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Re: Powder River Basin Resource Council Petition

Water is precious for the state of Wyoming. The semi-arid climate has often caused stress to Wyoming's environment in periodic times of drought. Bearing this in mind it is important for the state to insist that Coalbed Methane Water not be wasted, either flowing out of the state in great quantities and/or ruining native forages and wildlife in the draws and streams with low flow. The EQC must plan for the future of our state and not support the immediate demands of the mineral industry.

For this reason I support the Powder Resource Council's petition for stopping the damage caused by the discharge of CBM water.

Sincerely,



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