 / 7.4 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS

Lead(acute/chronic)=TVS / 17.0 µg/L
Manganese(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Zinc(acute/chronic)=4,041 / 3,743 µg/L

Lead(acute/chronic)=TVS / 12.5 µg/L
Manganese(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Zinc(acute/chronic)=2,324 / 1,635 µg/L

Tier 2 standards effective from 1/1/20262031

West Willow

Low flow (August 1-March 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=19.1 / 13.0 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Lead(acute/chronic)=68.2 / 61.2 µg/L
Manganese(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Zinc(acute/chronic)=6,055 / 3,011 µg/L

High flow (April 1-July 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=14.9 / 7.7 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=27.0 / 20.5 µg/L
Lead(acute/chronic)=TVS / 9.5 µg/L
Manganese(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Zinc(acute/chronic)=2,498 / 2,254 µg/L

Windy Gulch

Low flow (August 1-March 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=13.3 / 13.3 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Lead(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Manganese(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Zinc(acute/chronic)=3,584 / 3,492 µg/L

High flow (April 1-July 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=7.1 / 5.9 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Lead(acute/chronic)=TVS / 1.68 µg/L
Manganese(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Zinc(acute/chronic)=1,940 / 1,558 µg/L

Willow Creek

Low flow (August 1-March 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=14.9 / 11.1 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Lead(acute/chronic)=TVS / 7.7 µg/L
Manganese(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Zinc(acute/chronic)=3,521 / 3,106 µg/L

High flow (April 1-July 31):

Cadmium(acute/chronic)=6.3 / 4.0 µg/L
Copper(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Lead(acute/chronic)=TVS / 6.0 µg/L
Manganese(acute/chronic)=TVS / TVS
Zinc(acute/chronic)=1,758 / 974 µg/L

Assessment Locations:

West Willow

- Station WW-A (WW-1): West Willow just above East Willow Confluence (37.864431, -106.925529)

Windy Gulch

- Station WNG-A: Windy Gulch at mouth (37.856498, -106.928140)

Willow Creek

- Station W-C (a/k/a W-Flume and 8105D, designations differ among agencies): Willow Creek at Flume above Creede (37.855873, -106.927282)

36.50 STATEMENT OF BASIS, SPECIFIC STATUTORY AUTHORITY AND PURPOSE; OCTOBER 10, 2023 RULEMAKING; FINAL ACTION OCTOBER 10, 2023; EFFECTIVE DATE DECEMBER 31, 2023

The provisions of C.R.S. 25-8-202(1)(a), (b) and (2); 25-8-203; 25-8-204; and 25-8-402; provide the specific statutory authority for adoption of these regulatory amendments. The Commission also adopted in compliance with 24-4-103(4) C.R.S. the following statement of basis and purpose.

BASIS AND PURPOSE:

Rio Grande segments 4a and 7 (CORGRG04a and CORGRG07): The Commission continued the application of the current ambient-quality based site-specific natural/irreversible standards (“the natural/irreversible site-specific standards”) through December 31, 2028; delayed the effective dates of the Tier 1 and Tier 2 ambient-quality based site-specific feasibility-based standards (“the feasibility-based site-specific standards”), by five years; and replaced two Tier 1 feasibility-based site-specific standards on Segment 4a with the TVS. These site-specific standards, assessment locations, and effective dates are included in Section 36.6(4)(b)-(c).

BACKGROUND

In the 2013 Temporary Modifications Hearing, the Commission adopted the proposal of Rio Grande Silver, Inc. (RGS) to add two tiers of feasibility-based site-specific standards to Segments 4a and 7 based on the feasibility of reversing historic sources of metals. See Section 36.35. These tiered feasibility-based site-specific standards would have delayed-effective dates and were based on improvements in water quality tied to future reopening of the Bulldog Mine. The Tier 1 standards represented predicted improvements in water quality in the Rio Grande and Willow Creek mainstem due to discharge of treated water from the Bulldog Mine during dewatering of the lower mine pool, and once effective the Tier 1 standards would be in place for two years. The Tier 2 standards reflected further water quality improvements predicted by a 90% reduction in flow and metal load from the Nelson Tunnel, and after RGS had drawn down water levels in the Bulldog Mine to support operations, and would be pumping at a lower rate.

