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The Entryway

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Ken Jaray
Fountain Creek Restoration Committee
304 Michigan Ave.
Manitou Springs, CO 80829

Dear Ken:

The US 24 West project supports your efforts to restore the water quality in Fountain Creek through Manitou Springs. Our project also seeks to improve the water quality in the creek downstream from Manitou Springs, so the two projects are compatible and can serve as catalysts for future projects along the corridor.

Through other coordination with Manitou Springs we also hope to connect with the Creekwalk Trail, which will increase access to your project and ultimately add to the restoration and improvements to Fountain Creek making it an even greater community amenity.

With projects like yours, the US 24 improvements, and Senator Ken Salazar's plans for the Fountain Creek Watershed all the way to Pueblo, Fountain Creek has the potential to be a focal point in the regional recreation system.

We look forward to continued communication with you and the Fountain Creek Restoration Committee and applaud your efforts to improve the community.

Sincerely,



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