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Jim Ruby, Executive Secretary Environmental Quality Council

I am writing to request that Sand Creek be designated as Very Rare and Uncommon.

Our family organization is celebrating its 100th anniversary this year. Agriculture is a key part of our history and our business. For that reason we want to see land and water protected not just for today, but for future generations as well.

The potential to pollute Sand Creek is very real and damage to the area would be disastrous.

We realize that decisions like this are never easy, but as our family makes plans for a fourth generation in our business, we want to insure that the future is as bright for them as it has been for us.

Thank you for your consideration in this important matter.

erely vours, David Hersrud