In the 2018 Rio Grande Basin Hearing, the Commission replaced temporary modifications for multiple metals on Segments 4a and 7 with interim natural/irreversible site-specific standards, which were to apply until the effective dates of the feasibility-based site-specific standards. See Section 36.42(K). Existing water quality did not attain table value standards (TVS) for several metals, so these interim natural/irreversible site-specific standards were adopted to represent the highest attainable conditions in the absence of Nelson Tunnel remediation or the potential restart of the Bulldog Mine. The Commission also updated the Tier 1 and Tier 2 feasibility-based site-specific standards that are based on improvements in water quality contingent on the potential reopening of the Bulldog Mine, dewatering of the lower mine pool, and the mine plan requiring construction of a water treatment plant to treat this water.

REVISIONS TO SITE-SPECIFIC STANDARDS

In this 2023 Hearing, the Commission adopted the proposal of RGS to: a) replace the Segment 4a Tier 1 feasibility-based site-specific standards for low-flow chronic cadmium and chronic manganese with the underlying TVS; b) delay the effective dates of the remaining tiered feasibility-based site-specific standards by five years; and c) extend the effective dates of the interim natural/irreversible site-specific standards by five years:

- a) **Changes to Segment 4a Tier 1 standards:** Water quality during Tier 1 is now anticipated to result in attainment of the numeric TVS applicable to Rio Grande Segment 4a for chronic cadmium and chronic manganese during low flow conditions. The Commission replaced the Tier

1 chronic cadmium low flow standard with the TVS, which the Commission had revised statewide in 2019 based on updated scientific information about the protection of aquatic life. The Commission replaced the Tier 1 chronic manganese low flow standard with the WS standard based on the treatability study demonstrating this standard was feasible to meet.

- b) **Delay of feasibility-based site-specific standards on Segments 4a and 7:** Delaying the effective dates of the remaining Tier 1 and Tier 2 feasibility-based site-specific standards is appropriate because the underlying assumptions of these standards (i.e., potential dewatering of the lower mine pool, potential construction of a mine water treatment plant, and potential reopening of the Bulldog Mine) will not occur for several more years. RGS is actively exploring the potential for reopening of the Bulldog Mine, and additional time is needed to continue exploring the viability of the resource (including dewatering of the upper mine pool) and developing a mine plan. The Commission delayed the effective dates of the tiered standards by five years: the remaining Tier 1 feasibility-based site-specific standards would be effective from 1/1/2029 to 12/31/2030, and the Tier 2 feasibility-based site-specific standards would be effective starting 1/1/2031.
- c) **Extension of natural/irreversible site-specific standards on Segments 4a and 7:** Continuing the application of the interim natural/irreversible site-specific standards is appropriate. Existing water quality does not attain TVS for several metals. The interim standards are also an important aspect of RGS's exploration efforts, which require dewatering of the upper mine pool. The Commission determined that the interim natural/irreversible site-specific standards continue to be justified unless and until RGS progresses with dewatering of the lower mine pool, construction of a water treatment plant, and reopening of the Bulldog Mine. The Commission extended the application of the interim natural/irreversible site-specific standards by five years, through 12/31/2028.

RGS's proposal was supported by a longevity plan, updated treatability review, manganese treatability study, and data collected by the CDPHE, RGS, and local non-profit organizations.

The Commission will reevaluate these standards at the 2028 Rio Grande Basin rulemaking hearing.

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**REGULATION NO. 36
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**APPENDIX 36-1
Stream Classifications and Water Quality Standards Tables**

Effective 12/31/2023

REGULATION #36 STREAM CLASSIFICATIONS and WATER QUALITY STANDARDS Rio Grande Basin

