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WATER PROJECTS, NEW

BE IT RESOLVED that CLUB 20 supports legislation to analyze the state’s water needs and provide for those needs with new water projects, if such legislation is consistent with CLUB 20 policy. Specifically, CLUB 20:

- Recognizes the need for water conservation, supports storage projects to provide new water for instream flow, habitat and endangered species purposes, in accordance with the Colorado instream flow law;
- Supports projects to provide water needed for agricultural, municipal, industrial, recreational or other beneficial uses;
- Insists that any project which includes trans-basin diversion must include basin-of-origin protection and/or mitigation in accordance with policies of the local governments involved;
- Supports the provision empowering local citizens to determine the future water needs within each basin;
- Supports the creation of a new state fund for this purpose; and
- Opposes the use of such legislation to amend, weaken, restrict or limit county 1041 powers.

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