

Uinta County Conservation District

Please see attached comment letter.



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February 18, 2020

Ronald Steg
Wyoming Department of Environmental Quality
510 Meadowview Drive
Lander, WY 82520

Re: Comments on Wyoming's Draft 2020 Integrated 305(b) and 303(d) Report

Dear Ron,

The Uinta County Conservation District (UCCD) is providing the following comments specific to the two basins located in Uinta County; the Blacks Fork Sub-Basin and the Upper Bear River Sub-Basin.

Upper Bear River Sub-basin (HUC 16010101)

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The last sentence in the second paragraph mentions recreation on "Bridger-Teton National Forest". This should be the "Wasatch-Cache National Forest".

The link to the WACD 2018 Watershed Progress Report Story Map says the page can't be found.

Green River Basin, Blacks Fork Sub-Basin (HUC14040107)

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Use Support Decision Fact Sheet

The link to the TMDL takes you to the completed projects on WDEQ's website but there is no Blacks Fork TMDL listed under completed projects. It is, however, listed on the current projects page.

Under Listing Rationale: This mentions only the data collected by UCCD from 2007-2013 and implies that the stream was listed due to the data collected by UCCD. The stream was actually listed due to data that was collected by WDEQ prior to UCCD starting a sampling program. Please include the completed history of data collected by WDEQ to clarify why and how the stream was originally listed.

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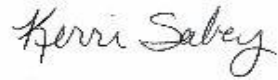
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Pages 29 & 52, Maps

Both of these maps indicate that the Blacks Fork and Willow Creek are still Category 5. Willow Creek changed to Category 3 and Blacks Fork changed to Category 4A.

UCCD appreciates the opportunity to comment on the 2020 Draft Integrated Report. If you have questions, please feel free to contact our office.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kerri Sabey". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Kerri Sabey
District Manager

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