4a. Mainstem of the Rio Grande from a point immediately above the confluence with Willow Creek to a point immediately above the confluence with the South Fork Rio Grande.							
CORGRG04A	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture	DM	MWAT	acute	chronic		
Reviewable	Aq Life Cold 1	Temperature °C	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340	---
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	---	0.02
	Water Supply	D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	TVS	varies*
Qualifiers:		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Cadmium(T)	5.0	---
Other:		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III	---	TVS
Temporary Modification(s):		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium III(T)	50	---
Arsenic(chronic) = hybrid		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Chromium VI	TVS	TVS
Expiration Date of 12/31/2024					Copper	TVS	TVS
		Inorganic (mg/L)			Iron	---	WS
		acute	chronic		Iron(T)	---	1000
*Cadmium(chronic) = See 36.6(4) for site-specific standards and assessment locations.		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Lead	TVS	TVS
*Manganese(chronic) = See 36.6(4) for site-specific standards and assessment locations.		Boron	---	0.75	Lead(T)	50	---
*Uranium(acute) = See 36.5(3) for details.		Chloride	---	250	Manganese	TVS	varies*TVS/WS
*Uranium(chronic) = See 36.5(3) for details.		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Mercury(T)	---	0.01
*Zinc(acute) = See 36.6(4) for site-specific standards and assessment locations.		Cyanide	0.005	---	Molybdenum(T)	---	150
*Zinc(chronic) = See 36.6(4) for site-specific standards and assessment locations.		Nitrate	10	---	Nickel	TVS	TVS
		Nitrite	---	0.05	Nickel(T)	---	100
		Phosphorus	---	---	Selenium	TVS	TVS
		Sulfate	---	WS	Silver	TVS	TVS(tr)
		Sulfide	---	0.002	Uranium	varies*	varies*
					Zinc	varies*	varies*

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7. Mainstem of West Willow Creek from the Park Regent Mine dump (37.890445, -106.936868) to the confluence with East Willow Creek. Mainstem of Willow Creek, including all tributaries, from the confluence of East and West Willow Creeks to the confluence with the Rio Grande.							
CORGRG07	Classifications	Physical and Biological			Metals (ug/L)		
Designation	Agriculture		DM	MWAT	acute	chronic	
UP	Aq Life Cold 2	Temperature °C	CS-II	CS-II	Arsenic	340 ---	
	Recreation E		acute	chronic	Arsenic(T)	--- 100	
Qualifiers:		D.O. (mg/L)	---	6.0	Cadmium	varies* varies*	
Other: *Phosphorus(chronic) = applies only above the facilities listed at 36.5(4). *Cadmium(acute) = See 36.6(4) for site-specific standards and assessment locations. *Cadmium(chronic) = See 36.6(4) for site-specific standards and assessment locations. *Copper(acute) = See 36.6(4) for site-specific standards and assessment locations. *Copper(chronic) = See 36.6(4) for site-specific standards and assessment locations. *Lead(acute) = See 36.6(4) for site-specific standards and assessment locations. *Lead(chronic) = See 36.6(4) for site-specific standards and assessment locations. *Manganese(acute) = See 36.6(4) for site-specific standards and assessment locations. *Manganese(chronic) = See 36.6(4) for site-specific standards and assessment locations. *Uranium(acute) = See 36.5(3) for details. *Uranium(chronic) = See 36.5(3) for details. *Zinc(acute) = See 36.6(4) for site-specific standards and assessment locations. *Zinc(chronic) = See 36.6(4) for site-specific standards and assessment locations.		D.O. (spawning)	---	7.0	Chromium III	TVS TVS	
		pH	6.5 - 9.0	---	Chromium III(T)	--- 100	
		chlorophyll a (mg/m ²)	---	TVS	Chromium VI	TVS TVS	
		E. coli (per 100 mL)	---	126	Copper	varies* varies*	
					Iron(T)	--- 1000	
					Inorganic (mg/L)	Lead	varies* varies*
				acute	chronic	Manganese	varies* varies*
		Ammonia	TVS	TVS	Mercury(T)	--- 0.01	
		Boron	---	0.75	Molybdenum(T)	--- 150	
		Chloride	---	---	Nickel	TVS TVS	
		Chlorine	0.019	0.011	Selenium	TVS TVS	
		Cyanide	0.005	---	Silver	TVS TVS	
		Nitrate	100	---	Uranium	varies* varies*	
		Nitrite	10	---	Zinc	varies* varies*	
		Phosphorus	---	TVS*			
	Sulfate	---	---				
	Sulfide	---	0.002				

